



# STIC

## ON POINT

### THE MAGICAL EXPERIENCE @ CA ZONE

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For almost a week (February 11-14), the CA Zone located on the 3rd floor of STIC's Main Building was filled with magic as our students from this major proudly presented their excellent works of art and outstanding masterpieces. The CA Zone was divided into smaller areas where each space had something for the viewers and visitors to see and enjoy.

The first room was designed by the first years. They turned the room into a "DISNEYLAND" photo studio. The administrators, lecturers, staff and students had fun striking different poses in front of the magical lens. Some of the first years portrayed famous Disney movie characters.

The second room was transformed into an SF (STIC Fantastic) Cinema. Short movies made by the fourth years as their final project together with the music videos created by the second years were feasted with students' eyes on.

The third room showcased the third years' paragons. They were exhibited on different media: photographs and videos.

The fourth room was converted into a "Fashion ADRoom". Second years unveiled their video advertisements on different apparel such as bags, sneakers, jeans, etc.

The CA Zone Hall was also designed for thesis movie preview and other artistic stuffs that made the STICians truly feel amazed.

Finally, this annual event really aims to flaunt the artistic and creative success of the Communication Arts/Digital Media department. In return, the team welcomes feedback,



criticisms, suggestions and recommendations from all the spectators and visitors for further development and additional merits.

This tiring week brought us much pride and success. We really appreciate the unending support of our lecturers for organizing this kind of event.

### STIC'S IDC REACHED TALA

*By: Sophon Oongsit, Airlie Business Y1*



With the aim of going global, the International Dance Club learned the viral dance craze "Tala" (translated in Filipino language as STAR) from the Philippines. We practiced hard to give our audience a superb performance during the International Day. With much applause, we took a video of our Tala dance and joined the Facebook online competition. We may not have won the grand prize but we were so thrilled in getting almost 30k plus views for our dance video.

Our dance club is still open to new members who hope to display their dancing skills with us. Rest assured that every member will enjoy being physically fit and being in our warm dance family. To keep our legacy going, we'll make more viral videos in the coming days.



## EDUC MAJORS @ RASAMI BRITISH INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

By: Shisanupong Uppakanwongchai, Education English Y3



On January 30, 35 Education students from English, Math, and Science majors visited the secondary department of Rasami British International School to

observe their teaching styles. Our students were welcomed by Mr. Matthew, one of the teachers of the school. Rasami British International School has some differences compared to the other ordinary secondary schools in Thailand. Firstly, although the school is an international school; it still has to follow the rules from the Ministry of Education. Another main difference is the number of students: the secondary department is from Mathayom 1 to 6 but has only few students. As a result, the teachers need to teach students who are different in terms of the level of skills within one class. Education students have experienced a new learning style which will benefit them in their future careers.

## LET'S BE "FROZETANIC"

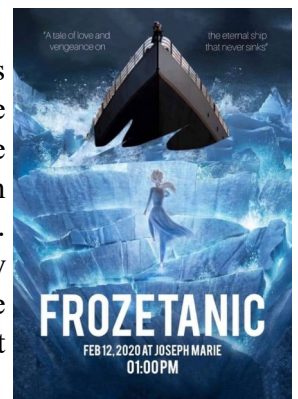


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On February 12, English major Education students presented a drama as their final project for their Learning Language Through Drama subject with Ajarn Dario Mando as the lecturer. The show that the students

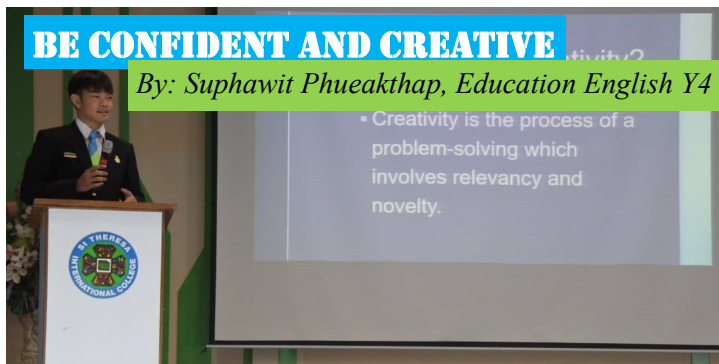
performed is titled "Frozetic" – a mixed story of "Frozen" and "Titanic." The students worked so hard going through all the processes: script writing, props making, background painting, sound recording, costumes renting, and a lot of rehearsals until their final performance. Finally, they received great feedback from the drama.

