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Meet our new Auxiliars for the year 2023-2024!

Hello! My name is Brittany and I am from Los Angeles, California. I am working in CEIP Gloria Fuertes of Jaén this year to help students learn the English language, as well as to share American culture and teach students about the culture and traditions of English speaking places around the world. I am very excited and happy to be here, and I can't wait to get to know all of the amazing students in this school!





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Hello, my friends! My name is Austin. I come from the "Big Apple", also known as New York City, a magical place in The United States of America. I now live in Jaén with my adorable shiba inu son, Bolt, and work at CEIP Gloria Fuertes to help students learn the English language and have fun doing it! I hope to share interesting facts about my country whilst also learning of genuine Spanish culture and improving my own Spanish-speaking skills. I hope to have a positive impact on these talented and magnificent kids. Let's all have a wonderful school year!





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REFLECTION OF THE WEEK:

“The beginning is always today.”

~ Mary Shelley



REFLEXIÓN DE LA SEMANA:

“El comienzo es siempre hoy.”

~ Mary Shelley





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Mary Shelley

The quote for this month’s reflection comes from English novelist **Mary Shelley**. She lived from August 30, 1797 – February 1, 1851. She was married to Percy Bysshe Shelley who was a famous English poet. The couple was traveling with some friends in the Swiss Alps and on one rainy night, the group decided to try writing ghost stories for fun. This led to Mary Shelley writing what became her most famous novel, *Frankenstein*. Frankenstein has become one of the most recognizable figures in Halloween culture.





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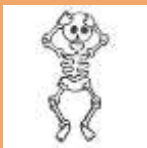


Halloween Reflection

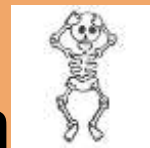


**“Halloween is an opportunity
to be really creative”**

- Judy Gold (American Comedian)



Reflexión de Halloween



**“Halloween es una oportunidad
para ser realmente creativo”**

- Judy Gold (Comediante estadounidense)



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Presentation about Halloween in the world

At school, Brittany showed the classes a presentation about how Halloween is celebrated in different countries of the world. She showed them Halloween songs from the United States. She also showed them some of the typical activities done on Halloween, which include dressing up in costumes, carving pumpkins into jack-o-lanterns, and going trick or treating with friends.

She told the students a story about Halloween when she was their age with pictures. She taught and revised some Halloween vocabulary with the students (Pumpkin, Bat, Costume, Witch, etc.).





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Brittany also shared a presentation on Halloween in California. She talked about how it is popular to visit theme parks like Disneyland and Universal Studios to see the decorations. She also talked about how she likes to visit the pumpkin patch every year. She even shared a picture of her and her cat’s costumes!





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Later in the class, Brittany handed out some pictures to colour. The class got to color in a Happy Halloween page!



As well as the coloring activities, the classes were able to enjoy a Halloween word search with the vocabulary words they learned!





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Austin shared how he celebrated Halloween when he was a child, like baking cookies in Halloween-themed shapes (bat, ghost, pumpkin, etc.) with his Grandma He then helped them to learn Halloween vocabulary words. He played fun Halloween music while doing interactive activities. He even danced for the students!



Halloween in New York City is a wonderful time. Austin shared what this holiday is like in there. There are parades and parties and events that you only experience in New York City.



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For example... Did you know that there is an annual "Doggie Costume" Contest in New York City? The dog with the best costume wins! When Austin's dog, Bolt, was a puppy, his costume was a lion. Look how cute he was. ROAR!



For Halloween at C.E.I.P. Gloria Fuertes, Austin came as a monkey! When he was a little boy, his mother gave him the nickname "Monkey." It was the perfect choice for him wear as a costume for the kids. He danced with the students and they had a fantastic time!



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Halloween decorations in the school

The teachers and students made some amazing decorations this year!

One class decorated their door like a mummy!



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The doors were also decorated for the preprimary classes!



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And on *Halloween* ... the whole school dressed up!



CEIP Gloria Fuertes wishes you a Happy Halloween!



