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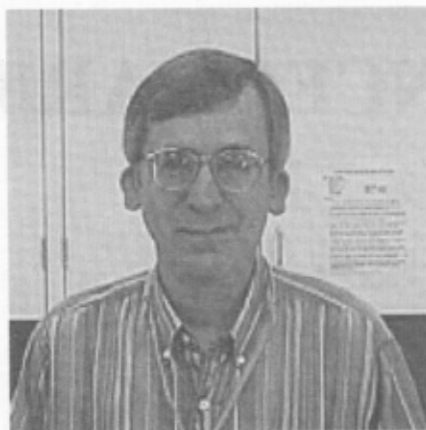
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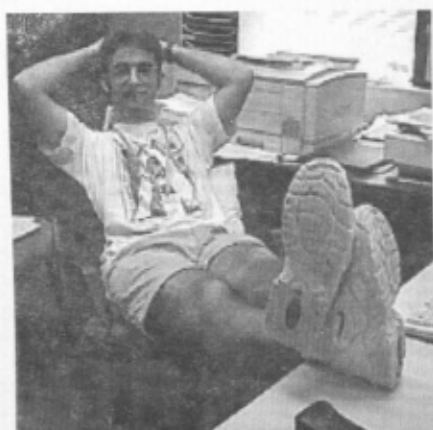
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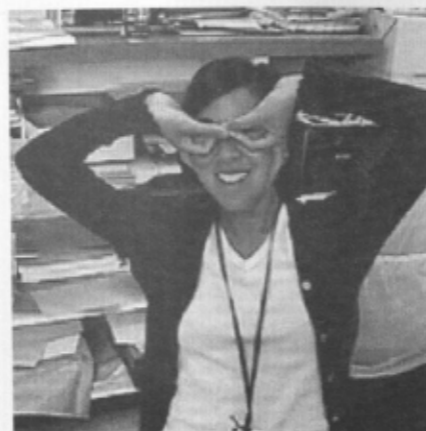
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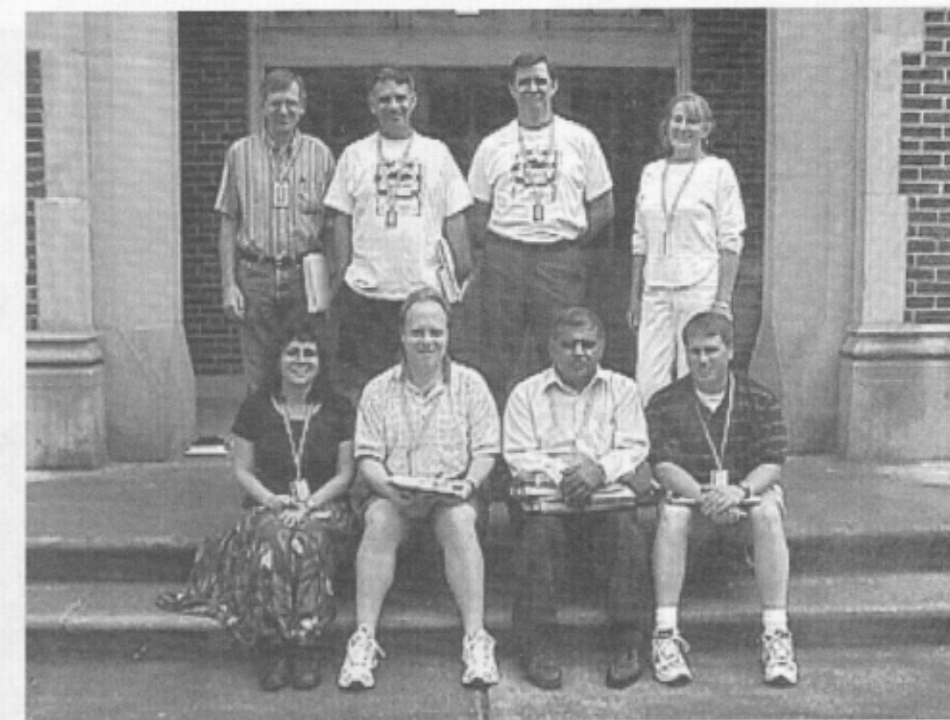


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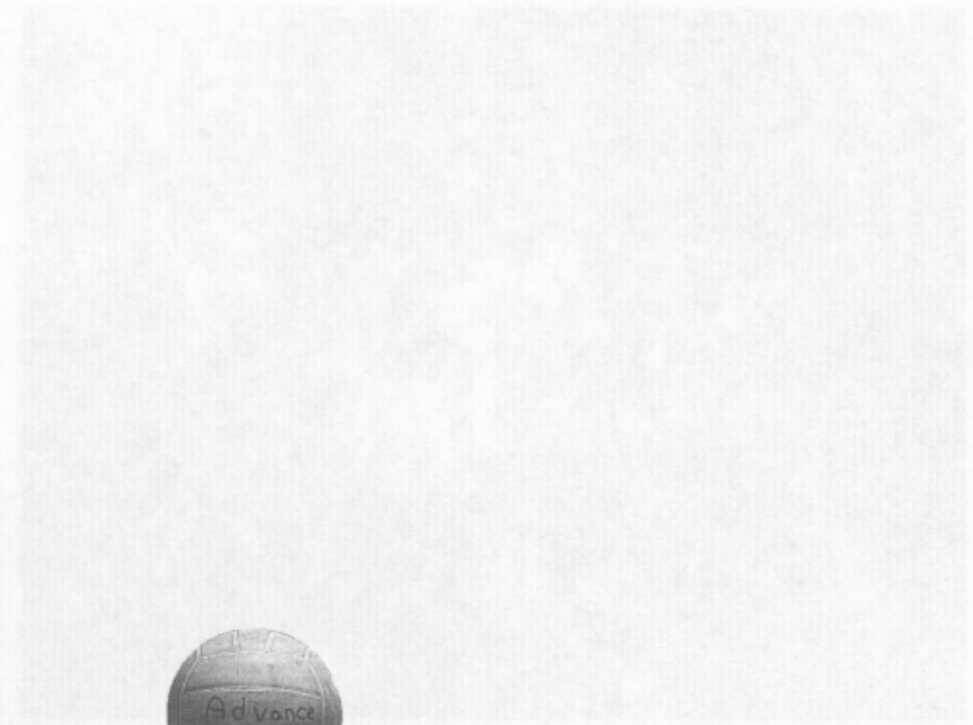
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CLASSES

