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COLLEGE COUNSELING PARENTS WORKSHOP

Our College Counselors will introduce a series of workshop regarding most popular oversea study destinations, which will give you an in-depth understanding of their post-secondary education. You will learn about the university education system, study abroad advantages, application requirements and fees in these countries. The first workshop will take place next Monday, **December 19**, and we'll take you across the United States and Canada. For other topics, please see the picture. We encourage parents to participate in this series of workshops. If you complete this series of classes, you will have a more comprehensive and thorough understanding of the world's mainstream study abroad countries, so as to better help children choose study destinations. For this conference, we will use Tencent Conference number 745-516-2845.CHRISTMAS

升学家长课堂
升学指导老师
带你去旅行
主流留学国家解析系列

简介
我们将推出主流留学国家解析系列, 带您深入了解最受中国学生欢迎的几个留学目的地。您将了解到这些国家的教育体系、留学优势、申请要求、知名大学和留学费用等。

日程安排
• 北美留学: 12月
• 澳洲留学: 2月
• 英国和欧洲留学: 4月
• 主流留学国家大对比: 5月

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PTO CHRISTMAS MARKET

Dear parents, The Christmas market will be cancelled due to the pandemic, but the Christmas market charity raffle will not be affected! Welcome to continue to click the following link [Subscribe for charity Raffle ticket], the raffle ticket is 20 yuan/piece. Anyone who subscribes to the raffle ticket will receive a reusable bag designed by PTO. We sincerely thank you for sharing your warmth and valuable support this season!

<https://forms.office.com/r/4TwKA3Zbmu>

The voucher you subscribed for will be taken home by your child after school this Friday. Please fill in the information on the voucher and ask your child to submit the information to the Chinese tutor before next Monday. School staff, PTO parents and Student Council members will be



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invited to hold a raffle on Tuesday **December 20** and prizes will be delivered to the winners the following day. Proceeds from the raffle will be donated to the local SOS orphanage in Yantai.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT

In light of the current COVID-19 situation, we have made adjustments to the concert format. Instead of evening performances, we will have the concerts during school hours tomorrow on **December 16**. The event will be held in the auditorium from 2:00 pm-2:45 pm on Friday. The concerts are only open to the students and staff, and each concert will be livestreamed via Zoom. The link will be posted on the YIA Parent Notification WeChat group tomorrow morning. The link will be posted on the YIA Parents wechat tutor group tomorrow morning.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY ARRANGEMENTS

[1] Free Christmas holiday English Language and IELTS courses

The school has always attached great importance to the accumulation of children's English language ability, and tried to create a variety of favorable language learning environment for children. This year, we will offer free English Language learning and IELTS preparation courses from **December 22** to **December 29** (excluding weekends). You are invited to register your child by clicking the link below.

Click on the sign up <https://www.wenjuan.com/s/UZBZJvFyhr3/#>

[2] Christmas holiday discipline tutoring program

In order to support students to make full use of vacation time to make up for the gaps and repair their academic performance, the school will require students with one or more F or two or more D grades to come to the school for subject content tutoring from **December 22** to **December 29** (excluding weekends), and there will be dedicated teachers to help them.

AN EVENING OF THEATER



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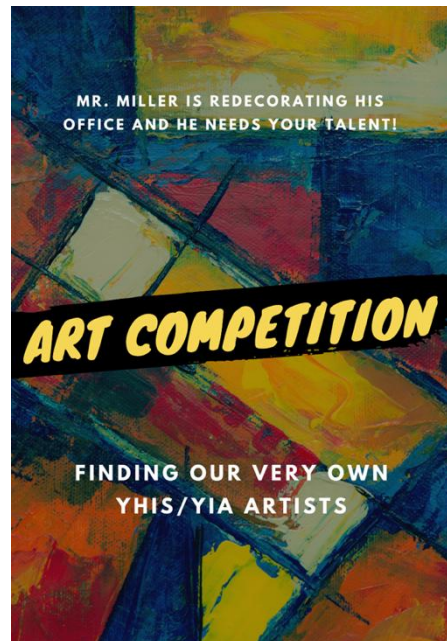
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All are invited to an evening of performances from our YIA/YHIS fall drama classes at 6:00 pm on Tuesday, **December 20** in the Large Auditorium. Enjoy scenes from *Dumb and Dumber*, *The Day the Internet Died*, *Star Wars: The Empire Strikes Back*, and the short plays, *Storyville*, *13 Reasons NOT To Be In A Play*, and *The Mysterious Case of the Mysterious Case*.

ART COMPETITION WINNER ANNOUNCEMENT

Thank you all for participating in the Principal's Art Competition! We have so many wonderfully talented students, and we are looking forward to displaying all the submissions around the school in the coming weeks. Congratulations to the winners who will be invited to have a lunch of pizza & kimbap with Mr. Miller in his office this week Friday during lunch time. The winning students' teachers will reach out to them about the lunch details. If you have any questions please reach out to Rebekah.vansanten@yhischina.com.