It was a great achievement for us to experience this kind of huge educational opportunity. We learned how to be "On Point" in accomplishing each process. Moreover, everyone gained a very positive experience despite getting through burdensome yet fulfilling tasks.



## BE CONFIDENT AND CREATIVE

By: Suphawit Phuekthap, Education English Y4



• Creativity is the process of a problem-solving which involves relevancy and novelty.

On February 21 at Joseph & Maria Building, there was a panel seminar about 21st Century Skills which was organized by the 4th Year Education English major students. There were informative and interesting talks on skills that the 21<sup>st</sup> century would demand. Also, talks on how to maximize English teaching was delivered by STIC's experienced speakers: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Boonruang Chunsuvimol and Dr. Mark Anthony Pa-

alisbo. In addition, two of the most active and gifted year 4 students from the same major: Mr. Sunai Singtong and yours truly - Mr. Suphawit Phuekthap shared our thoughts on the topic – "Developing 21<sup>st</sup> Century Students' Confidence and Creativity". At the beginning of our presentation, both of us were highly strung but as we continued with our talks and seeing the attentive spectators, we gained our confidence, continued with much inspiration and ended with much pride. Before the seminar ended, there were some exciting activities that the students enthusiastically participated in for the purpose of developing 21st century students' confidence and creativity.

We would like to give our appreciation to our mentors, friends and classmates for all their support and motivation for us to successfully accomplish this task.



## AN AMAZED YOUNG ASPIRING FLIGHT ATTENDANT

By: Sippakorn Bamrung, Airline Business Y1



I was a boy born in Bangkok 19 years ago but most of my growing up years was spent in a rural area in the northern region of Thailand. I was given the opportunity to study like a normal child with my environment surrounded by nature.

When I graduated from high school, St. Theresa International College caught my attention and I chose to enroll to study Airline Business to find new experiences and opportunities - something different from my friends. I had a thought that this major can make me develop a better personality and help me achieve success in the future.

One day, I was given the opportunity to visit Suvarnabhumi Airport where I gained new knowledge and experiences. We were in our formal suits which gave us more confidence as we arrived at the airport. We were told to wear our masks to protect ourselves from the possible spread of COVID-19.

During the visit, we were informed about the several processes that every passenger had to undergo. Important facilities such as "Information Machine" can inform the public where to eat, to go when nature calls or other places. "Timetable Machine" is so wonderful that it can tell about time in various locations. At first, I didn't know how to use them but now I can. On that day, there were numerous passengers at the airport that made our visit more exciting. I saw some flight attendants from Qatar Airways, they are beautiful and look so perfect. I want to be like them in the future.

Also, we had a brief walk at the museum to learn about the history of Suvarnabhumi Airport. It amazed me to know how high-end the airport is. This experience motivates me to focus, to study and to strive harder in my life.

## PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT AND TABLE MANNERS AWAYDAY

By: Patipan Sarika, Airline Business Y2



On 5 February 2019, St. Theresa International College brought 365 second-year students to Novotel Hotel Airport to attend the training on table manners and personality development seminar. Madam Dr. Theresa V. Phromsuntron was with us to open the event. In the morning, the speakers

explained to us about image, which consists of 3 main factors: 1. Appearance 2. Body language and 3. Communication which are all so important for us as we are getting closer to our future careers. In the afternoon, the topic was all about table manners. That day's menu included:

Appetizer - Smoked Salmon Carpaccio with Horseradish Soup-Wild Mushroom Soup with Fresh Herb

Main Course - Breaded Chicken Escalope with Potato Puree and Fresh

Dessert - Chocolate Sacher Cake with Vanilla Ice Cream

The speaker delivered a detailed demonstration for ways to approach eating each menu item. Finally, as the day was about to end, the whole STIC sophomores thanked the event organizer and presented to them souvenirs. We went back to the college with a lot of significant knowledge. Thank you STIC for organizing such good activities for us.

