

## Confucius Institute at Troy University's Celebration of Chinese New Year with High School Students in LAMP school

At 2:30pm on Feb. 7 2013, Confucius Institute at Troy University (CIT) celebrates Chinese New Year with high school students in LAMP School which is the Confucius Classroom of CIT. About 100 high school students (and a few teachers and some parents) from LAMP school and Baldwin School take part in the event.



The tables are decorated by red Chinese lanterns, Chinese knots, Chinese couplets, Beijing facial masks and so on and they display a thick atmosphere of Chinese culture. Four long tables display different Chinese elements: Chinese writing and calligraphy, paper-cutting, chopsticks using and Chinese New Year Knowledge. All participants were very excited about learning all these. Finally they use chopsticks to enjoy delicious Chinese food: dumplings, spring rolls and other food.

Mr. Steven Frost, Chinese language teacher in LAMP School said that it is an event that involved so many high school students and deliver the richest information. The success of this event is a good promotion for CIT's Montgomery office, and also beneficial for the development of Confucius Classroom and for American students to go to China to study.

