

## **Study Tour to Netherlands and Belgium**

(24 June - 4 July 2026)

An 11-day Study Tour to Netherlands and Belgium was organized for 20 S3 to S5 students from 24 June 2026 (Wednesday) to 4 July 2026 (Saturday). Students were accompanied by our Mr. KWOK Wing-man, Assistant Principal, and Ms. IP Yuen-shan as they visited Netherlands and Belgium.

This study tour provides students with the opportunity to interact with locals, deepen their understanding of the history, culture, and latest developments of the Netherlands, Belgium, and Europe, and broaden their horizons. They visited renowned historical sites and museums, such as the Rijksmuseum, the Van Gogh Museum, the Anne Frank House, and the Peace Palace, and participated in various activities, including exploring the Zaanse Schans windmill village, a scenic canal cruise in Giethoorn, a guided tour of the temporary chamber of the Dutch House of Representatives, a classic Amsterdam canal cruise, a visit to the Atomium, and a traditional chocolate workshop. Through this transformative experience, students developed into culturally-sensitive global thinkers – individuals who confidently embrace their heritage while appreciating diverse perspectives, thereby encouraging them to reflect on their personal identity and their own country's national history. Ultimately, they emerged as ambassadors of cross-cultural understanding, honouring Chinese values while engaging meaningfully with the wider world.



Principal YUEN (front row 1<sup>st</sup> left) sees off Mr. KWOK Wing-man, Assistant Principal (back row 1<sup>st</sup> right), and Ms. IP Yuen-shan (front row 1<sup>st</sup> right), together with students at the airport, wishing them a valuable learning experience



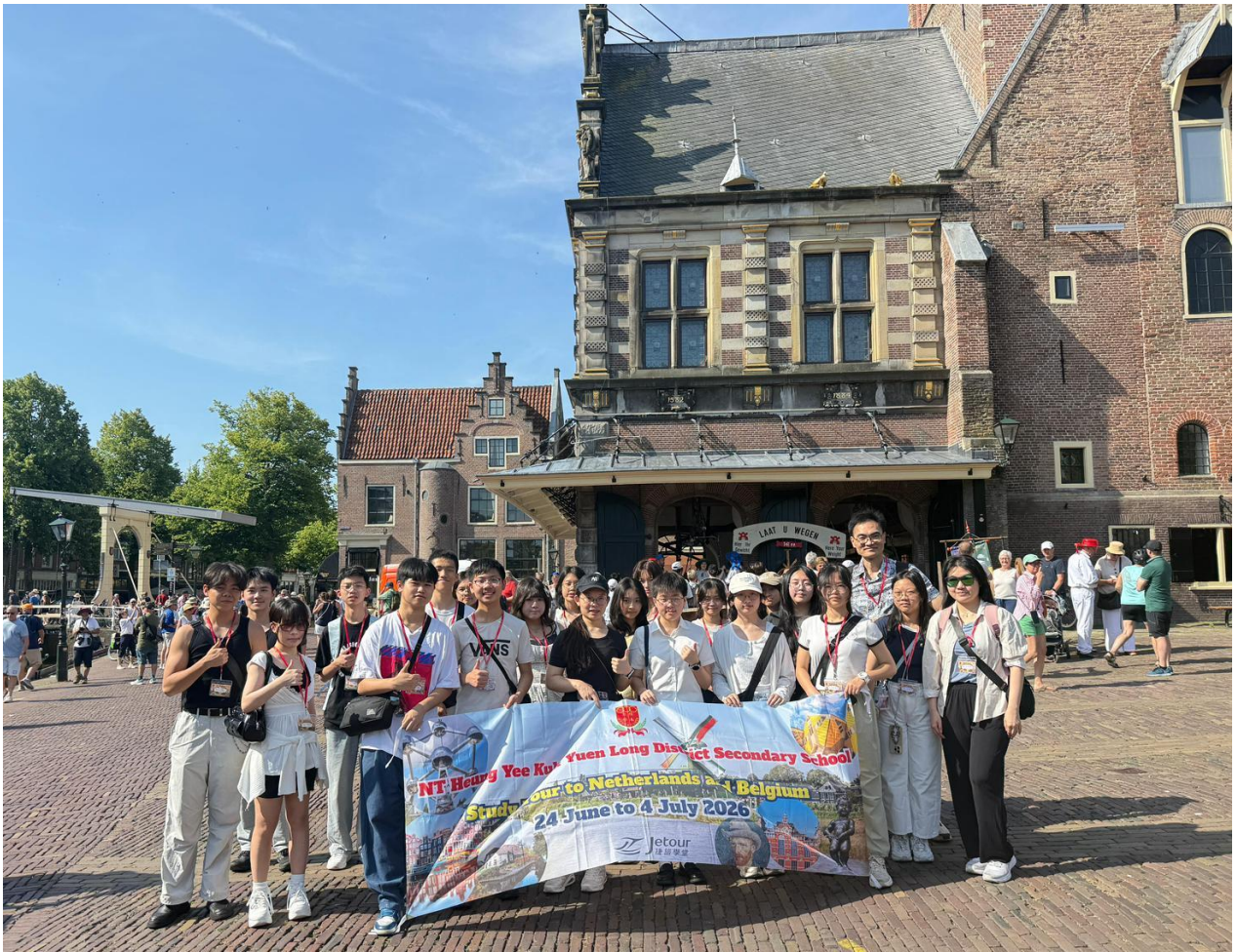


Students embark on a Village Boat Tour to learn about the village of Giethoorn, a unique Dutch community where the streets are made of water



Teachers and students visiting the Rijksmuseum in Amsterdam





Teachers and students exploring the Alkmaar Cheese Market



Prior to entering the Anne Frank House, students attending an essential introductory lesson to build their historical understanding





Teachers and students visit the Peace Palace in The Hague



Students listening to the guide's explanation at the Dutch House of Representatives (Temporary Chamber), gaining insight into the historical evolution of the rule of law in the Netherlands





Students and teachers take a photo in front of windmills



Students exploring the picturesque village of Zaanse Schans, famous for its iconic windmills and traditional green wooden houses





Students are filled with excitement while visiting the famous Atomium, recognized as the symbol of Brussels



Teachers and students gathering aboard an Amsterdam canal cruise, enjoying non-alcoholic drinks and fresh pizza in the warm sunshine while experiencing a leisurely European lifestyle





Teachers and students making desserts in an interactive workshop at Choco-Story Brussels, immersing themselves in the craftsmanship and history of Belgian chocolate



Teachers and students focusing on making desserts in an interactive workshop at Choco-Story Brussels





Teachers and students taking photos at the Erasmus Bridge, famously known as ‘The Swan’



Students visiting Amsterdam’s NEMO Science Museum, exploring the applications of science, technology, engineering, art, and mathematics (STEAM)





Students looking forward to trying local Dutch cuisine



Students tasting local Belgian cuisine





Students visiting Rotterdam's world-renowned Cube Houses, marveling at their unique and innovative architectural design



Teachers and students taking a group photo in front of the Van Gogh Museum





Students exploring the Van Gogh Museum, learning about the renowned Dutch Post-Impressionist and immersing themselves in the history and emotion behind the canvas