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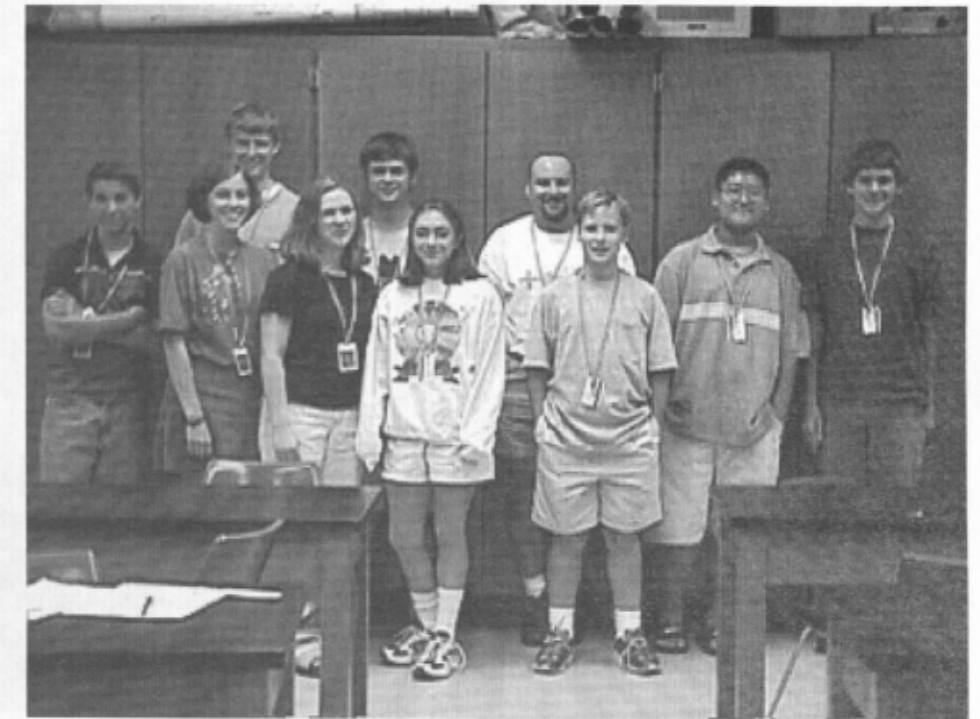
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Astrophysics Instructor: Mr. Lee Powell

"You know your society is destined to fail if we feel the need to make aerosol cheese."

—Mr. Powell

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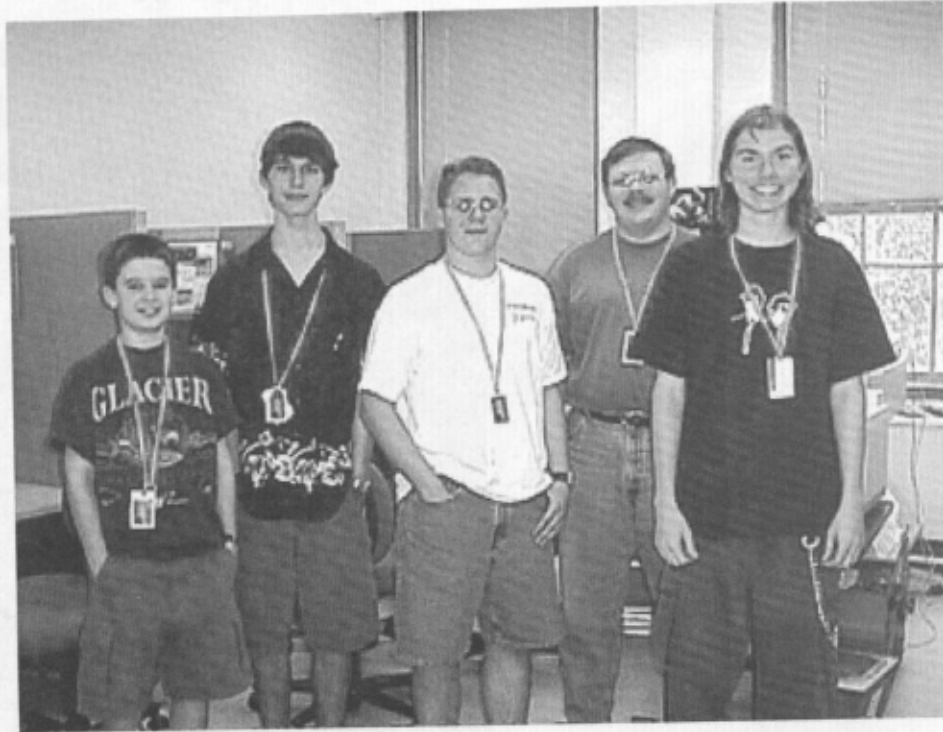
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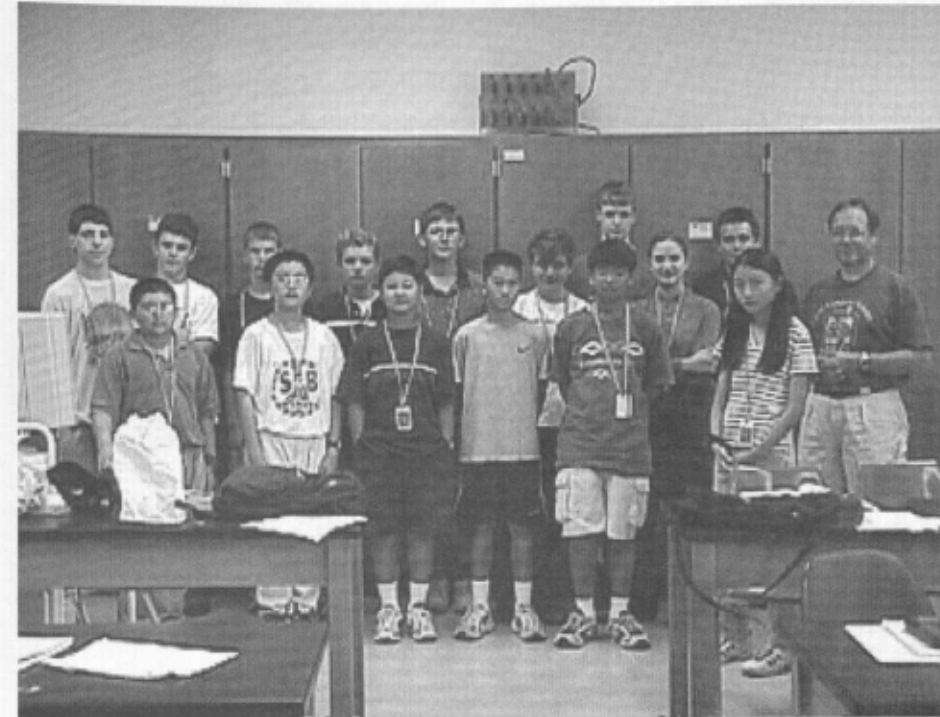
Chemistry Instructor: Dr. Randy Mehlenbacher



"I'm gonna stop making bad jokes or Nghi will write them all down."
—Dr. Mehlenbacher

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Computer Science Instructor: Mr. Dave Anderson