## THAI CARGO OBSERVATION AT SUVARNABHUMI AIRPORT

By: Thanawin Sawasdee, Airline Business Y3



my major of studies. Thai Cargo employees welcomed us with much warmth and reminded us about the strict rules implemented around the vicinity which we needed to act accordingly. They were well-prepared and shared with us some details and information regarding the cargo operations. I just realized that being in the real location made the acquisition of know-how easier. To start the observation, Year 3 students were divided into two groups. We came to

know that fresh goods, dangerous goods, inbound and outbound delivery have different work processes but are all connected.

Fresh goods consisted of flowers and fruits. Before sending them, it's a must that they're closely inspected and pest controlled. Dangerous goods are more thoroughly inspected since having them on freight can potentially cause the vessel to crash/fall out. Some materials such as magnets, gases etc. may damage or disturb the transporting of cargo. Thick cargo handbook provides guidance to both the clients and cargo companies but the details in this book are subject to change every year. For the inbound and outbound portals of products, documents are required to have various data checks before proceeding to import-export process.

The whole observation was both exhausting and rewarding. If there's an opportunity, I'd like to try working in the cargo area. The many stages of operation in the cargo industry are really interesting. I think it would be quite good to work here in the future.



## #FebRAKry @ STIC



Many people said that Valentine's Day should not be celebrated only on February 14 because showing affection to our loved ones should happen everyday. But since this day is the commemoration of St. Valentines, most people have been practicing and celebrating this Heart's Day/Love Day on this date. People have different ways to make this day more festive: watching concerts, having a dinner date, giving roses, chocolates, stuffed toys, and declaring love to one's partner.

Year one students from Airline Business and Hotel and Tourism expressed their love and affection to their loved ones on VDay through writing love messages on "English on FB by Leo" facebook fanpage. Here are some of the sweetest and most romantic affirmations of love:

*"Thank you for making ordinary moments special and memorable." (Chatmongkhon Srikaew, Airline Business Y1)*

*"It's YOU who made a difference in my life." (Suphansa Krauekwan, Airline Business Y1)*

*"The most important thing in life is to learn how to give out LOVE and to let it come in." (Benjamas Nakain, Airline Business Y1)*

*"Thank you for choosing me even I'm not the best." (Arpaporn Phooraya, Airline Business Y1)*

*"I don't want a PERFECT person, I want someone who can make me PERFECT." (Sirilak Dangkeaw, Airline Business Y1)*

*"To the world, you may be one person, but to one person, you are the world." (Orrada Wongsasai, Airline Business Y1)*

*"The beauty that surrounds me is all because of you. I found life because I found you." (Pariyapat Rueangkanab, Airline Business Y1)*

*"LOVE is not about how many days, weeks or months you've been together. It's all about how much you LOVE each other everyday." (Manthana Appamaho, Airline Business Y1)*

*"It's hard to look at other faces when I only want to see yours." (Khwanruen Wongmuang, Airline Business Y1)*

*"It's good to have LOVE but it's better if it's at the RIGHT time." (Onjira Treejan, Airline Business Y1)*

*"I wish that whoever sees this message will be happy forever for my smile is your pleasure." (Supisara Songmuang, Hotel and Tourism Y1)*

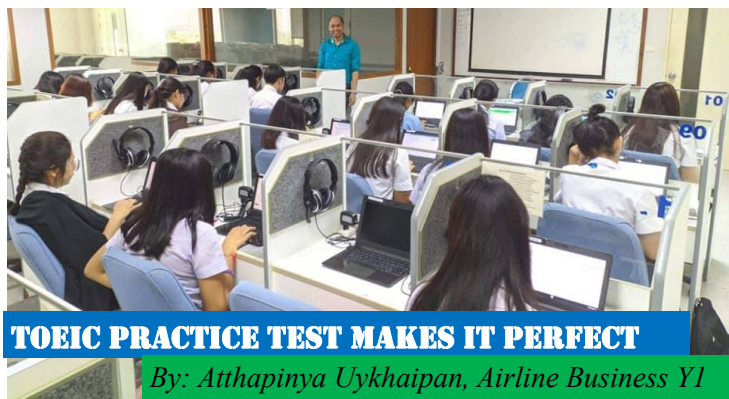
*"My LOVE for you is a journey starting at FOREVER and ending at NEVER." (Pattarasuda Jomkhamsing, Hotel and Tourism Y1)*

*"Even though we fight a lot, I still want you in my life." (Aranya Sawatdipoom, Hotel and Tourism Y1)*

*"Message to MYSELF: Do more of what makes you happy." (Sunisa Pinyo, Hotel and Tourism Y1)*

*"No matter how many boys have come into my life, DADDY, you will always be the first man I've ever loved. He made the world a better place. Thanks for everything DAD. Please stay happy and healthy." (Somsamon Champapung, Hotel and Tourism Y1)*

Let's make it a habit to express our love and compassion not only to our loved ones but to all. All of us deserve to LOVE and BE LOVED. Don't wait for the time that it's too late to say and express this kind of affectionate emotion. Everyday is a LOVE, LOVE, LOVE day.



