Hi. The temperature has risen and there are many nice days. In my school, the courtyard is officially open, so I sometimes have lunch or take a class there.

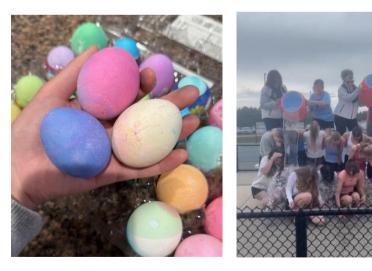
## 1. Easter

Easter is a Christian holiday that commemorates the resurrection of Jesus Christ. It was April 20 this year. I went to church with my host family and then we had lunch together. We don't have any little kids in the house, so we didn't go egg hunting. But one of the brothers and I did egg painting a day before easter. We put the boiled eggs in the colored water and made a design. I made a marble design and that is my favorite.

## 2. Tennis

I really enjoy being a part of a tennis team. Our coaches and friends are nice, and our season is going well so far. I have a match twice a week. I usually play as a second or third doubles player. Our biggest match was against the school in the next town. We were losing for several years but we won this year!

Most school sport teams have two different teams, which are divided by players' skills, called "Varsity" and "JV (Junior Varsity)". The best part of my tennis team is varsity and jv have more opportunity to become closer. The cheerleading team, which I was on last two seasons, also had varsity and jv, but I feel like they are two different teams. But this time we did a lot of teams bonding together and cheered each other's games. We had team yoga, dinner, poster-making and an ice bucket challenge. Those were so much fun, I wish I had met them earlier.



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