



SUIS PUDONG NEWSLETTER



SUIS Pudong offers an opportunity to enter a continuum of education from Primary through to the end of Secondary to prepare our children become the Chinese citizen for 21st century global society.

A note from the Principal

I hope you all enjoyed the Mid Autumn holiday celebrating with family and friends. I enjoyed eating a variety of delicious moon cakes. We had some great assemblies last week sharing traditions and children's work.

In this issue we have exciting sharing from our Grade 2 and Grade 5 classes giving you an ideas of what's been happening in their grades.

I would like to take this opportunity to say how proud I am of our Primary students who have settled into the classrooms so well. They are moving around the school calmly and being very responsible. Myself and the teachers feel very proud of them.

Our going home arrangements are working very well and it's a good time to say thank you in assisting to make this a smooth and congestion free time. Please remember to wait for your child in the designated areas.

Thank you to all of you who sent back your wishes for our 10th anniversary. We had an overwhelming response of kind and thoughtful messages - A BIG THANK YOU.

Preparations are being made for our upcoming annual Book Week - you will find details in this issue.

On behalf of all our staff I would like to wish you all a wonderful October holiday and hope you have the opportunity to rest, recharge and get ready for school once again. We will be back to school on Monday 8th October.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kim Sahi'.

Kim Sahi
Co-Principal

Book Week

November 5th - November 9th

This year to celebrate the 10th anniversary of SUIS Pudong, our Book Week Theme will be **CHINESE TRADITIONAL STORIES**.

We invite all our amazing students to enter the Story Writing Competition, where you will become a published author and sell your own stories.

We will be joined at the beginning of the week by performers of a Traditional Shadow Puppet Theatre. Students will create their own Shadow Puppet performances to share in assemblies. We encourage you to take the time and visit Google AI, West Bund, a magical experience for all!

Students and teachers will dress up as their favourite Chinese story characters on Friday where many prizes will be won!

Most importantly, we would like to invite parents, and grandparents into school this week to tell some Traditional Chinese Stories they know (The story could be delivered in either Chinese or English). Please email Amy or Jingyi by 1st Nov. if you are available.



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MID-AUTUMN FESTIVAL CELEBRATION



Last Friday, both KS1 and KS2 students had their own 'Moon Festival' assembly. During the assemblies, students managed to work together and finish a quiz with house points as rewards!

After that, G1s performed a Chinese song that they had practiced before and G2s recited a famous ancient poem to show us how wonderful the Chinese rhymes could be.

Also in this inspiring season, our G4 students had written their own poems to record the happiness and fulfillment they had experienced, and were very proud to present these poems to all the students on the stage.

After all, the most exciting part is, before going home, each student had received a small gift from the Chinese department——a Chinese-style note book which could be used to do some creative writing in their spare time.



After School Sports

Thanks to everyone for attending trials. The teams have been chosen for the 2018-19 academic year. If your son/daughter didn't make the team on this occasion then hopefully this will increase their motivation to improve and they can make the team in the future. Students that show good attainment in P.E. lessons may be invited to join the team throughout the year.



