

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC



Water rafting in the Dominican!



Surfing lessons!



Students enjoy a barbecue dinner in Jarabacoa!



WHAT HAPPENED...

DAY 1: Getting settled

Students met their tour director and unpacked.

DAY 2: Santo Domingo

Students toured Santo Domingo with an expert local guide and visited the tomb of Christopher Columbus and the Los Tres Ojos caves.

DAY 3: Fun Day in Jarabacoa

Students traveled to Jarabacoa, visited an environmental school, hiked to see the waterfalls, went water rafting, BBQ dinner and dance lessons.

DAY 4: Traveled to Santiago

They participated in a poetry workshop and took a street art walking tour.

DAY 5: Traveled to Puerto Plata

They rode the Telefericon cable cars and visited Fortaleza San Flipe.

DAY 6: Puerto Plata

They took a tour of the Cayo Mangroves and went snorkeling.

DAY 7: Last Day

Students got the last day to explore on their own.





"Students had the opportunity to learn about the history of Dominican Republic, as well different natural sites that we don't have here in Iowa. Understanding that out there, there are many different cultures and I wanted my students to be able to see the world. Also appreciate things that people take for granted," Spanish teacher and trip coordinator Fabian Ruiz said.

Students spend their spring break in the Dominican Republic! March 12th- March 19th.



"It was so worth it and I am glad I got to spend it with my friends," sophomore Sar Win said.

Junior Savannah Richards and sophomore Sar Win relaxed on the beach during their trip.



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