### TOEIC PRACTICE TEST MAKES IT PERFECT

*By: Athapinya Uykhapan, Airline Business Y1*

employed in most companies, impressive TOEIC scores, if not a requirement, is a competitive edge for applicants. This is to assure that every employee can communicate with business clients coming from different foreign companies. Therefore, passing TOEIC is very important in securing a stable job. For Airline Business students, TOEIC practice does help us a lot. It teaches us to use grammar correctly. Listening to passages in various English accents helps us to understand teachers and lecturers from different countries and we are able to better communicate with them too. Also, we can learn from our own mistakes in using the language correctly. In my case, I am not that good yet in English but I am confident that in doing constant TOEIC practice, I will be able to use English more effectively.

Why is TOEIC important? It is because nowadays, to be



## HAND-MADE PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT AND ENGLISH DEMONSTRATION 2019

By: Kanchanaporn Konkroekkiat, Logistics Management Y2



The Faculty of Business Administration with the collaboration of Year 2 students in International Business, Logistics and Hotel and Tourism programs showcased their craftsmanship, creativity, productivity, innovativeness and English proficiency in the development of hand-made products.

The project was slated on February 13, 2020 at Joseph Marie Building and it was viewed by almost 300 students with an average satisfaction result of 3.58 (excellent). Some students commented that the activity has to be carried on yearly to provide them more viable products for future business endeavors.

The product development and process demonstration are parts of the course on Production and Operation Management. I believe that these kinds of projects motivate us in discovering and unfolding our potentials and hidden capabilities. There are 12 groups in the event and most groups

as well. Next were the opening speech and the ribbon-cutting. After such, excitement filled in the venue. The committee members were introduced and the presentation commenced. Group 1 presented the Bamboo Herbs Lamp. It had a beautiful and unique structure. Group 2 displayed the Herbal Refreshing Towel; their herbs were very fragrant. Group 3 had the Mosquito Repellent; their product requires many processes to produce but is useful for college students who stay in the dormitory. Group 4 demonstrated the Resin Accessories; to add glamour, they decorated their creations with flowers and glitters. Group 5 had the Slipper Herbs; the packaging they chose was very interesting. Group 6 unveiled the Ribbon Rose; the product was cute and could serve as a perfect gift for Valentine's Day. Group 7 launched the Sugar Lip Scrub; the product is useful both for men and women. Group 8 exhibited the Love Chocolate; this product is

made interesting products such as Resin Accessories, Sugar Lip Scrub, Mosquito Repellent, etc.

Before the event started, everything was set: our booths, tools, other materials, roll up, and our looks

also a nice gift for Valentine's Day. Next presenters were the members of group 9. They paraded their Love Bag; this product is very useful in saving the environment. Then, there was group 10 with the Memory Organizer; this box can be used as a house decor or as a souvenir. Group 11 flaunted the Sandwich Heart with Egg; their product is a healthy meal because it contains various vitamins. For the finale, it was group 12's Bath Bomb; their product can prevent us from having skin disease and can make us feel relaxed and refreshed.

When the presentations ended, there were students and lecturers who came closer to our booths and some of them bought our products! At the end of the event, the highest recognition certificate was awarded to the Mosquito Repellent group for being the best in Hand-made Product Demonstration.

At the event, everything went well. All groups gave their very best to make their products as excellent as they could be. The experiences gained today are applicable to our daily life and to our future entrepreneurial ventures. Finally, thank you Dr. Alfredo Carias Espejo for your support and for the knowledge and experiences that we acquired from our project. The gained learning will remain and will be utilized in the coming years.



## OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES WITH THE FUTURE PILOTS

By: Papawarin Imkajang, Aeronautics, Y2

On February 1, 2020 at Chulachomklao Royal Military Academy (CRMA), many life and work lessons were learnt. Here, I realized the things that are missing and needed to be experienced and learnt. The first thing I learnt was the power of friendship, the bond between seniors and juniors as well as with the teachers. As a child, I always had an idea on what friendship was for. It was about reconciliation, sharing, generosity, unselfishness, trying to adapt with others: fundamentally, based on looking at the world in a positive way. At times of suffering, there is always a friend beside us. Each person comes from a different place,

different society. It is where we see many differences in each person's thoughts, intentions, smiles, tears etc. From the activities that I had partaken, everyone looked much happier. By looking at the happiness on the other students' faces, the teachers felt glad as well. The second thing we had learnt is that unity is the driving force for us to move forward despite of the many obstacles along the way. If we are together, no matter how many times we fall, fail and feel discouraged, we will still have the motivation to overcome them. The third thing is discipline - it's very important for everyone to live together happily with some

rules and regulations to follow/obey. It is something that forces us to do good things for ourselves and to people around us. If there is no discipline, society will not be at peace. The last thing is conquering our fears. I was very impressed when I was able to reach the top of the mountain within CRMA's territory. The total route is approximately 2.5 kilometers. The destination is far and we don't know where it will end. I always thought, "Can I push beyond my limits?" When I felt tired, I looked at my friends and teachers, the smiles of happiness mixed with tiredness and friendship boosted me to walk on without thinking of stopping and giving up. This has made me apply my positive thoughts towards my studies and my dreams. I have dedicated my whole life to following my dreams in the future. Sometimes, I give up, I cry because of the obstacles that come up. Whenever I am weary, I keep whispering to myself that I must continue fighting. If I achieve my dream, it would be the same feeling of conquering the mountain. I can finally say with pride, "I can do it".

Thank you to the teachers who have arranged this activity for us. It is an important lesson in life and will continuously inspire us in many ways. Also, I felt thankful for the friendship that I made with the seniors and juniors. It made me the happiest. Thank You.



**COMM ARTS/DIGITAL MEDIA'S 1ST BYENIOR***By: Suphakit Phomnoi, Communication Arts Y2*

first time for this new major to have a graduating batch. The family members of CA/DM were all excited for this get-together.

This activity was held on the night of February 29, which was shortly after the final exam. The theme for this activity is pajamas. The location is the Darin's De Coffee and Tea Shop. During the event, the juniors and seniors had a conversation to share experiences and say goodbye. At the party, fun games were played, juniors and lecturers sang songs for the seniors, the seniors spoke from their hearts about their compassion towards their juniors and teachers. All students were happy with the sentimental activity. They will never forget how their seniors care for them. Everybody is looking forward to be working with them in the future.

For the first year students, the STIC community welcomes them on "Freshy Night". It was a wonderful night where freshies own not only the hall but also the stage. On the other hand, for the fourth year students, usually after their internship, their juniors organized a party called "ByeNior". This night is usually filled with words of encouragement, inspiration, appreciation and farewell. This year is a special year for Digital Media/Communication Arts majors because it would be the

Goodbye Senior Activity is a very good moment where both the teachers and the junior students can express their happiness and pride for the seniors. The family hopes that the graduating students will apply their knowledge and experience in their future work and if there would be a chance, we wish that they will come back to help the juniors or guide them with work and experiences outside the college.

**HARRY POTTERS AT THE ATC BYENIOR ON HEART'S DAY***By: Pawarut Srimoon, Air Traffic Control Y3*

The Air Traffic Control family members celebrated their Byenior Party on the Heart's Day at Tung Sigun Donmueang with the theme of the party being Harry Potter. Most students were dressed in Harry Potter inspired costumes. The venue was designed like the Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry. It was a night with so much gladness and the food was all delicious.

I was given the task to become the MC that night. I was in so much excitement because it was my first time to have such responsibility. I had a short time to prepare and the program kept on changing rapidly. It was still an excellent experience for me. At the end of the party, we were all very happy, having loads of fun and funny moments with our family.



Congratulations to our senior family members.

**A NIGHT OF FANTASY WITH THE PH***By: Jinnanat Phutprasert, Public Health Y1*

A special night of fantasy and awe occurred at Joseph Marie Building with the Public Health family as they spent it together for their annual ByeNior Party. The night was loaded with glamorous set-up, fun-filled entertainment, toothsome chows, gorgeous people and encouraging food for thought.

