

NEWSLETTER

Our vision is to inspire internationally-minded, balanced learners who thrive and become active global citizens.



Silver Fern sports exchange



Preschool/K1: Storytellers

Preschool/K1 learners have been inquiring about their favourite books. We have started discussing why we like them and sharing our ideas. We are now working towards creating our favourite parts of the books using either clay or loose materials. Stay tuned for our mini book fair.



Y1: The Black Plague

Year 1 students studied the Black Plague and conducted a scientific experiment to test the efficacy of masks in preventing germ spread. After analysing the results, they took action by creating and displaying posters advocating the importance of wearing masks when sick across the school.



Y3:

As part of our unit 'How we express ourselves', Year 3 have been looking at different war dances from around the world. We really enjoyed trying to learn the Haka from New Zealand and even tried out some capoeira from Brazil!

Message from the school

This half term we have a number of sporting events coming up. At the end of October our basketball teams competed against local academies in a 3x3 competition. While we did not win any games, our teams learned more about teamwork, what it takes to be competitive while having fun trying.

To build on these, we have an upcoming sports exchange with Silver Fern International School on Friday 17 November. Silver Fern are visiting us and competing in football and swimming events with students up to Year 7. Please come along and cheer on our teams if you are able to.

This month we also have our Junior and Senior School sports days. Kids will be competing in a range of events on Thursday 23 November for Early Years and Friday 24 November for Primary Years and upwards. Who will be the house team champion this year?

Finally, we are holding an invitational football event on the morning of Saturday 2 December. This will be a chance for our 6-9 year olds and 10-14 year olds to compete against other local schools.



Y5 explorers!

Year 5 were learning about the positive and negative effects of exploration. The class has been making a huge effort to learn all of their times tables. The other half of the time we have been learning about fractions. We really enjoyed taking part in our Halloween thriller dance.



MY: BridgeU and guidance counselling

The Year 11 students have been using the BridgeU platform to investigate potential career paths and university destinations. This research will be important for the DP subject selection interviews that will take place in Term 2. We will be using the information to ensure that the chosen subjects are aligned with career aspirations.



Year 4 success - Celebrating celebrations

As part of their summative assessment task for their unit "Where we are in place and time", learners in Year 4 chose a celebration they were interested in and researched about the topic to create a poster! Well done Year 4!



English at UDIS: Learning new sounds

Our learners in EAL have been learning some new sounds and reviewing those that we have already learned in the past. We have begun learning about traditional tales and the parts of a story. We were able to identify the characters and settings of some of the favourite fairy tales we have read like 'The Three Little Pigs', 'Hansel and Gretel' and 'Jack and the Beanstalk'.



UDIS Sports Day

Parents are welcome to come along to both our EY and PY/MY Sports days. Our EY sports day is on Thursday and our PY/MY sports day is on Friday.

Upcoming events

23-24 November	Sports days
24 November	Term 2 invoices payment date
27 November	Loy Krathong event
1 December	ECAs end
5 December	King Rama IX Birthday holiday
15 December	End of Term 1
8 January	Teachers only day #2
9 January	Start of Term 2
23 February	Half term break
5 April	End of Term 2



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