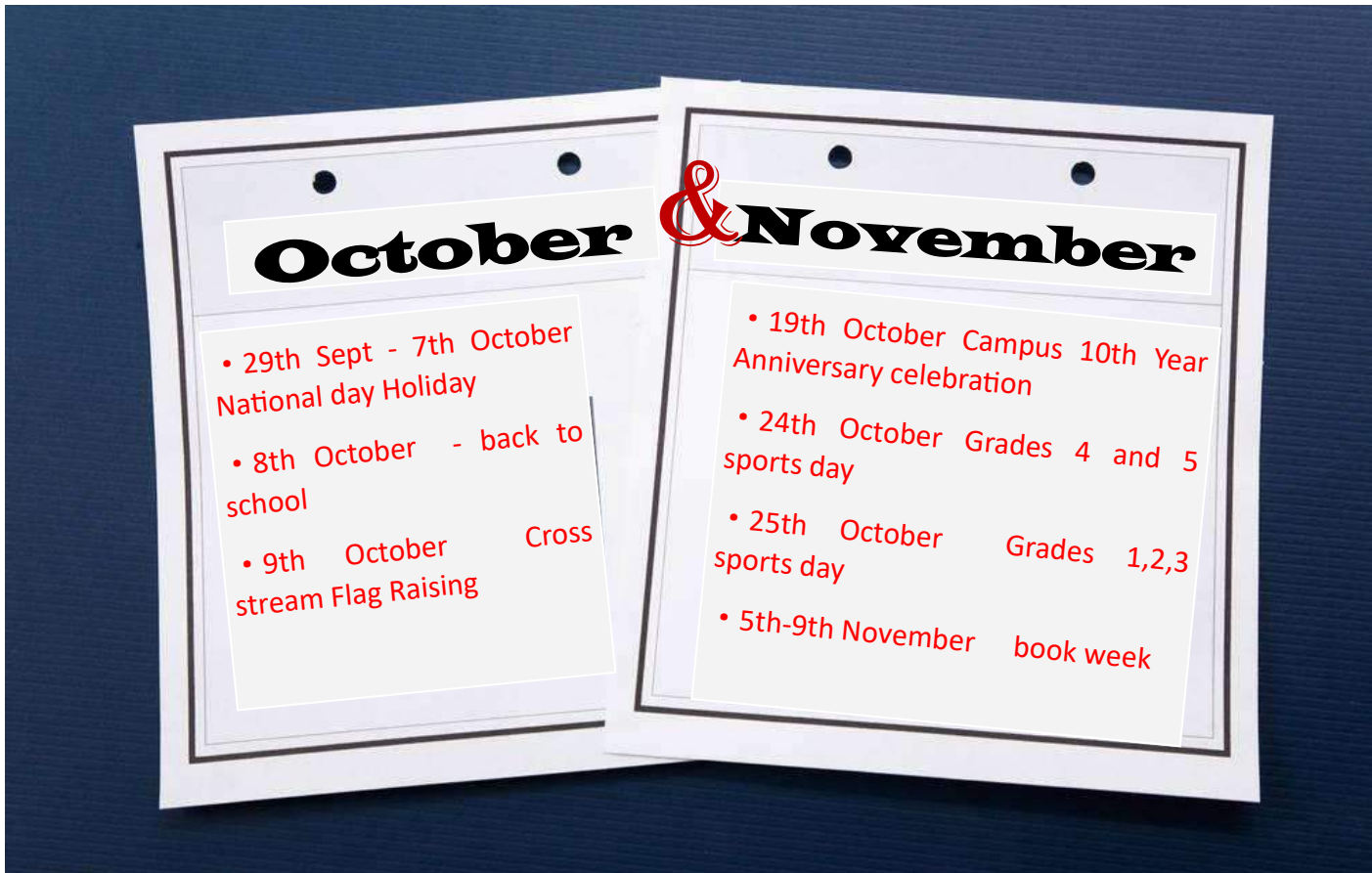
Grade 5 Off-Site P.E.



Grade 5 students have been enjoying travelling to Vango Sports Centre for their P.E. lessons. Each grade 5 student gets a double class of P.E. every week.

Travelling to a facility such as this will only increase their enjoyment of being active and help develop their skills further.





As the weather is changing, it is important for us all to stay healthy and well in order to prevent the spread or risk of infections. Please see the advice below from our Nurse's Office.

- Frequent hand washing may help to protect against infection.
- Avoid going to public places if unwell to reduce risk of infection.
- Clean tableware frequently.

