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# White Oak Manor Nursing Home

~60 bed nursing home  
~10 residents, ranging in abilities,  
attend the workshops where they  
take part in engaging discussions  
or creative activities.



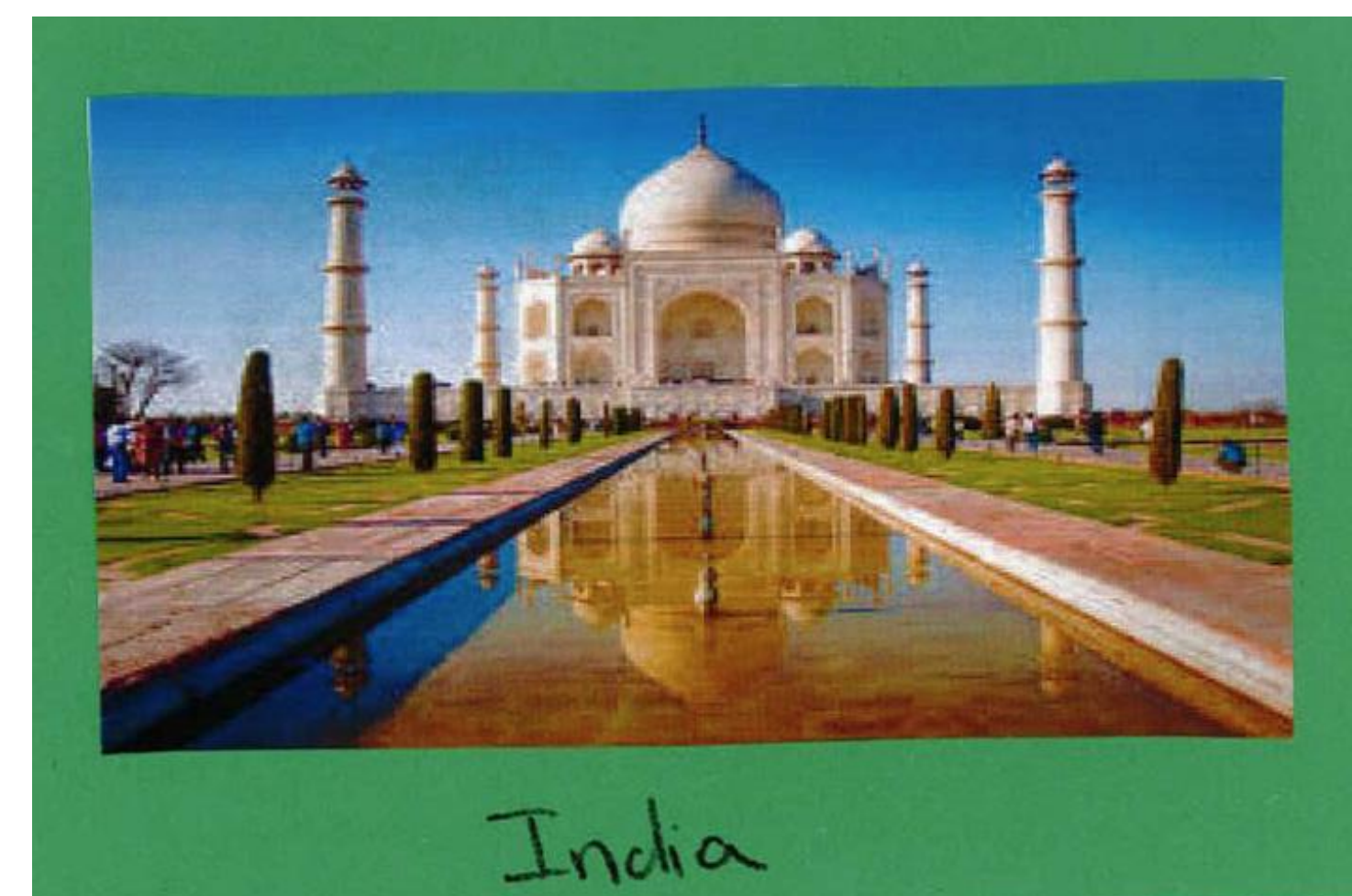
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*I WRITE TO EASE MY MIND WHEN I  
THOUGHTS TO UNWIND  
WHAT DOES IT ALL  
ARE -*  
**IntergenerationalConnections**  
INTERACTIONS TO IMPROVE LIVES  
MEMBER



Pictured above are four  
residents proudly showing their  
“Coat of Arms” representing  
personal attributes

To the right, is a postcard  
written to a family member from  
a hypothetical or “dream”  
vacation to India.



Dear James,  
Today I went to the Taj Mahal.  
It was ginormous! But, so beautiful.  
There were tons of tourist, and I  
had to fight through the crowds. I  
hope one day you can visit James!  
Love,

## Additional Discussions and Activities

- “What happened in this picture?” – Fictional story writing
- “I’m thankful for...” – Autobiographical memories
- “Stories from photos of Spartanburg” – Historical storytelling
- “Technology impact of society” – Non-fiction analysis

White Oak’s location adjacent to campus  
Allowed for the most student participation.

Including:

- Dr. Dinkins’ philosophy class
- Dr. Hall’s humanities 101 class

*Words that make me happy*

- ① desert
- ② children / family
- ③ horses
- ④ music
- ⑤ new adventures



Pictured above is from a workshop that residents  
used watercolors to paint or describe what makes  
them happy.