"Now you can play computer with the computer playing computer."
—Mr. Anderson

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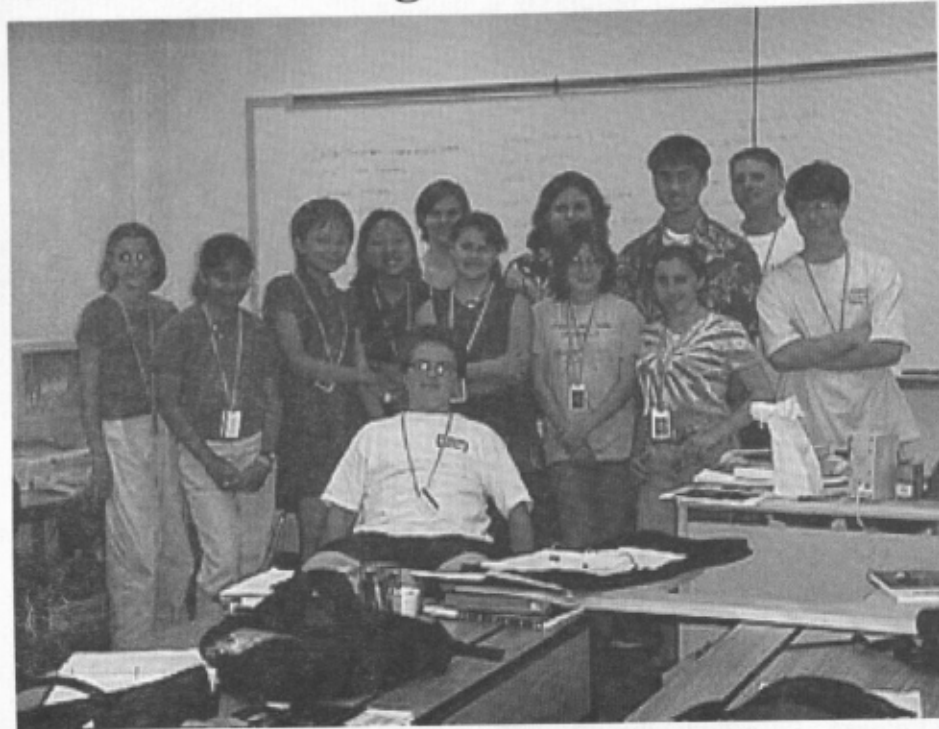
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Creative Writing

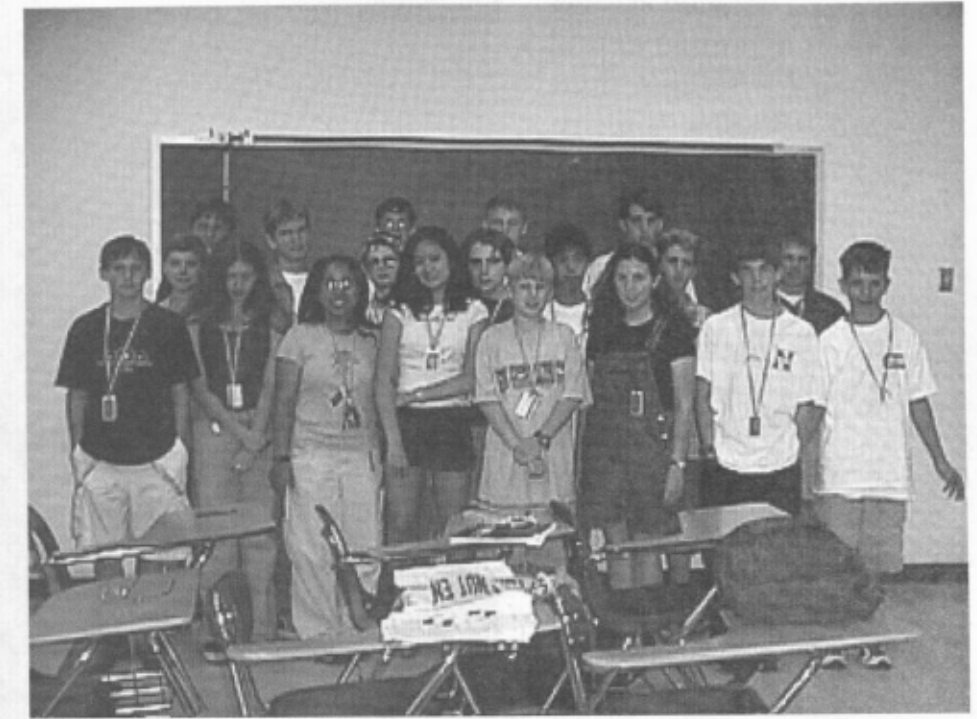
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Instructor: Dr. Dean Bertram



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Film Studies

Instructor: Dr. Granger Babcock

"Adolescent brains are full of seething chemicals, MUGWUMPS!"

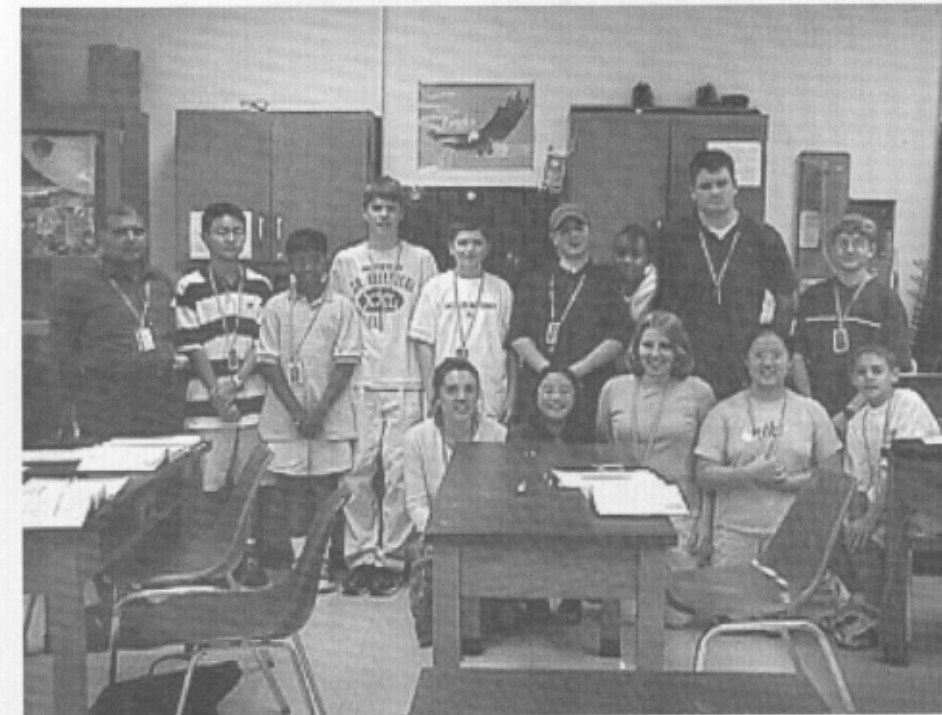
—Dr. Babcock

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Geometry I

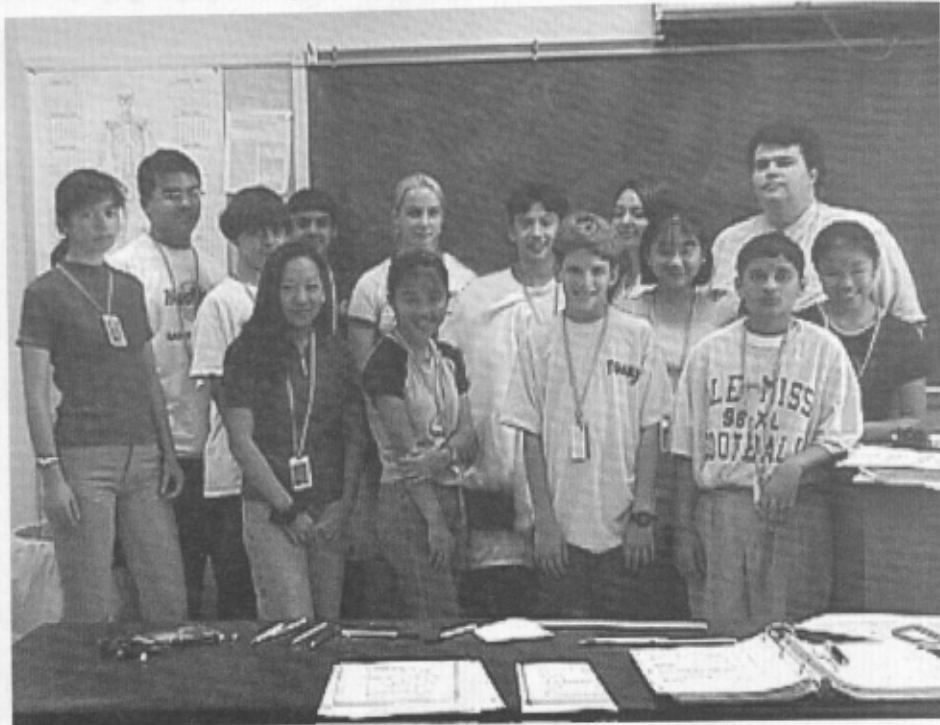
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Physics Instructor: Dr. Leon Hsu

