

SchoolWide News

PTO Christmas Market

The annual PTO Christmas Market is scheduled for Saturday, December 13, from 10:00 am to 1:30 pm. The event is a festive gathering where community members come together to spread the warmth and joy of Christmas. Our PTO is planning the event for the whole school community.

Staff, students, and families are invited to set up a booth—whether selling crafts, hosting games, or offering items at a flea market or food/drink stand—for a fee of **70 RMB**. Booth registrants will receive a festive Christmas-themed apron, tablecloth, and hair clip to enjoy during the event. Participate in the best booth competition for a chance to win prizes for the top three booths! **Register for a booth by Friday, December 5** [Click [HERE](#) to register]. Booth fees will be collected at the market, and booth locations, which will be assigned randomly, can be checked in the lobby on the day of the event. All profits will go to each booth owner, who may also choose to donate a portion to Yangfan Student Welfare Development Center, a school-adopted charity. The PTO will donate a significant portion of the profits to the center.

Experience the Joy of Giving with Our Charity Raffle Draw! Enter your chance to win incredible prizes. Each scratch ticket is just 20 RMB, and with a 100% winning rate, you're guaranteed a prize for every ticket purchased. A maximum of 15 tickets can be purchased per person. In addition, there are three special draws you can enter by purchasing more tickets:

- 1) **Buy 5-9 tickets:** Enter to win a prize from the following options:
 - 10 Xiaomi Electric Toothbrushes (limit: one per winner)
 - Five 5-hour Koru Tennis/Pickleball Court Use Passes (limit: one per winner)
 - Three 10-hour Koru Tennis/Pickleball Court Use Passes (limit: one per winner)
 - 2 ShengXi Taekwondo 400 RMB Discount Vouchers (limit: one per winner)
- 2) **Buy 10-14 tickets:** Enter to win a prize from the following options:
 - 2 Huawei Bluetooth Earbuds (limit: one per winner)
 - 3 Galaxy Fit (limit: one per winner)



- A number of hotel buffet vouchers (limit: two vouchers per winner)
- Two 5-hour Koru Tennis Private Lesson Passes (limit: one per winner)
- One 12-hour Chinese GongFu Lesson Pass

3) **Buy 15 tickets:** Enter for a chance to win **one of these premium prizes:**

- 1 Roborock Robot Vacuum Cleaner
- 1 iPad 11
- 1 Cuckoo rice maker
- 1 Inbody Body Composition Analyzer Scale

These prizes are just the beginning! Our amazing parents are working hard to secure even more sponsortships, so stay tuned for many more special prizes to come.

If you purchase **10-14 tickets** or **15 tickets**, you will also be entered into the lower draw(s), increasing your chances of winning! Don't miss out on the opportunity to win big while supporting a great cause. Tickets are limited and available for purchase on-site.

Christmas Concert

We are glad to announce the 2025 Christmas Concerts on December 12 and December 19! This will be a great way to spread the Holiday Spirit in our school while showing the great talent of our students!

The Secondary Christmas Concert will be held on Friday, December 12, at 3:45 pm. The middle and high school choirs and band classes will participate in the performance. Attendance is mandatory for all students in choir or band class. Secondary students will not attend a dress rehearsal. They will practice during their regular class times.

Concert Clothes:

Middle School Choir/Band:

Pants: Students should wear black pants or skirts. Skirts should be accompanied with black leggings.

Shirts: should be white and formal. Boys' shirts should have a

Shoes: should be black.

Boys: Should wear a red tie (purchase on your own).

Girls: Should wear a red scarf (purchase on your own).

Please do not allow large logos or words on the clothes.



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Please see an email from the music teachers about concert clothes details.

High School Choir/Band

Boys: should wear a black suit (black pants and suit coat) with a white dress shirt and black shoes. The school will provide a bowtie.

Band Girls: should wear a dress provided by the school. Please wear black shoes.

Choir Girls: should wear black dress pants or skirt, and a formal white shirt.

YIA's Principal Ms. Deng Attends VIS International Education Conference and Joins International School Principals Club

From November 21st to 22nd, the 11th VIS International Education Development Conference was held in Shanghai. Ms. Deng Yujie, Operating Principal of YIA, was invited to attend and was appointed as a member of the new International School Principals Club, alongside principals from several renowned international schools in China.

Under the theme "Ecological Integration," the conference featured a main forum and three parallel sub-forums following the opening day's executive sessions. The authoritative *2025 China International School Development Report* was released during the main forum, while the sub-forums facilitated in-depth discussions on operations management, marketing and admissions, and human resources.

Principal Deng's invitation to join the Principals Club signifies industry recognition of YIA's educational practices and growing influence.

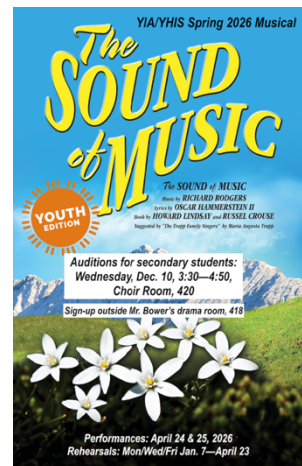


Spring Musical Auditions

Secondary drama teacher, Mr. Bower, announced the YIA/YHIS spring musical this week—*The Sound of Music*! This is one of the most popular musicals worldwide and we look forward to seeing our wonderful students on stage as they tell the amazing story of the Von Trapp family singers and their escape from Nazi-occupied Austria at the outbreak of World War II.

Auditions: December 10 after school (sign up in the drama classroom)

Performances: April 24 & 25, 2026



Lunch Menu

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Korean	Bean Sprout Soup*#, Rice Omelet*^*, Carbonara Pork Cutlet*^&, Pickles, Apple Cabbage Salad^	Chicken Soup*, Multigrain Rice*, Tuna Kimchi Pancake*#, Braised Potato*, Silken Tofu*	Miso Soup*#*, Spam Tuna Mayo Rice*^*, Stir-fried Broccoli + Mushroom*, Yakult&	Kimchi Soup*#, Multigrain Rice*, Fried Cod*#^, Spicy Stir-fried Pork*, Quail Egg Salad^	Rose sauce Tteokbokki*#&^ Stir-fried Beef Rice* Fried Shrimp*#^ Candied Sweet Potatoes* Juice
Chinese/ Western	Multigrain Rice, Pork Chop Burger*#&^, Braised pork belly*# Stir-fried Broccoli and Cauliflower*, Cornmeal Porridge, Stir-fried Potato, Green Pepper and Eggplant*#	Multigrain Rice, Cream Pasta&*, Poached Beef Slices*#*, Stir-fried Tomatoes with Eggs*^, Millet Congee Colorful Corn Kernels*	Multigrain Rice, Braised Pork Ribs*, Beef Rice Ball*, Stir-fried Mushroom with Broccoli*, Rice Porridge Stir-fried Tofu Rolls with Bell Peppers*#	Multigrain Rice, Braised Pork with Quail Eggs*, Popcorn Chicken*^, Stir-fried Celery with Tofu Skin*, Minced Garlic Bok Choy*	Multigrain Rice, Fried Chicken Fillet* , Stewed Beef Brisket, Stir-fried Vegetables* , Seaweed Egg Soup*#^ Stir-fried Shredded Potatoes*
Fruit	Seasonal Fruits				

Allergies:

*Wheat

#Seafood

&Dairy

^Eggs

@Nuts

*If a salad is served

with a specific dressing, the allergens are listed on the menu. However, for the salad with optional dressings, the allergens are not listed.