



SUIS Pudong offers an opportunity for students to enter a continuum of education from Primary through to the end of Secondary to prepare them to become Global's citizens for the 21st century.

Dear Parents:

The semester is now in full flow; the students have settled in well to their new classes and have made an impressive start to their learning.

Reading Month

To encourage our students to become enthusiastic readers and develop good reading habits, October will be served as the focus for reading month at SUIS Pudong.

The fun activities include:

1. SUIS Reader;
2. House Reading Challenge;
3. Bookmark Design;
4. Book Character Dress up Day.

Let's have a book-filled autumn!



Humanities Assembly – Eco Futures

Over the summer break, Yatharth Singh (A1AC) and Catalina Vasquez (IG2JL) took part in the Eco Future – Student Voices Speaking Competition held by Shanghai Family. As a school community, we are proud to say that both students qualified for the finals that will be held on the 18th of October. To celebrate and acknowledge their achievements, both students were invited to speak at the Key Stage 3 and 4/5 assemblies respectively.

Yatharth was joined by Sophie Jing (A1AC) as they presented their ideas to the Key Stage 3 students on Thursday. He espoused on the impending global energy crisis due to over-reliance on fossil fuels and the many negative environmental impacts that it brings. Yatharth then shared his vision for the future, by elaborating on the pressing need for a shift towards clean energy sources. He also suggested some practical steps that we as individuals can do to take a stand against the continued environmental degradation caused by fossil fuels. For example, signing petitions and advocating the use of solar panels are some good ideas. Sophie Jing then shared on the importance of recycling and the practical steps that we as a school community can take to be more environmentally friendly.



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Catalina's vision for an eco-friendly future is one that sees a reduced use of single-use plastic. These include plastic bottles and cutlery that are used fairly often by many people due to convenience. However, many of these plastic items end up in the middle of the oceans due to improper disposal. As plastics are non-biodegradable, they become a long-term problem for the environment. In particular, when plastics break down into smaller pieces, they may become consumed by animals and the toxins can be passed up the food chain. Catalina suggests that making plastic more expensive through taxes will cause a shift towards more sustainable materials such as glass. On campus, we can do our part by using reusable containers instead of single-use plastic and cut down on the use of straws.

As a school community, it is heartening to see our students playing a proactive role in caring for and working towards a sustainable future. We wish Catalina and Yatharth all the best in the Finals of the competition and look forward to more students following their footsteps and becoming stewards for the environment.



University Guidance Update

On Tuesday September 22nd, staff from our campus attended a joint collaborative meeting titled "Challenges and Countermeasures for International University Application in the 2021-2022 Academic Year". The event was hosted by Xiehe with the aim to join all campuses to share good practice form links to work more collaboratively in the future. It proved to be a valuable forum for the exchange of ideas, most notably on how to tackle the challenges posed by Covid-19.



This was a very successful meeting sharing comprehensive overviews of our respective university counseling systems.

With their years of accumulated expertise, there is much that we at SUIIS Pudong can learn from our sister campuses, and we envisage that regular get-togethers will allow us to provide even better service to our students. At the same time, after the Class of 2020's great success in their university applications, we feel that publicising our student-centred, personalized approach to university counseling, in which we take individual students needs' into account and spend a great deal of time getting to know and understand each and every one of them, can benefit the rest of the SUIIS campuses.



2020/21 Duke Of Edinburgh Award

Congratulations to the following students who have been selected to take part in the 2020/21 Duke Of Edinburgh Award:

- Layali Ma (IG1)
- Isa Zuo (IG1)
- Jacqueline Wang (IG1)
- Winnie Shen (IG1)
- Christine Li (IG1)
- Mavis Lu (IG1)
- Natalie Nip (IG2)
- Lucy Hu (IG2)
- Jessica Zhu (IG2)
- Fiona Yang (IG2)



The Duke of Edinburgh's International award is a non-competitive, internationally recognized program designed to encourage young people to develop positive skills and lifestyle habits. The award is about personal challenge and development and is adaptable according to each participant's interests and abilities.

Key dates:

Please note below the upcoming key dates:

- 27th September: School Day (Friday timetable)
- 29th September 16:45-19:30: G6, A1 and A2 three way conference
- 30th September: School Day (Friday timetable)
- 1st October to 8th October: National Holidays (no school)
- 9th October: Return to School, School Day (Friday timetable)
- 10th October: School Day (Thursday timetable)

We wish you a restful Mid- Autumn Festival and National Day Holiday.

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