

NEWSLETTER

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



Teachers day at UDIS



K2 class update

This week, K2 has been researching into the lifecycle of a butterfly. They have been fattening up several caterpillars that will hopefully be going into their chrysalis soon. Fingers crossed K2 will be the proud parents of some beautiful butterflies in the not so distant future.



Y2: Who is Florence Nightingale?

Year 2 have been learning about Florence Nightingale and how to write biographies. We learned the story of her life and acted out part of it. We have learned the key features of a biography and started to write our own biographies about Queen Elizabeth II after the sad news of her passing.



Y4: Signs and symbols

Year 4 has been learning about signs and symbols which involved creating a huge map and then using the skills learned to make individual maps. Children have been investigating a range of symbols including Braille, British Sign Language, Road Signs, Roman Numerals, Family Shields, Warning Signage, Flags and Religious Symbols.

Message from the school

This week we held teachers day (Wai Kru) which is an important event rooted within our local Thai culture. For us, this is a great opportunity to celebrate international mindedness as we delve into the importance of this custom and ceremony. This is also a wonderful opportunity for our learners to provide respect, and thanks, to our teachers for helping them guide their learning journeys. We have a wonderful staff at UDIS and through Wai Kru we get to thank them for all their hard work in guiding our learners.

Over the past two weeks we have held our first Parents and Teachers Association (PTA) meetings. We firmly believe in the partnership between the school and our parents and we welcome your continued feedback into how the school operates. Let's work together to make this the best school we can for our learners.

It has been a wonderful start to our ECA programme this year. We have over 27 different ECAs available for our learners from 3 to 15 years of age. We have also enjoyed welcoming our community to the school to provide our students such a full range of ECAs. Wonderful.

Please also look out for our strategy survey. This will help us as we plan our 2023-2028 strategic plan.



Y7/8: Learning about service

The Year 7/8 class along with the Year 9/10 class took part in an IB training session on service as action. This training session will help prepare and inspire the students to take action within the school, and external, communities to make a positive impact.



Student success: Aob-Aoon in Year 1

Aob-Aoon was a risk taker presenting her hobby in our show and tell sessions, which is playing the melodica. She also played a couple of songs. Well done Aob-Aoon and all of Year 1 for your presentations.



Thai: Preparing for Wai Kru

Students have been learning more about Thai as they prepare for Wai Kru Day. They enjoyed exploring the symbols of Wai Kru around the school and they found some flowers and learned the meaning of each one. We also practiced how to do a Wai before the ceremony.



Staff intro: Ms. May in the Middle Years

Hello, I am Ms. May. I am extremely excited to re-join UDIS again this year. I strongly believe that sending good vibes can make someone's day and I enjoy it. I will do my best to support my beloved pupils and colleagues through my work as a Middle Years Teaching Assistant.



PSPE: Striking skills

Our EY students have been learning about striking skills in PE. They learned how to strike things using a tennis racquet including tennis balls, shuttles and volleyballs. It was a great chance for them to start to develop their hand-eye coordination skills.

Upcoming events

19 September	Parent cafe: Toddler for parents
26 September	Parent cafe: Introduction to the Diploma Programme for parents
1 October	End of ECAs before HT break
8-17 October	Half term break
17 October	Teachers only day #1
24 October	Chulalongkorn Day holiday (substitute day)
24 October	ECAs restart after HT break
31 October	Parent cafe: Thai language At UDIS for parents
7 November	Parent rep meeting #2
8 November	Loy Krathong event
21 November	Parent cafe: MYP service as action for parents
25 November	(TBC) Sports day (this may be separated for EY, PY and MY)
25 November	Payment due date for T2 invoices
28 November	PTA meeting: Whole school
1 December	Fathers Day assembly
3 December	End of ECAs for Term 1
5 December	King Rama IX Birthday holiday
16 December	(TBC) Christmas Day event
16 December	End of Term 1



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