

A Day in The Farm

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Hello! I am Chris Wong. Last Saturday I went to Old Macdonald's Farm. We had an absolutely fabulous time there with my Science Society members.

We arrived at the countryside in the New Territories in a bus. We were greeted by an old man from the Farm. He led us to his Farm entrance where two gentlemen were cleaning up a tractor's mess. We went to the Farm where plants were grown and picked up pumpkins and tomatoes. We put them in a basket. Then we went to the animal area. We saw rabbits hopping in the area, cows eating wheat, ducks summing in the water, goats eating grass and pigs rubbing themselves in the mud. We took photos and selfies. I fed the pigs with some carrots. I wondered if they liked it, but there was no time to think. It was time to go to the assembly area where an environmental activist would be talking about 'Never waste food!'

When we were heading to the assembly hall, I asked Old Macdonald, 'How long have you been in this Farm?' He replied, 'Oh boy, I have been here longer than you have lived!' And I am 14! He surely is old. When we entered the hall, the teachers told us to sit down. A woman then talked about why eating animals is expensive and why we shouldn't waste our food. Finally, we went to the cafeteria to eat a fully vegetarian buffet...woo!

For this lunch, everything was organic. There was a huge variety of food, including bread, muffins, fruits and vegetables. Many of my classmates thought it was bad but I found it great. The bread tasted yummy.

Then we left the Farm. We thanked Old Macdonald for showing us around his Farm. Then we left in a bus and went back to the school.

After returning to the school, we talked about the experience we had in the Farm with our classmates. We truly enjoyed this wonderful trip to the Farm.