Confucius Institute at the University of Texas at San Antonio participates in the International Festival at Northwest Vista College

On November 18, 2015, Confucius Institute at the University of Texas at San Antonio (UTSA) was invited to participate in the International Festival, which was held at Northwest Vista College.

At the Chinese culture booth, the beautiful decorations, such as Chinese knot, colorful kite and red big lantern, attracted many students and staff to know about Chinese culture. Confucius Institute prepared many interesting interactive games- "Chinese calligraphy", "paper-cut", "play drum", for UTSA teachers and students to have a happy Chinese culture experience. The teachers and students learned simple Chinese phrases like “hello”, “goodbye”, and “china”, and learned to use "four treasures of the study" to write their Chinese names and Chinese characters. When a girl discovered the Chinese characters on water cloth disappeared, she praised, “So cool!” and “Amazing!”
Tai Chi performances as final show on the stage were the climax of the International Festival. Many students were absorbed with the smooth beautiful performance, which showed the essence of Chinese culture.

The event lasted from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. While the festival was coming to an end, many excited participants still gathered in the exhibition area of Confucius Institute.

This event enhanced the reputation of Confucius Institute in the Northwest Vista College and further enhanced the friendship between each other. In the end, the organizers said, "thank you, see you next year"!