"In Pittsburgh we ask for rides saying, 'Can you ride me home?'"
 —Leon Hsu

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Latin I Instructor: Dr. David Wood



"Why does that remind me of Michael Jackson?"
 —Dr. Wood

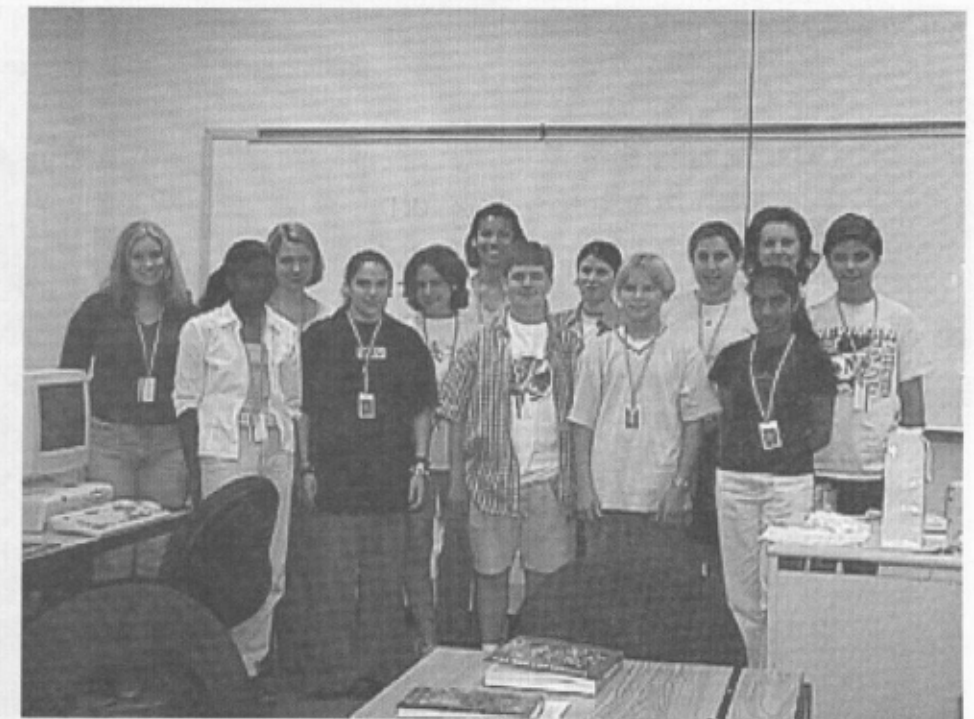
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Introduction to Psychology Instructor: Ms. Jo Anne Forrest

"I'd rather be kicked to death by Norwegians than watch a Barney film."

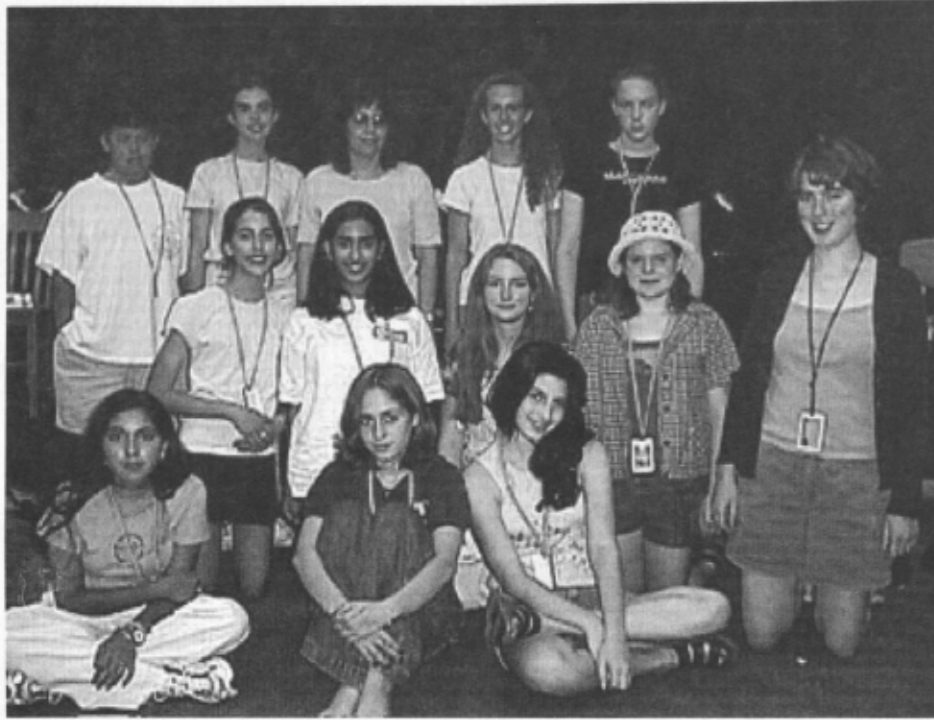
—Ms. Forrest

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Shakespeare and Performance

Instructor: Dr. Nahla Beier



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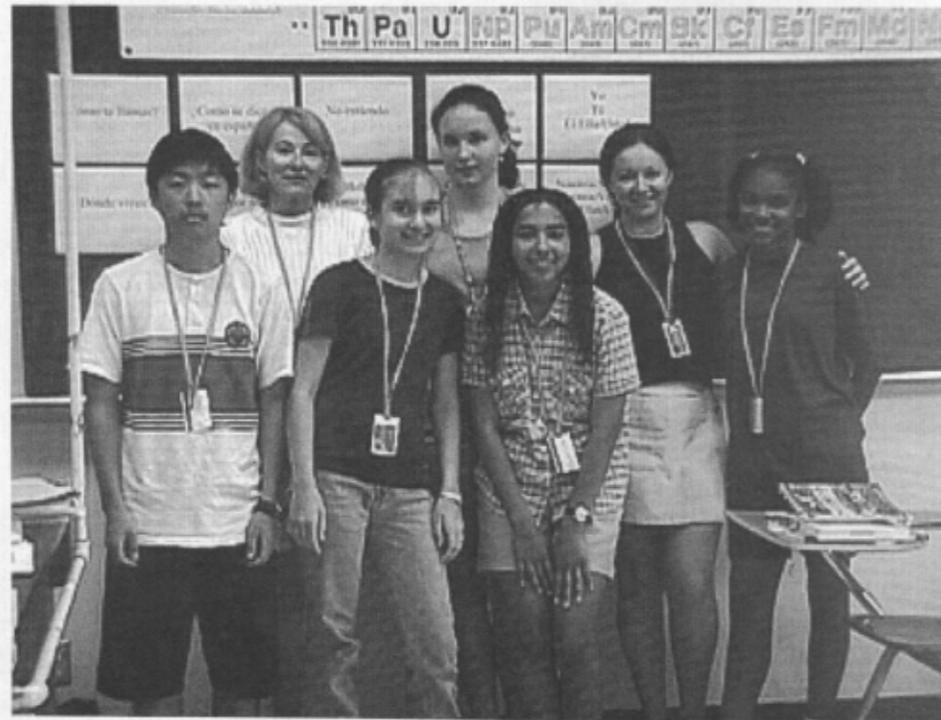
Spanish I