As juniors, we expressed our locutions of apology, appreciation, acknowledgment and blessings for our seniors. In return, our seniors uttered their words of gratitude to our lecturers and delivered meaningful advice to us as their younger siblings. This night seemed to be both so heart-warming and enjoyable.

Good luck to our seniors, congratulations and we wish you all the best.



## MY OMAN AIR INTERNSHIP QUINTESSENTIAL EXPERIENCE

*By: Paulo Sanchez, Airline Business Y4*

My internship with Oman Air was truly a remarkable experience. As an intern, they let me do almost everything that real employees do with cases such as INAAD Passenger and Deportee and Mass Transit. Let's start with the Meet And Assist Service (MAAS). We are assigned this task by the Bangkok Flight Service (BFS) before the plane lands. My passenger was a VIP from the Oman embassy and I was assigned to assist and escort him through the fast track & immigration.

It was my 6th week and my duty was in First & Business Class Lounge. This experience gave me a lot of knowledge - refilling the food, cleaning the table and serving Arab coffee and tea to Business Class passengers. It made me a confident worker providing maximum quality of customer service. This skill is so essential that it will help me go through the process of becoming a Flight Attendant. Other knowledge that I learned was providing the best I can and doing favors for the passengers for their satisfaction and knowing that the customers are always the king. It's my 7th time in MAAS and a passenger had a connecting flight. This time with 3 Turkish Nationals, the plane from MCT-BKK landed 15 minutes late. They had a short connecting flight and I only had 25 minutes before the check-in counter of Thai Airways International closes. Everything was going well as planned but once we got to the immigration, we ran into a problem, my passengers have been detained, because they were each in possession of 2 simultaneously valid Turkish passports, but with my assistance, I helped them with Thai to English interpretation and translated to the immigration officials that the Turkish nationals claimed that in their country, it's possible to ask for 2nd passport. But the

immigration officers were still not convinced. It's been 15 minutes and they were still on hold 10 minutes before the check-counter closed. Sadly, they had missed their flight to HKT. After being detained for almost an hour, it has come to a point where they asked the Turkish embassy and yes, all 2 passports of each passenger were confirmed to be legitimate. After then, they got released. I assisted them to the 4th floor for them to get a new ticket to HKT, they said thanks for helping them but they were a bit disappointed with the immigration making them miss their flight.

I have just finished my shift from 1pm-9 pm at the business class lounge and I was informed about the diverted flight to MCT-MNL, so I decided to assist some of my friends who were working on the evening shift. The time it landed in Suvarnabhumi Airport was already midnight and we had to assist all the passengers with Visa on Arrival. All the passengers on board were granted a visa on arrival and we almost finished around 5 am since we had to make sure that everyone got on the bus and to the hotel for a night, since the airport in Manila was not yet open for landing due to volcanic ashes. So, the next day we had to make sure everyone was accommodated and made sure they got on the bus on time to get the airport. Once they got to the airport, we had to make sure everyone was there at the check-in counter. After we collected all their passports, we assisted them through the fast track and made sure they got through the immigration and to the boarding gate on time. Something I learned is to provide help and assistance even when it's not your duty, because it will make you gain invaluable new skills. After being able to handle special cases, I gained confidence and my boss decided to trust me with



special cases. My 12th time in MAAS, for one VIP passenger, when it comes to providing assistance and service, I give it 101%. The VIP had a connecting flight to Hatyai, so I had to take him through the immigration first through fast track and collect their luggage at belt #20 and take them to the 4th floor to check-in at Thai Smile counter. After assisting them, they commended my service that I provided to them and gave me 700THB as tip. During this internship, I have gained a lot of knowledge and experiences in the field of studies. It taught me how to deal with situations while being under pressure and be helpful in times of need in the workplace. I enjoyed this internship because it showed me how much I love what I have studied for four years. All the hard work and dedication is definitely worth it. All of these will be a perfect content on my resume' and a quintessential foundation for my future.

## A YEAR OF EDUCATING THE FUTURE OF THAI NATION

*By: Inhathai Takaew, Education English Y5*



I did my internship at Piyajat Pattana School (under Her Royal Highness Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn). Doing my off-campus teaching there gave me a lot of experiences such as teaching, creating activities, challenging myself and working with others.

