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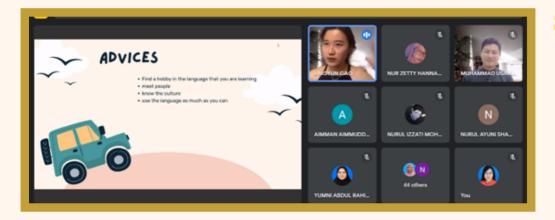
## CULTURAL INSIGHTS SERIES 2: EXPLORING FRANCOPHONY WITH GUEST SPEAKER MISS LINGYUN GAO

The French Language Club of Universiti Teknologi MARA Cawangan Pulau Pinang hosted its second cultural and intercultural dialogue via Google Meet on June 21, 2023, from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. The primary objective of this event was to exchange experiences and insights regarding 'Francophony' culture. We were honoured to have Miss Lingyun Gao as our esteemed guest speaker for the occasion. With proficiency in three languages - French, English, and Mandarin - she brought a unique perspective on French-speaking countries and their cultures. Having obtained her Master's degree in didactics of languages in 2019, she currently pursues her passion for language, specifically in the realm of natural language processing. Lingyun Gao's linguistic prowess extends to her role as an official examiner for the DELF A1 to DALF C1 French proficiency tests. Furthermore, she has collaborated with France Education International in conceiving and developing online training modules for the organisation's platform. Presently, she resides in Paris.



The event commenced with an address from the moderator, Miss Nur Zetty Hannan Binti Zulkhairi. Following this, the guest speaker delved into her individual and educational journey, shedding light on the hurdles encountered while mastering the French language. She also offered insights into her life in France. Subsequently, practical suggestions were proffered to aid those learning French. As a culminating activity, an engaging quiz took place,

and the victors were rewarded with Texas Chicken vouchers.



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