

Describe someone from another culture(e.g. a friend, a teacher) who you enjoy spending time with.

You should say: (注: 四小问的作用是提供可参考的线索, 不是让考生必须回答四小问)

Who this person is;

What his/her cultural background is;

When and where you met this person;

And explain why you enjoy spending time with this person from another culture.



【补充更新】 认识的不同文化的人 (相对于初版 Part2, 本题题目有做调整, 描述的应该是身边的认识的人。在学校组织的文化活动中认识了一个尼日利亚留学生。本题与“喜欢的节目”、“时尚的人”等题有故事内容重叠)

Last year, I met an **international student** at a **cultural** event organized by our school. Our college invited **foreign students** to **have a deep discussion about cultural differences** and some **trending topics** in China.

As one of the **organizers** of the event, I got to know some **young** people from many countries with **completely** different cultures. One person who **left a mark on me¹** was a **Nigerian** from a rich family. But he's **extremely down to earth** and hilarious.

After the event, we shared a table for **lunch** and I got to know him better. He told me a **lot** about his country. For example, in Nigeria, it is **taboo²** to pass something with the **left hand** because it's considered to be **disrespectful**. Besides, he told me a **funny** story about himself. He said when he visited a Chinese friend's home for the **first** time, he was served a mug of **hot** water. You know, drinking hot water instead of **coffee** or **cold** water was **beyond his understanding**. **He thought his friend was broke or something**. But later he learned that drinking hot water is a **norm** in China. So it was a bit of a **culture shock**.

I **laughed out loud** hearing his story because it was very **amusing** from a Chinese perspective. It's just a **difference** between our cultures and living habits. Anyway, we only met **once**, but I **had a blast** talking to him. Getting to know him not only **made my day³** but also helped me learn **more** about the world.

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¹ left a mark on me: 给我留下了深刻的印象

² taboo: 忌讳

³ made my day: 让我非常开心