

NEWSLETTER

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



Christmas at UDIS



K2: Creating our solar systems

In our Unit of Inquiry, K2 has enjoyed learning about planets and the solar system. The students created their own image of our solar system by splattering white paint to represent the stars. They then used balloons and paint to produce accurate representations of all eight planets. Very messy!



Y4: Learning about the Arctic

Y4 has been learning about the Inuit people who come from the Arctic Circle countries including Canada, USA, Greenland, Russia, Norway and Sweden. Inuit life is adapted to their extremely cold and snowbound environment. They hunt for caribou, seals, walrus, whales, seabirds and fish. They kill only what they need to survive and they use every part of the animal for food, clothes and tools. The children have learned a traditional Inuit dance to perform at our Global Winter Festival.



Y7/8: Dutch pancakes

In Mr. Barend's class our Year 7/8 Language Acquisition students were learning how to create Dutch pancakes. During this lesson the students were developing their vocabulary skills and English speaking skills by creating their own cooking videos and demonstrations.

Message from the school

It has been a wonderful week full of the Christmas spirit as we prepared and put on our Christmas festival. Our audience learned about traditions and customs from around the world from our class performances that covered singing, dance and plays. It was wonderful to also see the hard work of the Thai traditional music club as well who performed a version of Jingle Bells. Thanks also to our parents who helped supply a lot of food and drinks that were enjoyed. A great chance for our community to come together after a wonderful term of learning.

We are looking forward to Term 2 and the learning to come. We have a number of our biggest events this term including our international day and our Songkran festival. This term of learning will be capped off with our student-led conferences, which is a chance for our learners to discuss their learning with our parents.

So, please have a wonderful holiday and we look forward to seeing you back in January.



Y9/10 - I&S projects

Year 9 and 10 students have been presenting their individuals and societies research projects to PY learners. This was a good way to help students become effective communicators and critical thinkers because they needed to think of their audience and how to break down complex information so that it will be understood by the PY learners.



Languages at UDIS: Wild animals

Well done Year 3! Learners successfully completed their projects about wild animals and were able to present them with confidence. I am really proud of all of you.



Welcome to Mr. Henry in K2

Henry is our new K2 teacher this year and joins us from Newcastle in the UK. He has taught in a variety of countries around the world including Thailand, Saudi Arabia and the UK. He loves to spend time with music and playing the guitar.



Our Executive School Board

Our School Board meets for the second time on Friday to plan and prepare for our next academic year. A key task this year has been putting together our new strategic plan for 2023-2028. It is exciting to envision where we will be in 5 years time. What we do know is that our DP programme will be well underway as we will open for Year 12 in 2024.

Upcoming events

5 December	King Rama IX Birthday holiday
7 December	EY: Stay and Play #2
16 December	(TBC) Christmas Day event
16 December	End of Term 1
9 January, 2023	Teachers only day#2
10 January, 2023	Start of Term 2
18 January	EY: Stay and Play #3
8 February	EY: Stay and Play #4
13-14 February	HT break
6 March	Makha Bucha day holiday
10 March	Payment date for T3 invoices
15 March	EY: Stay and Play #5
31 March	End of Term 2
17 April	Start of Term 3
1 May Labour	Day holiday
14 June	End of Term 3



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