



TIS COMMUNITY

In April, a team from WASC made a week-long visit to the TIS campus to evaluate the school's adherence to international accreditation standards. In June, TIS received a letter confirming its reaccreditation. The letter stated (in part):

The WASC Accrediting Commission for Schools announces the action taken at the Summer 2025 Commission Meeting. The ACS WASC Commissioners have determined TEDA International School meets the ACS WASC criteria for accreditation. This accreditation status is based on all the information provided by the school, including the school's report, and the satisfactory completion of the accreditation visit. It is the decision of the Commission to grant six-year accreditation status through 2031.

Many thanks to all the TIS community members who contributed to the school's Self-Study Report and who engaged with the WASC team members during their April visit.

SECONDARY (6-12)

AP Awards 2025: Congratulations to the following AP award recipients, recognized by the College Board for their outstanding performance on the 2025 AP Exams:

Gr.12	Chu, Betsy Jianing	AP Scholar
Gr.12	Jeung, Subin	AP Scholar with Honor
Gr.12	Jia, Jun Qi	AP Scholar
Gr.12	Jia, Yi Fan	AP Scholar with Distinction
Gr.12	Kok, Jun Ting	AP Scholar
Gr.12	Li, Jin Cheng	AP Scholar with Distinction
Gr.12	Park, Minji	AP Scholar with Distinction
Gr.12	Peng, Xiang Hang	AP Scholar with Distinction
Gr.12	Wang, Xin Tong	AP Scholar with Distinction
Gr.12	Tang, Yuan Wu	AP Scholar with Distinction
Gr.12	Zhang, Zi Yun	AP Scholar with Distinction
Gr.11	Chu, Xiao Ou	AP Scholar
Gr.11	Guo, Feng Qi	AP Scholar
Gr.11	Huang, Hua Shu Nuo	AP Scholar
Gr.11	Sun, Xiao Qian	AP Scholar
Gr.11	Sun, Zhi Yan	AP Scholar
Gr.11	Wang, Yun Xi	AP Scholar with Honor
Gr.11	Xu, Xi Wen	AP Scholar with Distinction
Gr.11	Zhang, Wen Qi	AP Scholar

September SAT Registration: Grades 11-12 students who wish to take the SAT on September 13th must complete the online registration by August 29th. If you need assistance in the online registration process, please make an appointment with Ms. Sharon Li as soon as possible.

PRE-KINDERGARTEN

The first week of preschool is a special time for both children and parents – full of excitement and new beginnings! As the year begins, our teachers are focused on building trusting relationships with each child. They take time to understand your child's unique interests and personality, set clear and consistent routines, and gently guide students as they adjust to the new environment. It's normal for some children to take a little longer to settle in, so your patience and support mean a lot.

Helpful Tips for Parents:

- Stay in touch with your child's teacher to support their learning together.
- Watch daily videos and review photos to see what your child is doing at school.
- Ask simple questions like "What did you enjoy today?" to encourage sharing.
- Keep regular routines at home, like consistent bedtime and meals, to help your child feel secure.
- Be patient and positive—every child adjusts at their own pace, and your support matters.

PRIMARY (K-5)

Focus of the month – Identity and belonging

Settling In for a Great Year Ahead

During the first week of school, our students quickly adapted to their new routines and classroom expectations. They settled in with confidence, showing enthusiasm for learning and building positive connections with their classmates and teachers. It's a great start to what promises to be an exciting and productive school year.

After-School Activities

After-school activities will run from August 18 to December 5. Sign-up forms have already been sent out for registration. If you have any questions about the activities, please contact your child's homeroom teacher or Ms. Catherine at csi@tedais.org. Please make sure to arrange pick-up so that students are collected at 4:00 pm after their club activities have concluded.

Getting Started with Seesaw and Jumprope

Ms. Bella will be hosting a session for parents who are new to Seesaw and our report card system, Jumprope. The session will be held in the Primary Meeting Room at 8:15 am on August 18. We look forward to seeing you there, as this will be a great opportunity to help parents become familiar with Seesaw as a communication tool and to introduce you to the Jumprope system.

IMPORTANT DATES

Sep 27-Oct 5	National Day Holiday (no school)
October 6	Mid-Autumn Festival Holiday (no school)
October 17	End of Term 1
October 24	Term 1 Report Card Conferences