Instructor: Ms. Susan Seeling

"Pequeños pero fuertes"

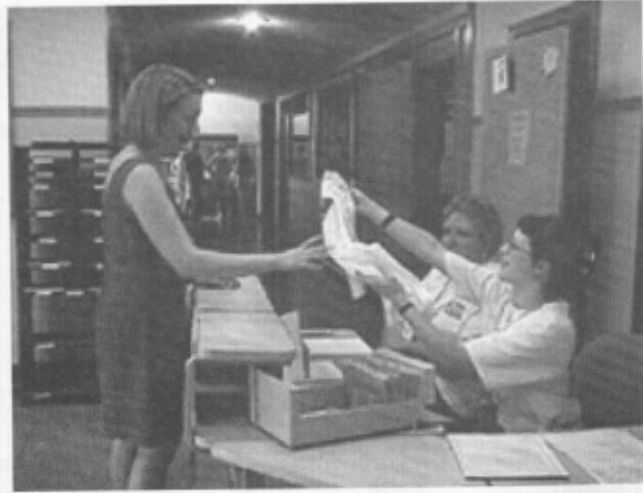
—Señora Seeling

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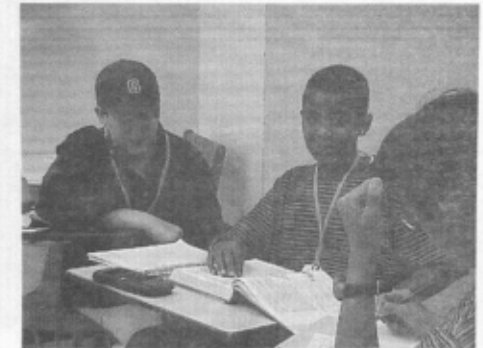
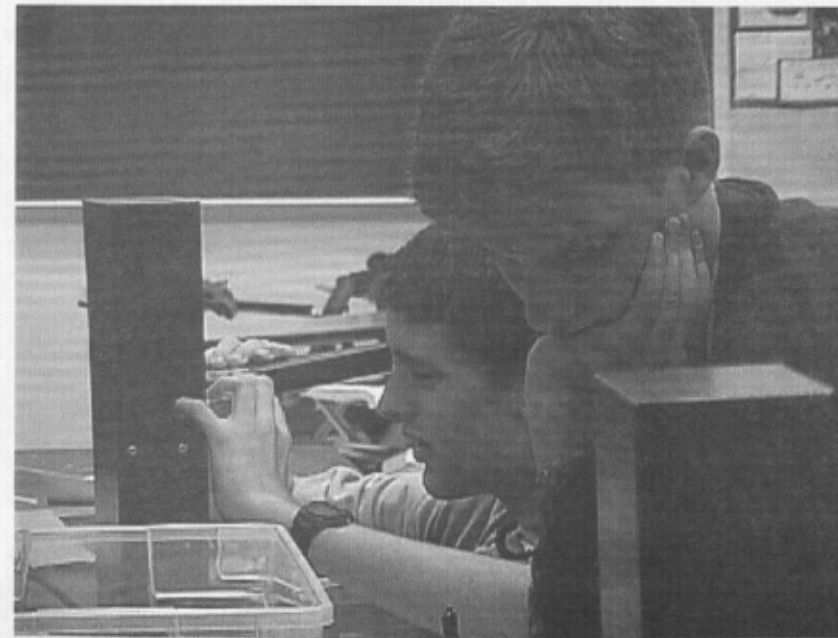
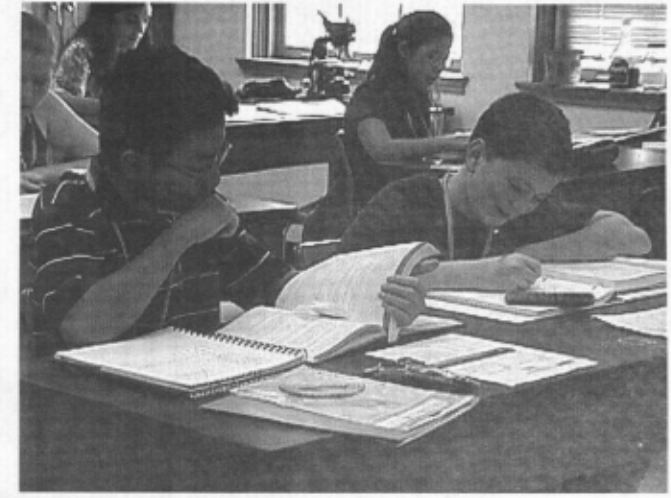


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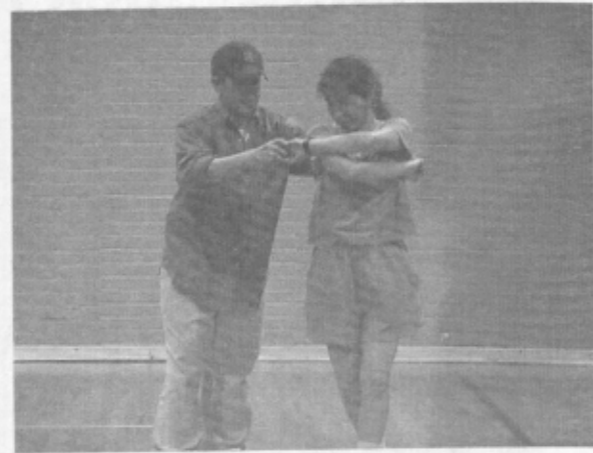
Day One — Moving In



