

IN THE CLASSROOM



Once more, the Notre Dame Distinguished Scholars Program continued its participation in the Advanced Studies Program at Brasenose College, University of Oxford.

With most of her classmates having attended in Summer 2022, **Ashley Guerrero '24** singlehandedly represented ND and found herself as the only American in an international student body with Lithuanian, Greek, Italian, Brazilian, Turkish, Spanish and German students. For two weeks she studied Medicine and Psychology in small, traditional Oxford “tutorials.” The daily classes varied in approach from discussing and analyzing human behavior, investigating the different anatomical systems, learning medical terminology, watching video footage of live surgery, examining case-studies and writing cumulative reflective essays at the end of the session.

Click [HERE](#) to read more about the Oxford experience!



In preparation for their freshman year, members of the Class of 2027 had the opportunity to participate in a three week summer enrichment program here on Jefferson Street. With courses taught by ND faculty members, these students worked on skills that will support their academic success during high school while also acclimating to the building and ND community!

The program was underwritten through the generous support of a Lancer alumnus who recognized the value in helping incoming freshmen transition to life at Notre Dame.

Course options included: Foundational Algebra taught by **Mr. DiPalma**, Study Skills taught by **Mrs. McEnaney**, Public Speaking taught by **Mr. Rockett**, and Introduction to Foreign Language at the High School Level taught by **Mrs. Anderson-Zaczkowski**.



Horizons Notre Dame

We had a busy summer here on Jefferson Street thanks to our flourishing Horizons program! With hands-on field trips, fun-filled activities and supportive classrooms, the halls of Notre Dame were filled with laughter and learning. We look forward to seeing everyone back next year!



Horizons provides a tuition-free six-week program to students who qualify based upon academic testing data and income qualifications. All students in Notre Dame’s program live in Bridgeport and attend both public and Catholic elementary schools. Started in 2019, Horizons ND, part of a larger national network, has added one grade per summer and currently offers K-5 enrollment. Special thanks to the ND students who volunteered throughout the summer to support the program, which is entirely funded through grants and private donations!



Join us in welcoming our Athletic Trainer & Assistant Athletic Director, **Michael Cody**, to his new position as Integrated Science Teacher. Michael has proven himself to be an essential member of the Lancer family and we look forward to his continued success here at ND!