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Over one month into our 2nd year here and it has been full! Right when we landed, we attended our annual Regional Staff Conference led by local national staff. It was neat to see God has provided 3 new American teams (mainly from Texas) who we get to serve alongside. And we find it really exciting to hear how God is using the other teams in other cities uniquely. Our main director gave us a goal of having 108 new engaged disciples (meaning students who are involved in a community of believers, growing in their faith and seeking to reach others with us). Our campus has a goal to reach 12 new engaged disciples by January 20, 2016. We would love you prayers as we step out in boldness, full of faith, trusting God for the results.



"He doesn't want to be friends with me anymore..."

Nomi recently started preschool at an international school last month and she quickly made two friends who happen to be boys: Robin and Orin . It was really sad for us to hear Nomi say at the dinner table last week: "Orin told me he doesn't want to be friends with me anymore. That made me feel sad." We didn't know what to say. We were sad for her and felt empathetic, but also saw she had such a good attitude and wasn't going to let it get her down.

For us too, even though we are much older, we realize some connections don't come easily. We find that we can meet people very easily but those whom we really connect with won't be everyone. Sometimes it's hard to discern if people want to be our friends only because we are American.

But God is blessing us with more friends (East Asian and expats like us). We have especially been enjoying this young married couple in our complex (*right*). It began with just meeting the husband on his motorized skateboard as we were picking up our mail, and now we've spent a lot of time with them both.

Please pray for our family and team that as we develop friendships and share our lives with them, they would see the love of Christ in us!

Thank you for trusting God with us as we not only reach students, but also our peers and friends for Christ here in East Asia.



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