

### TIS COMMUNITY

#### **END OF YEAR SHOW 2025**

TEDA International School will hold its 2025 End of Year Show on Thursday, May 22 beginning at 7:00pm. This year's show will take place at TEDA International School (China Division) located at the intersection of Huanghai Road and First Street (across from the Mayfair Hotel). All Primary and Middle School students will be performing as will the high school jazz band. We look forward to seeing all our TIS parents and their invited guests at this year's End of Year Show.

### SECONDARY (6-12)

**University Acceptances:** Congratulations to the following students and their families on their recent acceptances to prestigious universities around the globe:

- **Du Tian Qing (Andrew):** Northeastern University (USA)
- **Zhao Tian Yi (Ian):** University of California, Santa Barbara (USA)

**Middle School and High School artwork** will be on display during the Secondary Art Showcase scheduled for Monday, May 26 beginning at 2:00pm. This event will start in the Music Atrium (Floor 1 / Admin. Building) with some welcoming words from Mr. O'Shea. Please show your support by attending this special showcase event. We are confident that you will be impressed with and inspired by the creativity and skill of our art students.

**End of Semester Exams:** Students in grades 6 through 11 will take end of semester exams on June 5-6. By May 30, teachers will provide students with detailed study guides for all end of semester exams. Study guides will be in hard copy form and will provide an effective road map for students to prepare for their exams.

**Applying to NHS or NJHS:** Students in grades 9 through 11 who wish to apply for National Honor Society membership should drop by the Secondary Office to pick up an application. The same applies to students in grades 6 through 8 who wish to apply to National Junior Honor Society.

#### **Important Dates – Secondary Activities and Events**

May 22	TIS End of Year Show (7:00pm)
May 23	Last Class Day for Seniors
May 24	High School Formal
May 26	Secondary Art Show (2:00pm)
May 30	High School Graduation Ceremony (6:00pm)
June 5-6	Semester 2 Exams (grades 6 through 11)
June 10	Grade 8 Promotion Ceremony (1:45pm)
June 11	Secondary Awards (1:15pm) / Last Class Day
June 12	Last Teacher Workday
August 11	First Class Day for 2025-2026

### PRE-KINDERGARTEN

**PreK Learning:** PK3 children will engage in hands-on activities that focus on early math concepts. We will explore numbers, counting, measurement, patterns, sorting and problem solving. PK 4's will dive into a two-week exploration of oceans and ocean animals. Children will engage in a variety of hands-on activities, including creating miniature oceans in water trays and "oceans in a bottle." Through sensory play, crafts, and interactive learning experiences, we'll discover the wonders of the underwater world together.

**June 10th - PK4 Graduation & End-of-Year Picnic:** Please mark your calendars for Tuesday, June 10! All PK families are warmly invited to attend the PK4 Graduation Ceremony – a meaningful and formal celebration of your child's growth and achievements. Following the ceremony, we'll gather for our End-of-Year Picnic – a fun and festive way to wrap up a wonderful year together. Further details will be shared soon. We look forward to celebrating with you!

**Hot Weather Reminder:** As the weather gets hotter, please help your child stay protected from the sun by preparing the following:

- Sunscreen (lotion only, no spray)
- Sun hat (sunglasses are not allowed)
- Covered-toe sandals (to protect toes while running)

### PRIMARY (K-5)

#### **Focus of the month – Caring for Myself**

**PreK to Kindergarten Transition Parent Meeting:** On May 22, Mr. Randall, the Primary Principal, will host a transition meeting for PreK parents whose children will be entering Kindergarten next school year. This meeting will provide parents with an overview of life in the Primary Division, outline key expectations, and highlight the differences between PreK and Kindergarten. It will take place in the school theatre at 8:15 am.

**End of Year Show Rehearsal:** Our next major event is the End of Year Show! Next week, students will visit the China Division for a rehearsal to familiarize themselves with the stage and to practice their singing and dancing performances. Ms. Liu, our dance teacher, has sent a letter home requesting parent support in purchasing costumes for the event. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact either Ms. Liu or Mr. Klajd directly. We look forward to a wonderful evening of celebration!

### IMPORTANT DATES

May 22	End of Year Show
May 30	High School Graduation Ceremony
June 5-6	Secondary Semester 2 Exams
June 11	End of T4 & S2 / Last Day of Classes
June 12	Teacher Workday
June 13	Report Cards (T4 & S2) Available