Firstly, to be a teacher it is not just teaching because I feel like I have about 110 children and every student has different behaviors. Some groups of students were extremely

naughty. They always gave me headaches because it was such a hard time dealing with them. The strict rule that I used in class was "If you don't send your work to me, you won't be allowed to have lunch". Anyway, even if they're good or bad, the teacher has to teach them to be responsible and successful people in the future because whenever they have problems, they always come to the teacher to ask for help.

Next, I believe that various learning activities help improve students in different aspects. I did not involve solely myself in creating classroom activities. Instead, I was also tasked in creating some fun and exciting activities for different school events such as Christmas Day, Spring Festival, English Camp, Sports Day and so on.

As an English teacher, another challenging

responsibility was assigned to me and that was to train the students who will be competing in the quiz bee and speech competition. It was a tough job but at the end of everything, pride filled my being as my students brought home the top prize.

Working with others is definitely better than working alone. It's like saying that "Two Heads are Better than One". There may have varied and conflicting ideas but I learned and practiced giving my respect and help to others to achieve our common goals.

Last but not the least, doing the internship is very important to student-teachers. It teaches us many life-learning situations, develops our positive attributes and gives me a realization that "I LOVE TEACHING".

## TRAINING TO POSSESS ETIQUETTE

By: Farida Chinphukkhiao and  
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St. Theresa International College, in cooperation with Internal Security Operations Command from Nakhon Nayok organized a talk, recreation, monitoring and evaluation project to selected STICians. This project aims to develop students' potentials in problem-solving, unity, decision making and being assertive. One of the activities that we did was following orders; we were seated in a circle and the hosts gave us

their orders. Dancing was the punishment if we were unable to do the task right. The next activity involved unity, fast thinking and decision making. We were asked to solve problems of changing our position while our hands were locked with each other's hands. The last activity was all about listening and describing. Two people stood back to back with each other. One student had to describe something on the projector as the other student made a guess.

From this one Saturday, I had so much fun. I gained some ideas in solving problems, created unity and made new friends from other majors.



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## ACCOUNTING MAJOR STUDENTS VISIT THE BANK OF THAILAND MUSEUM

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Business Administration

and responsibilities of BOT for monetary policy.

During this trip, our students were privileged to receive a presentation by the museum authority to learn about the history of the Thai central bank, money printing and storing process, the evolution of money used as a medium of exchange in Thailand, as well as the role of the Bank of Thailand in safeguarding the Thai financial markets and promoting economic growth. Moreover, they were informed about the importance of saving and the process of saving by observing various saving concepts of the museum. The students also had an opportunity to ask questions and discuss the challenges Thailand is facing from the recent strong Thai Baht.

Beside the often-discussed monetary policy tools such as interest rates and exchange rates, students also discovered an unthought-of aspect of modern monetary policy conduct – something rather unorthodox and complementary to the usual textbook theories.

Moreover, the students were also shown a short documentary video on the evolution of Thai money, which helps the students know the historic development of Thai money as a medium of exchange: ancient money from the Funan, Davaravati, and Sri Vijaya Kingdoms; Pot Duang; Thai coins; Thai bank notes, money from the north (Lanna money) and the northeast (Lanchang money).

The students also visited the Bangkhumprom Place of the museum where they could know the life, works, activities, the talents of H.R.H Prince Paripatra Sukhumbhand, Prince of Nakornsavarn, and artistic values in architecture.



On 1<sup>st</sup> February 2020, the Department of Accounting at St. Theresa International College arranged a field trip for the accounting major students to visit the Bank of Thailand Museum. This is a part of STIC's effort to promote our students' appreciation towards learning the history of Thai coins and banknotes, together with roles



By: Kamon Najrayg, Practical Nursing

The very peaceful Nakhon Ratchasima Province was in shock as heartbreaking crimes occurred at Terminal 21. The villain intentionally shot people on the spot. As reported by Maharat Hospital staff, there were nearly 30 people declared dead and 58 people injured. This incident caught the attention of millions of people on social media which created the hashtag #SaveKorat. It was so devastating to see the bereaved families of all the victims. The whole Thai nation prayed for their souls and for the province's safety. They lit some candles to show their mourning.

As a native of Korat, I felt so sorry and depressed about what had happened. I would keep on praying for the strength and safety of everyone, especially to the families of the innocent victims.