Interview Results

In this part, each person in our group conducted three interviews, a total of 15 pieces of data. During this process, we fully respected the rights of the interviewers. We inform them in advance that our interviews will be used for the school's project research and that no private information about them will be recorded. They can also completely refuse or avoid questions they don't want to answer. Below are the results we collected and sorted out.

1. 12 students prioritize balanced, home-cooked meals with a focus on vegetables and lean proteins. They have a wide range of dietary habits, with some emphasizing health and others not.
2. 11 of them frequently cook for themselves, valuing homemade meals.
3. 12 students rely on online resources, apps, and community recommendations to find nearby restaurants and grocery stores.
4. They all like to share their dietary experiences as a way of bonding with friends. They think dining with friends as a fun and social experience.
5. 13 students would likely be open to trying new food styles, in order to experience different cultures.

Based on the data collected, the functions in our design need to allow users to share and participate in information exchanges, such as sharing eating experiences, and even allowing them to freely organize dinner parties, which can further promote communication between user groups and, to a certain extent, help international students integrate into life faster. For local students, organizing offline dinners can give them more opportunities to further communicate with students from different countries and experience different food cultures. These will be our design directions.

Interview participant list

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| Participant ID | Age | Gender | Participant Role | Interview Completion |
| 1 | 21 | Male | Student | Finish |
| 2 | 19 | Male | Student | Finish |
| 3 | 22 | Male | Student | Finish |
| 4 | 20 | Female | Student | Finish |
| 5 | 21 | Male | Student | Finish |
| 6 | 23 | Female | Student | Finish |
| 7 | 22 | Male | Student | Finish |
| 8 | 21 | Male | Student | Finish |
| 9 | 20 | Female | Student | Finish |
| 10 | 24 | Female | Student | Finish |
| 11 | 23 | Male | Student | Finish |
| 12 | 25 | Female | Student | Finish |
| 13 | 22 | Male | Student | Finish |
| 14 | 21 | Male | Student | Finish |
| 15 | 22 | Male | Student | Finish |