Winter 2020 Orientation

From December 30 to January 3, we had a great orientation week for new Winter 2020 students! We have 13 new students from Germany, Japan, Vietnam, South Korea and China. They have tried to get to know each other on the first few days and peer mentors worked hard to help new students! At the end of the orientation, we went on the Seattle Field Trip! We split into two groups and walked around together. It was not easy for them to spend time together with students who are from different countries but they were getting comfortable with using English to have communication by spending time together in Seattle. We hope they will have a good time at OC!

- Aya from Japan

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IMPORTANT DATES

Jan 17 Last day to:
- Register for class with instructor permission
- Request 40% refund for withdrawal from classes
- Officially drop a class with no grade reported

Jan 20 Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday—no classes
Jan 25 Lunar New Year
Jan 31 Last day to apply for winter quarter graduation (degrees and certificates)

Please contact the Office of International Education & Study Abroad at international@olympic.edu for corrections in your mailing address, e-mail and phone number.
New International Office Assistant

Hi everyone, my name’s Hanchi. I’m from China. It’s my second quarter here, and I’m happy to help you as an office assistant. My major is computer science, and I want to transfer to CMU in the future. I like traveling and watching movies. Also, I really like to make new friends. I believe that the life in America is quite different from your country. So when you have any questions about school life, I’m glad to help you. Hope we can be great friends in the future!!!

HAPPY NEW YEAR!!

“Boosting up My 2020 in Cozy Waterfront, Seattle”

This New Year's holidays were the first ones for me to spend in the United States. I set a little trip with my friend to see the fireworks of the Space Needle at the water way from west islands. Although it ended up being canceled with the bad weather, I definitely had a memorable time in the beautiful landscape of Seattle having our individual new year’s wishes in our hearts.

-Koichi Nihei from Japan

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Jeff (China)  Mario (Egypt)
Koju (Japan)  Yen (Taiwan)
Daigo (Japan) Julian (Taiwan)
Umas (Taiwan) Jack (Vietnam)
Ami (Japan)  Honoka (Japan)