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Students on Erasmus exchange trip

Seventeen students from Joyce Frankland Academy, Newport, spent last week on an Erasmus exchange staying with the families of Dutch students from Charlemagne College in Landgraaf, Netherlands.

Said teacher Tim Rumsey: "Students tried a variety of unusual sports - korfbal, floorball, orienteering and ice skating - as well as visiting Maastricht. The exchange was a great success with one student commenting 'my Dutch family were so nice and I really enjoyed it'.

"We are looking forward to hosting the Dutch students on their return trip in March when they will be playing cricket and rugby among other sports."



County High amends programme for visit of students from China

The coronavirus outbreak in Wuhan has resulted in Saffron Walden County High making changes to their plans for hosting children from China.

Said executive head teacher Caroline Derbyshire on Monday: "We have taken the decision today to amend the programme for the Chinese exchange

"Although the risk posed to anyone at SWCHS is negligible we have amended their visit programme in light of heightened sensitivities around the growing seriousness of the coronavirus outbreak in China. Given the level of 'noise' around the issue in the media generally we felt that a visit to the school

dayweekend.