Principal Art Competition Winners 2022:

High School:

1. Jolin — Grade 12 (YIA)
2. John K. — Grade 12
3. Ely C. — Grade 10

RECOGNIZING ISC 9 QUALITIES FOR LIFE

Teaching students about the iSC 9 Qualities for Life is an integral part of the character education and development program at YIA. Each month, YIA teaches about a single characteristic and we award students from all grade levels who have demonstrated that characteristic the most. Teachers observe the students



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throughout the month and nominate winners. For the month of November, our focus was on “Curiosity”. We would like to congratulate and recognize the following students leading with curiosity among their peers!



Monthly Star Candidates:

- Sunny Dou
- Icey Sha
- Leon Yu
- Alex Lin

Monthly Star of Curiosity

- Alex Lin

SCHOOL UNIFORM PANTS TRAILER

School uniform pants are available in navy blue and khaki for students to choose from. In order to facilitate parents to purchase trousers that meet the school's requirements, starting from this school season, we have opened a purchase channel for school uniforms and trousers. You can scan the QR code below to purchase by yourself. Parents can also purchase trousers that conform to the school uniform specification.

However, if the student arrives at school without the required trousers, the teacher will contact



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the parents to purchase school uniform trousers from the school and change the trousers on the same day.



ATTENDANCE POLICY–EPIDEMIC PREVENTION REQUIREMENTS

If a student is unable to arrive at school on time, parents should contact the Chinese tutor at least before 7:50 in the morning and explain the specific reason for the absence. If a student is absent from school for a day, parents should measure their child's temperature in the morning, noon and afternoon, and report the results to the Chinese tutor.

In addition to fever, students who are absent from school for other reasons should undergo nucleic acid testing the day before returning to school. After your child has completed the nucleic acid test, we hope that you can contact the Chinese tutor on the same day that your child has completed the nucleic acid test and submit a negative result to the Chinese tutor after the test results come out.

If students have a temperature of 37.3°C or higher,

- Please keep your child at home and consult a doctor and inform the national advisory stating your child's temperature, symptom(s), and treatment plan.
- The student must remain at home until symptoms resolve and the student is fever free for 48 hours. The student must then complete a COVID-19 test the day before returning to school and inform the national advisory of the negative test result.

ABSENCE HANDLING PROCEDURES AND POLICIES

1. be late



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If students are unable to arrive at school on time, parents should contact the Chinese tutor at least before 7:50 am on the same day. Students who arrive later than 8:00 a.m. should go to the Chinese tutor's office for registration with the "Late Arrival Form" issued by the front desk on the first floor before they can attend class.

Students are warned twice late. Students will be required to have a one-on-one meeting with the principal if they are late three times in a semester

talk. If a student is late frequently during a quarter, the principal will meet with the parents of the late student. The number of late arrivals will be

Cleared at the beginning of each new school season.

2. Leave early

If the student really needs to leave the school before the end of school (due to illness, handling public affairs, doctor's appointment, etc.), parents should contact the Chinese teacher in advance.

3. Excused absence from work

Excused absences include illness, death of family members, and pre-approved family activities.

In cases of excused absence, parents should contact the Chinese tutor at least before 7:50 am on the day of absence. Students who have accumulated more than three absences due to illness in a semester must come to school with a certificate issued by a doctor. If you are absent from work for 2 days or more due to work or illness, you must apply in writing to the principal at least one week in advance.

*Students who are unable to attend classes due to illness will not be able to participate in sports activities.

4. Unexcused absence from work

Students who are absent without a reasonable excuse will receive zero marks on assignments or exams for the day and will not be eligible for the day after-school activities. Unexcused absences on Friday will result in students not being able to participate in weekend activities.



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LUNCH MENU

		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1 Choose one	Chinese	Saliva Chicken	Meat Ball with Soy Sauce	Stewed Shrimp with Radish	Christmas Break	
	Western	Pasta with Chopped Chicken	Irish Beef Stew	BBQ Roasted Chicken Drumsticks		
	Korean	Korean Style Beef with Mushroom	Korean Roasted Pork	Korean Beef Rice Ball		
2	Meat	Stir-fried Pork with Kimchi	Braised Pork with Potatoes	Kimchi Rice Cake with Chicken Thigh		
3	Vegetable 1	Bean Sprouts in Vinegar	Dried Tofu with Celery	Stir-fried Bok Choy		
	Vegetable 2	Fried Fish Cakes with Vegetables	Butter Broccoli	Stir-fried Zucchini and Carrot		
4 Choose one	Soup 1	Mixed Nuts Congee *	Millet Porridge *	Egg Seaweed Soup ^		
	Soup 2	Fresh Vegetable Soup	Pumpkin Cream Soup &	Rice Congee		
5	Fruits	Seasonal Fruits				
	Grain/ Appetizer	Black Rice, Steamed Buns *	Millet Rice, Steamed Buns *	Black Rice, Steamed Buns *		
Dessert (Western/Korean)		Marble Cake ^	Muffin Cake ^	Roll Cake ^		

Allergies:

*Wheat

#Seafood

&Dairy

^Eggs

@Nuts



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