**“All work and no play
makes Jack a dull boy.” — The Shining**



Evening Activities



Mess Fest

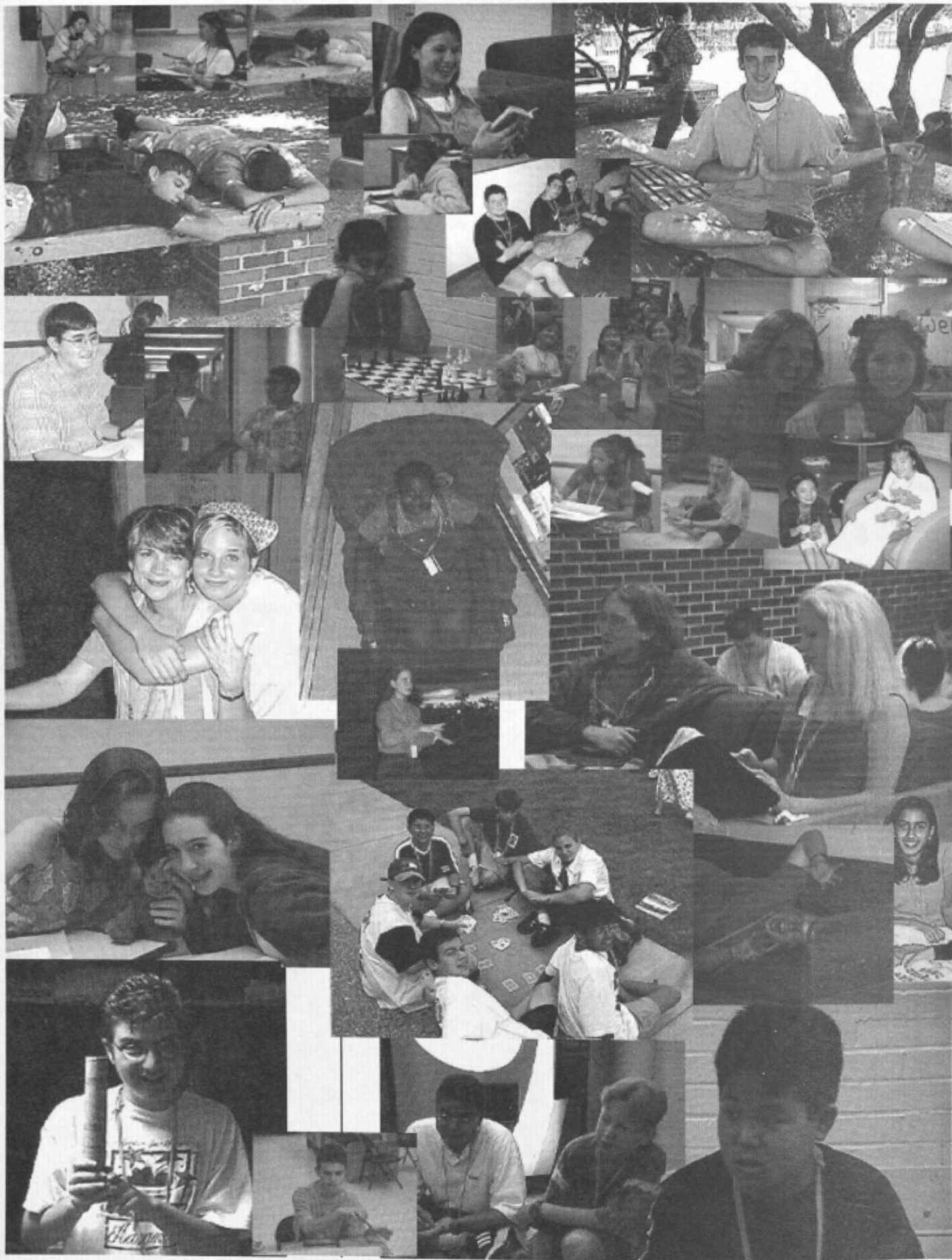


Average ADVANCE Boy

My mother wrote some of this and it is basically accurate. Messy haired random guy. I am deep fan of paleontology. I don't like to do nothing; I like to be busy. I enjoy meeting new and different people and experiencing different lifestyles. My main concern is that I have a roommate whose musical interests aren't as broad as mine. I also smell good and take showers every day. I like the outdoors, photography, hiking, canoeing, and I'm from Canada. I express myself through my music and writing. Why don't I just tell you about my career plans? Assertive, healthy, social. Sometimes I can become a little too competitive, esp. when it comes to sports. I am on the tennis team for my middle school. I'm usually full of energy. I am a student that just won't quit at anything. I'm the youngest of four boys—we're all tall. I am short and heavy-set 5'7", 130 lbs., brown eyes and hair. I would not like a "grungie" for a roommate. I like clean people. I enjoy the same activities most teenagers do, but I also try to stay on top of current events and the stock market. I love to keep up with politics and I am a right wing conservative. Weird. I think I'm compatible with many different people and am also a religious man. Also, I idolize Jimi Hendrix. I am an Asian teen who loves soccer. My parents come from Argentina, and I can speak the Spanish language. I do not want to room with someone taking math, they frighten me. I work well in groups and independently. I do try to talk to people I don't know, but if it isn't going anywhere, I tend to shut up. Eat a lot. I smile constantly—some of my friends say that the muscles in my cheeks are too short, so I can't frown. I am like magic—you have to see me in person to believe me. My rapier-like wit is my greatest trait. I am also interested in "weird" stuff like lucid dreaming. I am an only child, so I am used to entertaining myself. I hope some day to go to Princeton. I can play the viola and the piano. It's really hard to know what to say in this situation, because I don't want to be either arrogant or self-depreciating. I am interested in card tricks and juggling. When I have to study, I need peace and quiet. I don't enjoy sports much. Favorite sports are soccer and basketball. My goal in life is to be a lawyer. Also, I learn from my mistakes. I am a bilingual, multi-ethnic, twelve-year old boy in the seventh grade. I hate talking about myself—hate is such a strong word. I am more of an inside person. I'll probably bring my guitar.

Average ADVANCE Girl

I like to be with my friends and in groups. I am the oldest of three children. I am usually very optimistic and I'm very photogenic. I am also an avid clarinet player. I can't stand bums or messy people. If one dares me to do something, I'd most likely do it. I love funny and crazy people, but I really hate wannabes and conceited people. I am short. My skin tone is bright. I become hyper around hyper people. I attempt to dominate people and can often be overly offensive to very religious people. I am a nice, pretty Christian girl. I don't know. I am a total theatre freak. Ich bin eine drama chica. I also love to sing (la!) really loudly (LALALA!!!) Sometimes I must have time for myself or I'll explode! I LOVE chocolate. I am also very easily embarrassed. I don't like people who pretend to be beyond their age. I care a lot about human rights all over the world and here in the United States. I believe life should be lived to the fullest. I have a dog named Zydeco. I want to be an architect when I grow up. I like doing mostly anything esp. playing Ultimate. I like to eat a lot. Don't eat meat. I hate normality and conformity. I'm an Indian. I need at least eight hours of sleep. I'm definitely a "cat person." Also, I'm not the most "normally" dressed person. I do what I feel like doing at the moment, and I haven't a care for what anyone will think of me for it. I am a perfectionist. I enjoy engaging myself in artistic hobbies and projects. I'm not picky and I like just about everything. I'm a "dark" person. I would like my roommate to be kind, funny, likes music, and doesn't like physical violence. I really don't like hard-core rock music or that awful devil-worshipping music. My hobbies include collecting pencils, key rings, and animorph books. When I'm not doing something productive I like to sleep. I am known to be materialistic and spoiled. I love to goof off, I am NOT a serious person. I have obtained a black belt in karate. I loved ADVANCE last year. I sometimes snore and talk in my sleep. I'm a drama-queen who loves attention. I hope to become famous for being the first Chinese female to do something. Psychology is my main source of fun. Islamic. Someday I want to be a doctor, actress, or singer. Oh—and completely randomly, my favorite color is pink. In other words, I'm strange and enjoy it. I am me. The end.



