



**Chilling out (left):** A giant panda rests on a tree at Shenshuping protection base in Wolong National Nature Reserve, in Southwest China's Sichuan province, on Oct 20. ZHANG FAN / XINHUA



**Golden season (right):** The leaves on thousands of ginkgo trees — including these at Shenyang Agricultural University in Shenyang, in Northeast China's Liaoning province, as seen on Oct 21 — have turned yellow, as autumn has arrived. LONG LEI / XINHUA



**Ball game:** To promote breast health awareness, a charity women's flag football competition was held in Beijing on Oct 22, the day of the China National NFL Flag Football Final. Flag football is a version of American football. LI HUISI / FOR CHINA DAILY



**Drone work:** Primary school students in Qinhuangdao, in North China's Hebei province, study drone technology with a staff member from the city's Radio Administration Bureau on Oct 19. CAO JIANXIONG / FOR CHINA DAILY



**Puppet show (above):** A student from Worcestershire, in the United Kingdom, tries her hand at using a Yangzhou pod puppet, an intangible cultural heritage, in Yangzhou, in East China's Jiangsu province, on Oct 24. ZHUANG WENBIN / XINHUA

**Seasonal fruit (left):** A farmer harvests persimmons at the village of Juziyu in Langfang, in East China's Shandong province, on Oct 23. WANG JINLIN / XINHUA