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Prompt: “Imagine that you have the opportunity to travel back in time. Choose a point in history in which you would choose to live and write your life story.”

**My Time Travel**

If I can choose a point in history which I want to go back and live again, I would like to go back to the first year in a university. Now, I will tell you my new story when I was a freshman.

Today is September 1st, 2009. After the college entrance examination, I go to my new university. I feel relaxed and happy. This is the first year, and I have a lot of free time and without pressure from exam like I was in high school. However, this time I understand that I need to learn more not just learn from the course. This time, I know what I should do during the university. I know my goal. I study hard at the basic course; I do not think they are useless anymore. When I have free time, I go to part-time job or to be a volunteer in the Bird Nest.

The second year, I learn some of academic courses, and I work with my professor in his lab to learn more. Here, a very important point was shown: my school gives us an opportunity to study abroad in Oakland University. I know it will happen, but I think after I finish my junior year then come here is better for me. So, the third year I study English very hard, and I will pass the TOEFL test before I come to Oakland University.

Then, except studying, during these times I will keep work out every day. I think I will still play computer games with my friends, but I will not spend too much time on that. Playing with my friends was a really good time, but if I play too much, it is a waste of time. I need time to do other things which are good for my future.

Lastly, when the last year is coming, I go to Oakland University to start my new travel. In fact, I do not know my life story yet. Maybe I will tell you later, but I believe that my story will be very interesting and the future will be bright.