RA GROUPS

Adam "Los Bombardos del Dios"



(back to front, left to right)
 Stephen Hardy
 Jonathon Lo
 Perry Tsai
 Alex Yang
 Jeremy Rusen
 Ian Dagg
 Vijay Nijjar
 Taylor Smith
 Han Kim
 Adam Francis (RA)
 Neil Mathew
 John Rozier
 Steven Liu
 (not pictured: Aaron Askew (TA))

April "The Brown-Eyed Girls Minus April"



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 Esther Moody (TA)
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 Susan Fang
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 Beth Zweig
 Ifrah Jamil
 Ally Nevarez
 Lauren Truxillo
 Marianna Barry
 Anna Mathai
 Amy O'Gorman
 Nisha Shah

Amanda "Bryan Lovin' Bananas"

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 Ashley Becnel
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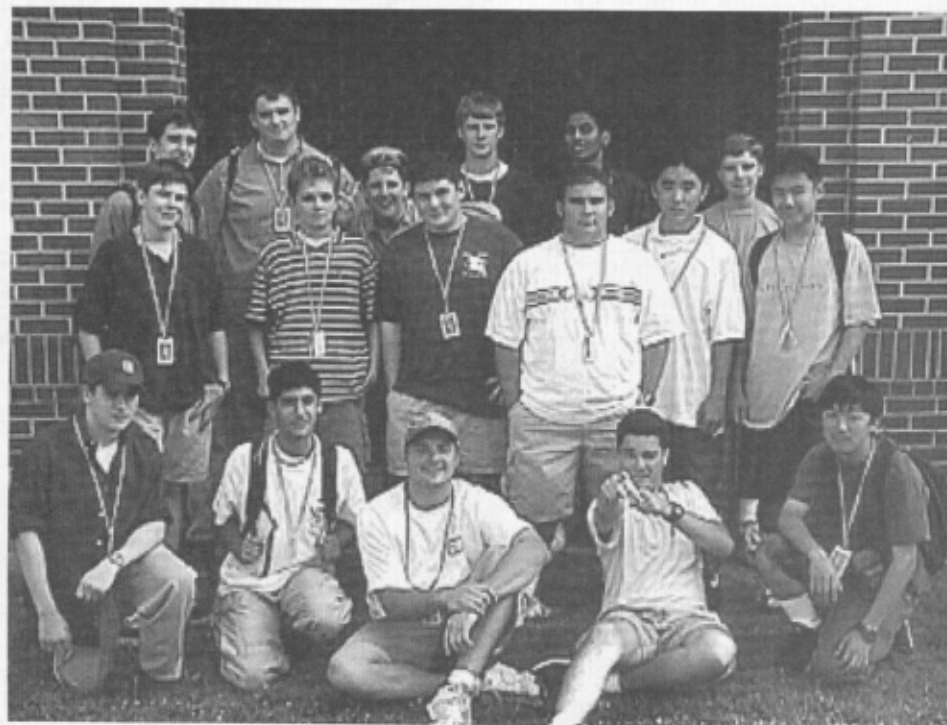
Bryan "The Knights who say Wamiq"



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 Bryan Miller (RA)
 Buck Farmer
 George Yang
 Alex de la Barre
 Trent Tilley
 Jonathon Zweig
 Jen Benoit (TA)
 Russell Schafer
 Eli Horne
 Ryan Walker
 Stephen Liaw
 Wamiq Jamil
 John Byrne
 Kevin Bellanger

Chris "Sgt. Gleason's Privates"

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 Clayton Critcher
 Joshua Elder
 Cory de la Guardia
 Andrew Bezet
 Deepaq Chander
 Tanguy Holcombe
 Jordan Gibson
 Brooks Johnson
 Blake Nolan
 Allen Geer
 Jason Huang
 James Kuk
 Eugenio Labadie
 Anand Chhabra
 Chris Gleason (RA)
 Dan Hypes (TA)
 Michael Hong



Dale "Dale's Disciples"

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 Jeff Fockler (TA)
 Dale Clingerman (RA)
 Andrew Toups (airbound)
 Debroj Panday
 Bobby Fedora
 John Paul Young
 David Bordson-Bozzo
 Jason Park
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 Rishi Bhanot
 Simon Krueger



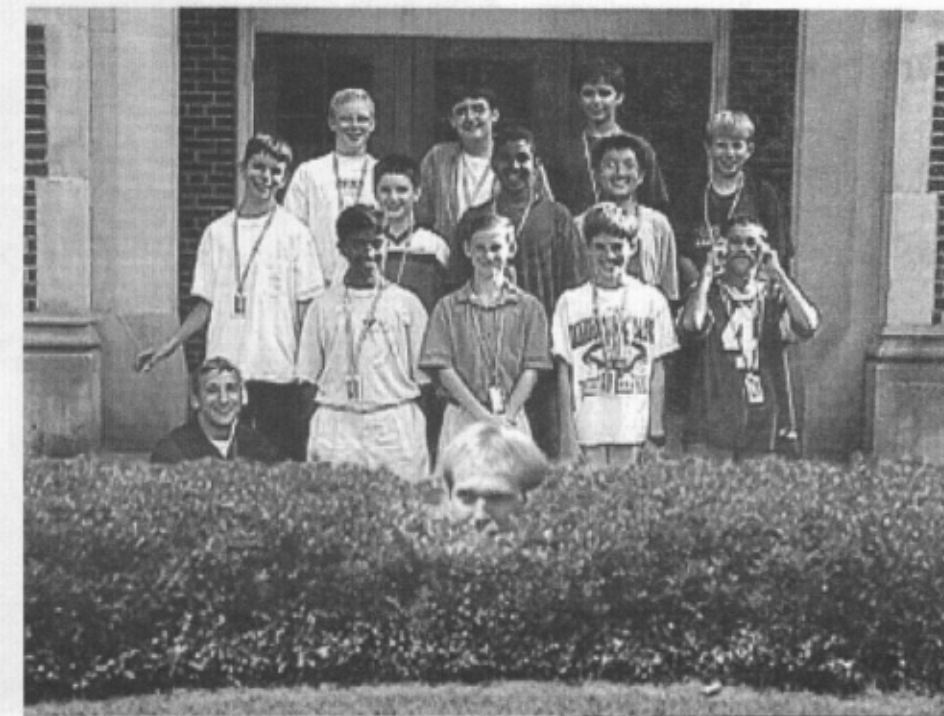
Christina "The Nymphs"



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 Allison Jenkins
 Georgetta Lang
 Christina Albritton
 Paige Harrington
 Megan Langhoff
 Jenny Fain
 Sim Berry
 Camille Patti
 Karen Friedman
 Carrie Goodson
 Ruby Ho
 In the window:
 Lindsay Franks (TA)
 Christina Little (RA)

John "Mommy! Mommy! John made me a Commie!"

(back to front, left to right)
 Adam Wyatt
 Patrick Decker
 James Page
 Ian Riggerberg
 Eric Ferraro
 Cliff Harris
 Yonas Yamanes
 Shi Chen
 John Allen (RA)
 Arjun Reddy
 Anthony Breaux
 Kevin Marshall
 Pablo Guth
 Troy Clough (TA—in the bushes)

