



The trip to Cuba is really an eye opening experience for me. About a month before our trip, I felt that the trip would be a horrible event. I did not look forward to this trip. We we first arrived to Cuba, I didn't dislike as much as I did in Canada. Cuba feels completely different from Canada. The first difference was the temperature. Cuba felt warmer. As the trip went on, I liked it more and more. I was shocked by how well the students at "Benny More" Art School can play their instruments at such a young age. Their passion is so strong. Comparing to them, we have so much more to learn. Another thing I liked a lot is the friendliness. Everybody there is very nice. This also influenced our own band members. Back in Canada, we never talked to each other. But during the trip, everybody became friends. The trip to Cuba was a great opportunity for our learning. I am very privileged to have attended the trip.