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We're going to finish our study abroad soon. I learned the importance of positiveness in this study abroad. I had been very negative before I came to NZ. So I wanted to change my mind. I did my best to talk and spend with my host mother. At first, I was homesick. But I tried to adapt to homestay. She was kind to me. So I was happy to be nice to her. And I want to appreciate my parents for having a valuable experience. From now on, I'll do my best not to forget this appreciation.

Sayumi OKUDA

We finally completed studying abroad in New Zealand! Before studying abroad, I had thought one month would be too long for me. But now I feel that time passed very rapidly. I was happy to experience a lot of brand new things every

day. I appreciate my host family, teachers and my parents in Japan. I want to make use of my experience here and grow more as a person. I'm going to come back soon. Please look forward to my souvenirs!

Aoi TAICHI

Our studying abroad will finish soon. I thought that it would be long. But the time passed much faster than I thought. First week, I was very tired because most things in New Zealand were different from Japan. I got lost many times and I felt uncomfortable with the differences of cultures. But now I'm used to New Zealand. So I feel comfortable now. I miss my family a little bit. But I don't want to go back to Japan yet because I love New Zealand!

Kanon NODA

I have learned through studying abroad for a month. Through this study abroad, I was able to understand the differences between Japanese culture and New Zealand one. I was always nervous at first, but my host family spoke to me gently. So I was able to relax quickly and got used to New Zealand. The class was one hour and a half, but it was very interesting. This one month passed very quickly. I want to be able to make use of many things I learned in New Zealand in Japan.

Ayumi UDO

My study abroad is going to finish soon. It was very fun. Because I have very good friends and very good teachers and a very good host family. My teachers helped me when I had problems. My friend cheered me up when I was crying. My host family always helped me when I couldn't do something. I didn't like New Zealand when I arrived. But now I like New Zealand very much. I learned many things while I stayed in New Zealand. I won't forget the things I learned.

Rina NAKAJIMA

My studying abroad has almost ended. I can't believe that one month has passed. When I came here I wanted to go back to Japan as soon as possible, but now I even think I will miss New Zealand. I'm thankful to my host parents that I can feel comfortable in my house. I think I could be a part of my family. Also I think speaking English isn't only difficult but also fun. I want to make the best use of my experience of this studying abroad in Japan.

Maika NODA

Hello! It's my final report. I looked back many things in New Zealand. That was very very good of all! I was often a little angry. But it is a good memory too. I only have our farewell party. So I want to do my best! I am just finishing the study abroad. But I will keep my concentration. I think it would be difficult. But if I can't keep my concentration, it is very bad. I have only 3 days. So I will do my best!!

Nene MAEDA