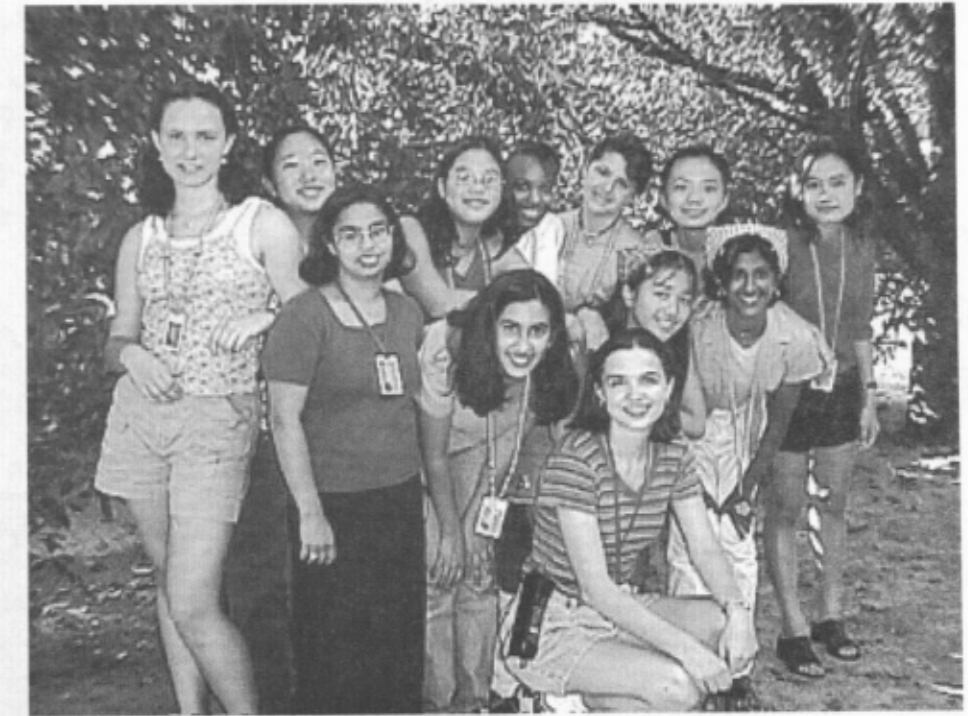


Katie "The Evil Ick-Slayers"



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 Jenée Duplantis
 Evelyn Scarborough
 Alana Cuellar
 Ashlee Mouton
 Nikki Roach

Mary "There's Something About Mary"



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 Chevron French
 Amanda Pooler
 Erqi Liu
 Kimie Bunya
 Shivangee Dalal (TA)
 Sara Hakeem
 Jojo Chan
 Rosa Mathai
 Mary Wood (Head RA)

Lauren "Future Wenches of America"

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 Lilly Rowland
 Stacy Dickerman
 Ashley Flanagan
 Patti Bunya
 Julie Cohen
 (with Gabriel de Camel)
 Whitney Kay Emmons
 (with LUVV)
 Haritha Akkaraju
 Ali Culotta
 Lauren Foster (RA)
 Ann Glaviano
 Christi Baker
 Katherine Jones (TA)



Mike "12 Apostles"



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 Alex Shahla
 Rafael Kakazu
 Matthew O'Gorman
 Alvin Leung
 Nick Antoniou
 Rishy Mehrotra
 Mike Truxillo (RA)
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Misty "Truth or Dare"

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 Kathy Lee
 Jessica Hughes
 Nghi Dinh (TA)
 Meaghen Couvillon
 Amber Allyson Board
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 Natalie Hudson



Scotty "The Riccola Mafia"

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 Moneer Helu
 Jack Parker
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 Jean Nguyen
 Malike Greene
 Chevron French
 Cassan Pulaski

Thu "Thu Hot to Handle"

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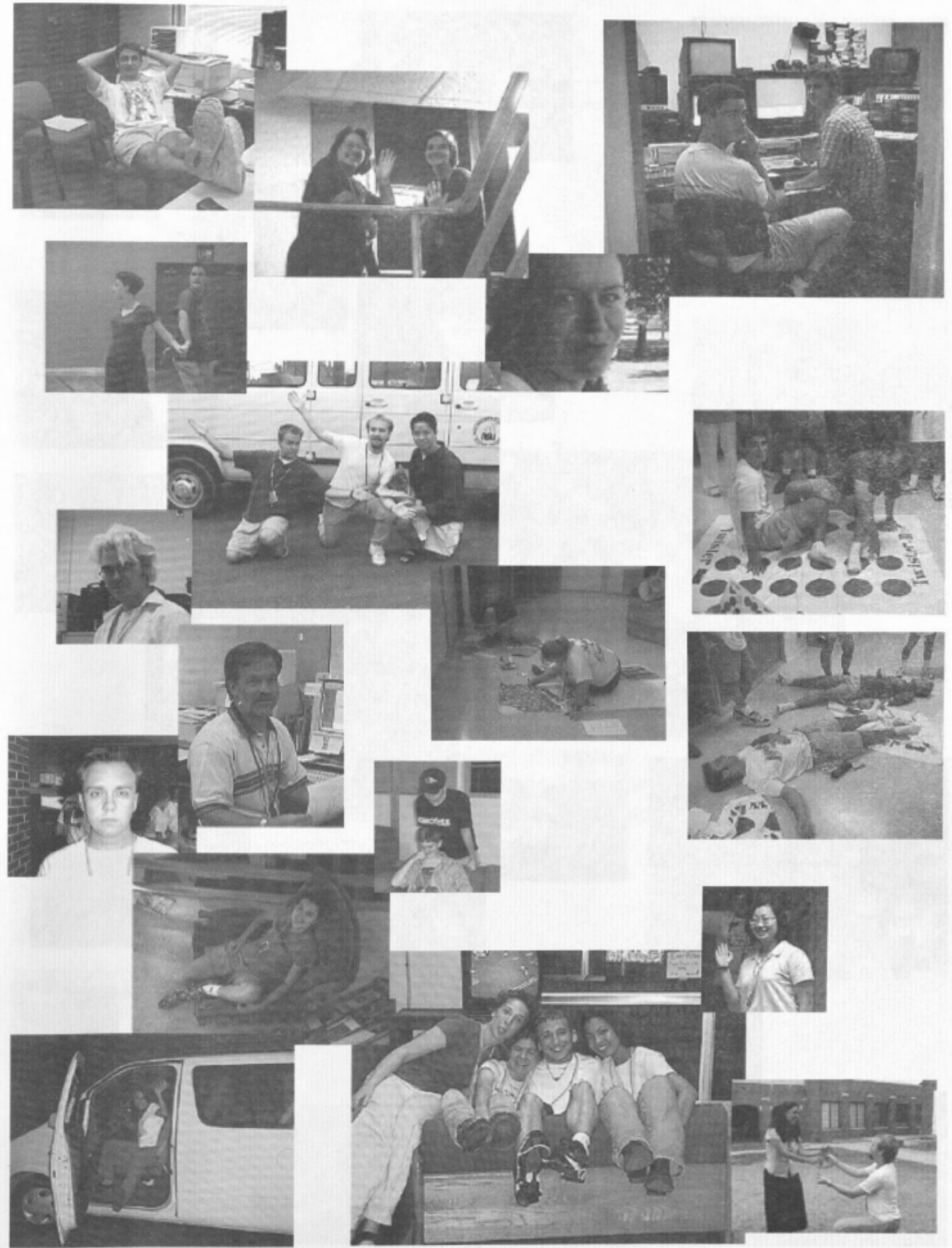


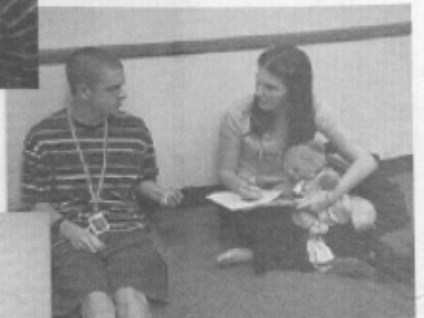
Travis "The Mac Daddies"



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The Watermelon Incident





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