Fall Break and Friends

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Fall Break is that time of year that most students get excited about. They look forward to not having classes for three days, sleeping in, staying up late and most importantly, fun with their friends.

This year, several of the students from Southeastern University went on trips or adventures over the Fall Break, including, Natalie Zacek an assistant admission counselor, at went to Paris, France for a work trip. Her favorite part of her adventure in Paris was experiencing a different culture.

One of the big cultural differences that Natalie noticed was how people in France were very fast-paced until it came to dining. "When we had dinners there, it was common to sit outside and take your time. We spent hours at dinner. We enjoyed the food and atmosphere. It was a refreshing experience," said Natalie.

Natalie gushed about how great it was to be with friends. "Honestly, my favorite part about the trip was that I spent it with close friends. That would be my recommendations for other students, to spend it with close friends!" she said



Image Credit: Natalie Zacek

Natalie and friend standing in front of the EiffelTower.

Another student took a different route for her Fall Break: road tripping! A girl's road trip is an unspoken rule in the girl's guide to college. It is one of those messy hair, don't care, singing at the top of your lungs to boy bands you loved in middle school and high school, and a lot of laughing until you are crying.

Maegan Westall is a resident assistant in Aventura and is also on leadership for SEU Worship; Maegan and her roommate decided to drive to her roommate's home in Georgia, but then decided it sounded like fun to take a girl's road trip, too, for a couple of days.

"I was surprised at the amount of people who were visiting Nashville. I was also surprised at how expensive everything was," said Maegan.

"We were also able to complete everything we has planned to do." said Maegan

Despite the cold and higher expenses, Maegan would still recommend others to visit

Nashville. "Driving through the mountains was absolutely beautiful." she said



Image Credit: Maegan Westall

Maegan at the Parthenon in Nashville at Centennial Park.

Even if you don't do a trip abroad, or even have a girl's road trip, it is important for an individual to surround themselves with great friends and have some fun and to decompress before the second half of the semester.