

TIS COMMUNITY

Dear TIS Parents:

As we bring the school year to an end, and on behalf of all TIS faculty and staff members, I wanted to thank each of you, our wonderful parents, for your amazing support and encouragement provided throughout the school year. Sadly, TIS will say goodbye to some of our community members but will also welcome some outstanding new community members for the 2025-26 school yr.

I wish you all a safe and enjoyable summer holiday and will look forward to welcoming all our returning families back at the Meet the Teachers event on Friday, August 8. The first day of classes for the 2025-2026 school year is Monday, August 11.

J. Azmeh - Headmaster

SECONDARY (6-12)

University Acceptance: Congratulations to Chao Chon Chu (Selena) and her family on her recent acceptance to Hong Kong Baptist University.

Grade 8 Promotion Ceremony: Students in grade 8 and their families are invited to attend the Grade 8 Promotion Ceremony which will be held on Tuesday, June 10 beginning at 1:45pm in the TIS Theatre. During this ceremony, grade 8 students will be issued end-of-year awards and promotion certificates. Congratulations to all our grade 8 students - members of the class of 2029.

Secondary Awards Ceremony: End of year awards for students in grades 6 through 11 will be issued at the Secondary Awards Ceremony which will be held on Wednesday, June 11 beginning at 1:15pm in the TIS Theatre. Last week, parents of students who have been selected to receive awards should have received an invitation letter by email. The Secondary Awards Ceremony is an important, end-of-year event where teacher-issued awards, event awards, athletic awards, and grade level awards are given.

Secondary Report Cards: End-of-year report cards for students in grades 6 through 11 will be sent out electronically on Friday, June 13. For any questions regarding a student's performance in a particular course, Secondary teachers will be available, on campus, from 10:00am to 2:00pm on Thursday, June 12.

Important Dates – Secondary Activities and Events

- June 10 Grade 8 Promotion Ceremony (1:45pm)
- June 11 Secondary Awards (1:15pm) / Last Class Day
- June 12 Last Teacher Workday (10:00am to 2:00pm)
- August 8 Meet the Teachers Event
- August 11 First Class Day for 2025-2026

PRE-KINDERGARTEN

PK Learning: This week, PK4 students focused on gratitude, creating heartfelt ceramic gifts and thank-you cards for the teachers who led special classes this year. A big thank you to Ms. Bella, Ms. Joanna, Ms. Gaby, Ms. Cheryl, Ms. Liu, Ms. Grace, Mr. Joey, Mr. Mazlum and Mr. Robb for your kindness and dedication. Your support has meant so much to our young learners – thank you for being part of their journey! In addition, the children have also begun working on special Father's Day gifts to show their love and appreciation for their dads.

Important Dates & Times Reminder

June 10 – PK4 Graduation Ceremony & End-of-Year Picnic
Join us as we celebrate the growth and achievements of our PK4 students! The PK4 Graduation Ceremony will begin at 8:30 a.m.

June 11 – Report Card Distribution & Last Day of School
Half-day dismissal at **12:00 PM**. Please arrange early pick-up.

Summer Safety Tips: As summer break begins, please keep these safety reminders in mind:

- **Traffic Safety:** Supervise children and follow traffic rules.
- **Food Hygiene:** Choose clean, healthy food.
- **Water Safety:** No swimming/water play without adult supervision.
- **Routine:** Keep a regular schedule and ensure enough rest.
- **Sun Protection:** Stay hydrated and avoid peak heat outdoors.

Wishing all students and their families a safe, healthy, and happy summer holiday!

PRIMARY (K-5)

Focus of the month – Adapting to change

Award Ceremony – June 10: The Award Ceremony will be held on **June 10 at 10:15 a.m.** in the school theatre. All parents are warmly welcome to join this event. Invitations for the parents of awarded students have already been sent via Seesaw. Please note that not every student will receive an award.

Grade 5 Promotion – June 11: The Grade 5 Promotion Ceremony will take place on **June 11 at 10:15 a.m.** in the school theatre. This event is exclusively for Grade 5 parents, as we celebrate their children's completion of primary school and transition to middle school.

Summer Tips: Make time to read every day! Whether it's your favorite storybook, comic, or a new novel, reading helps keep your mind active and your imagination growing. If you're traveling, we wish you a fun and safe journey. Take lots of pictures, try new things, and enjoy your adventures!

IMPORTANT DATES

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| June 11 | End of T4 & S2 / Last Day of Classes |
| June 12 | Teacher Workday |
| June 13 | Report Cards (T4 & S2) Available |