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Our correspondent Chloe Skidmore, Year 8, reports on the day Japanese students visited The Cotswold School

Two weeks ago, a group of Japanese exchange students came to The Cotswold School to spend time in our lessons and listen to what interesting things that we get up to in our lessons. They attended our Design and Technology lesson and our Art lesson. Most of the Japanese students spent their time in the 'fish tank' at break time and lunch. The fish tank is a big room with three sides of the classroom are ceiling to floor windows and this area is generally used by the Year 11s as they are getting nearer there GCSEs. Today the room is our hub for BBC School News Report.

During late lunch I interviewed a girl called Amir who goes to Lakeside school, aged 18. She says her favourite subject is art and when she gets older she wants to become an artist. She says she likes her uniform because instead of a tie she has a bow. She also said in her town where she lives she has no sweet-shops. She has lots of gadgets but her main gadget is a 3DS. She likes lots of lessons and also really likes ICT and she likes puzzles. Her favourite part of the visit was the tour around the School - she said she found that this School was massive. She says that she has two friends and that she really finds them sociable and that at her school there are some people who think they are cool and others who are really silly. She says she learns lots of different art activities – we wish Amir good luck in her art ambitions.