

My Favourite Day at SEKSS (WK)

Writing Competition to Celebrate the 25th Anniversary of SEK School Campus

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My favourite time at SEKSS (WK) would be joining the “Bridge Design Competition”. We were assigned to build a bridge out of wooden sticks that could support weight. Our teacher instructed us to work in groups to build the bridge. My group consisted of four members, including me. A few weeks later, we completed the bridge and then our teacher chose two groups from our class to participate in the “Bridge Design Competition”. Fortunately, our group was chosen. There were only a few days left before the competition when we started working on the bridge. Due to the limited time, we decided to stay after school to finish the bridge.

As the competition was approaching, our excitement grew. We gathered every afternoon to refine our design and our science teachers used to visit us to check our progress. They were friendly and encouraged us to consider how our bridge would meet the competition criteria and withstand weight. Inspired by their feedback, we revisited our design and strengthened it.

Finally, the day of the competition arrived. We felt both nervous and excited. On our way to the competition venue, we practised our group presentation. As we presented our bridge design to the judges, I saw determination, confidence and excitement reflected in our teamwork.

When the results were announced, our hearts raced. Although we didn't take home first place, we received the award for “Best Innovation”. Our teachers were very happy and proud of us. We celebrated not only our hard work, but also the bond we had built throughout the process.

Reflecting on the competition, I realize that the journey was far more enjoyable and rewarding than the outcome itself. I learned that working with others not only leads to creative solutions but also creates lasting memories.