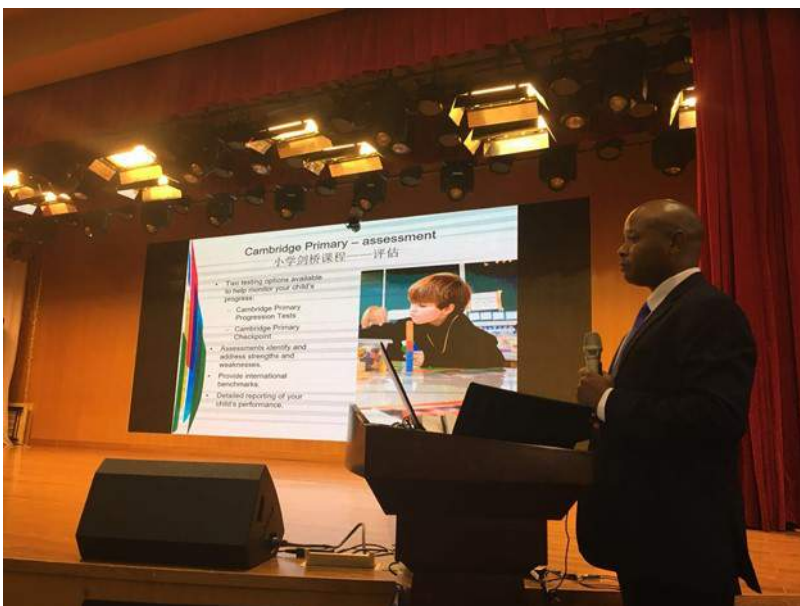
We need all parents to check their child's temperature before school each day. If the fever is over 38 °C, the student needs to stay at home for 48 hours after the fever has gone. Within 48 hours, if the student has skin rash or blister on their body and sores in their mouth, please immediately bring him/her to hospital instead of returning to school. Please inform the school of the doctor's diagnosis immediately.

Student taking action

I was pleased to meet Yino Yu from G4 Tiger Class, another fantastic Author and Illustrator who has published her first book titled 'Dream Traveler'. This is the result of the book she entered for the story competition last year where she won a Gold certificate. Through her own kindness, Yino decided to donate 20 copies of her book to our school library. What a lovely thing to do. I have my own signed personal copy in my office. Well done Yino!



Cambridge checkpoint



On Thursday Mr Kay our Grade 5 Coordinator presented a session to our G5 parents about our Cambridge checkpoint information. We were very pleased to see many of our parents come to the session who went away feeling better informed.

Learning In Grade 2

Grade 2 Pandas – Play, Learn and Grow Together

September 2018

Grade Coordinators Statement

Grade two's have kicked started this year's learning by engaging in various play-based learning activities from all subject areas. All lessons are engaging allowing students to use different multi-sensory skills such as touch, movement, kinesthetic elements as well as sight and hearing.

Miranda Dube

G2 coordinator



"Play is the highest form of research" Albert Einstein.

Grade 2 Dragon – Problem Solving and Science in groups



*Working together and communicating to solve a practical problem.
Learning how to be scientists and conduct and experiment correctly.*

Grade 2 Lions – Think, Explore and Discover Learning



Exploring and discovering Science by sorting and classifying living vs non-living things. Fun dice play: creating and adding 2 & 3digit numbers in Mathematics.

Learning In Grade 5

September 2018

Grade Coordinators statement

This academic year has certainly started off on high levels of energy and enthusiasm as grade five students work towards preparing for their externally assessed Cambridge Primary Checkpoint exams in April 2019.

Students have worked diligently across all disciplines of their learning; this is evident by the high standard of work and engagement.

Michael T. Kay

G5 coordinator

Grade 5 Dragon

Learning through cooperation

A sneak peek into the Grade 5 Dragon classroom, as students collaborate and engage into Mathematics.



Grade 5 Lion

Discovering and Exploring the world of Science.

Grade 5 Lion had some super fun making brains (learning about the nervous system) with air drying clay.



Grade 5 Panda

Working together on prologues in English class



Group work in action



Concentrating hard on independent work

Grade 5 Tiger

Researching on energy sources

We have been working together with G5 Tiger to make our own 'energy game' for Humanities. The children did an amazing job.