

Dear Learn Quebec,

I, Debbie Fitopoulos, was one of the lucky participants chosen for the 2018-2019 Medicine and Health week at Encounters With Canada. My wonderful experience is entirely owed to you.

First and most importantly, I would like to thank you for giving me, my friend Panorea, and the other brilliant students the opportunity to join this program. I strongly believe that it is programs such as this one that enrich our education and help broaden our knowledge on our country and the beauty of its diversity. One of the things that astonished me the most was that despite all of us being Canadian, we were all so different in in so many ways. My week there was full of interesting activities aimed at meeting new people and discovering more about my dream career and future aspirations. These activities encouraged me to break through my shell and make kind, intelligent friends, many of which I continue to communicate with today, a month after my trip. All in all, my time in Ottawa and my memories made, will forever be close to my heart.

Once again, many thanks for this generous life changing opportunity. I urge you to continue giving other young, aspiring students the same incredible chance you gave to me.

Sincerely,

Debbie Fitopoulos, LaurenHill Academy (EMSB)

