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,

our students have had a wonderful couple of weeks in the run up to Christmas. This week the students have enjoyed visiting the different cities of China during our Chinese culture week.

On behalf of all of the staff at SUIS Pudong, I would like to wish you all a very Happy New Year 2022.

2021 Chinese Culture Week

"Cloud Tour of China"

Time flies, unconsciously, it is time for the annual Chinese Culture Week.

This year's theme is "Cloud travel of China". One city per day during the seven -day trip from the 23rd of December to 31st. An interesting exploration tour of seven cities with cultural heritage: Nanjing, Shanghai, Xi 'an, Chengdu, Luoyang, Lhasa and Beijing.

The First Stop: Nanjing

Our teachers started by using Nanjing cuisine as the breakthrough point. With the history of the ancient city of Jinling culture, there was a cultural understanding. The



children not only appreciated the unique Yuhua stone of Nanjing, but also created their own Yuhua stone paintings.







The Second Stop: Shanghai

Children were born in Shanghai, grew-up in Shanghai; hence, they should know more about Shanghai.

Through the teacher's introduction, the students learnt about the origin of Shanghai, eight new sights

and the delectable Shanghai cuisine. After listening to







The Third Stop: Xi'an



Xi'an is one of ten dynasties of our ancient capital. Xi'an is world-famous as one of the four big ancient capital cities. There are a lot of things worth exploring. The teachers started from the evolution of houses in Xi 'an and explained the famous historic sites of Xi 'an in series: Banpo Ruins, Abang Palace and the Xi 'an city

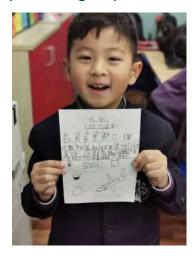
wall. Finally, the students turned himself or herself into a little archaeologist. They used tools and dug the terracotta Warriors with much attentiveness and attention. Although their clothes were dirty, they could hardly hide their enjoyment.





The Fourth Stop: Chengdu

Students first learnt of the five generations of the history of the ancient Shu dynasty. Next, students explored and understood the characteristics and culture of Chengdu through our interesting promotional videos. They learnt about the ancient Shu secret treasures ----- Sanxingdui and bronze masks. The most meaningful thing is that the students learnt about the reason why the living fossil "giant panda" is endangered. Students actively set up the awareness of protecting pandas, and strove to become the marketing ambassador of protecting all pandas.







The Fifth Stop: Luoyang

The culture of Luoyang city is remarkable. The students appreciated peony, which is known as the "King of Flowers". Students also learnt about the "Luoyang tri-color art", which can

show the characteristics of Chinese ceramic culture, and the exquisite and beautiful Luoyang paper-cut art.

Finally, they painted the beautiful peonies on their own fan - great job!







The Sixth Stop: Lhasa

No one in the world doesn't want to go to Lhasa city. It is the center of Tibet - the heart of the roof of the world. The penultimate stop of the cultural week stops at the most distinctive and charming city ----- Lhasa. In class, students appreciated the beautiful scenery of the ancient city, learnt about its long history, unique customs, strong religious belief, and felt the unique painting art ----- Thangka, in Tibetan culture. On the playground, students also learnt the Guozhuang dance. They not only experienced the unique regional customs but also got a good opportunity to exercise.











The Seventh Stop: Beijing

The terminal station of "Cloud Tour of China" is the ancient capital - Beijing with a history of more than three thousand years. From the Beijing axis, the temple of Heaven, Drum Tower, the Forbidden City to the courtyard; From Beijing roast duck, lamb



hot-pot, sugar-coated hawthrone candies and fried noodles; From dough figurines, snuff bottles, using sugar to blow figurines and playing 'diabolo'... The interesting things in Beijing are endless. The students' passion for exploration is evident in their works: vivid Chinese dragons and exquisitely painted Peking Opera masks. In addition, they also master the complex exercise game - diabolo! Yet another productive day!







Dear visitors, the "Cloud Tour of China" of the Chinese Culture Week in SUIS Pudong has come to an end. I hope the immersive experience of the teachers and guides can keep the children stay still but their heart moves far around China. We eagerly look forward to next year's festivities!

Winter Bazaar

On 22nd December, we had our festive and magical Winter Bazaar. All the students came to school in their Christmas themed clothes, ready for all the exciting events. In the morning, there were various thrilling activities held in classrooms. Students got to participate in many different types of jolly tasks like making Christmas trees, designing mosaic coasters and decorating Christmas cookies.







Our parents, of course, would not be excluded from this exciting moment. PSG members came in and severed hot chocolate to our students. Look how joyful all the students were!

We even have a special 'Santa booth', with a lovely background designed and made by our parents, allowing all the students get an opportunity to take a photo with Santa!

Thank Ms Cindy for organizing all these.



Winter Concert

The Primary Music Department was busy at the close of 2021:

The Winter Concert (December 21st) and the Winter Bazaar (December 22nd) were two thrilling afternoon concerts. Both concerts were Live Streamed to our Parents and were a great success for everyone.





The Winter Concert contained various groups and soloists ranging from Classical Guitar through to Classical Ballet dancers. The school Orchestra and School Choir also featured separately before combining for a Finale which all thoroughly enjoyed.

A special thanks to Mr. John and Ms. Emily!

Key Dates

January 1st - 3rd: New Year's Day Holiday

• January 4th: Back to school

January 4th: Flag Raising Ceremony (Wear house T-shirt)

Ms. Kim Sahi

Co-Principal

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Head of Primary



CCA Selection Term 2 - Grade 1-2-3

Dear Parents, Dated: 31st December 2021

Please find attached information regarding our Co-Curriculum Activities (CCA) selection for Term 2. The CCA for Term 2 will commence on Wednesday 23rd of February, 2022.

Students will sign up for CCA's using the same online system as last term. There are several interesting Outdoor and Indoor choices for CCA. Each student will choose 1 CCA for each term. In the interest of fairness, no student can sign up to the same CCA as the first term. If this happens the student will be placed to another CCA.

Term 2 Choices				
Badminton	Puzzle & Jigsaw	Calligraphy	Origami	
Dodgeball	Board Games	Paper Art	Model Making	
Hockey	Corn Art	Drama	Coding Club	
Basketball	Creative Writing	Clay Modelling	Music	

Use this link to get on the website: http://203.156.233.229:888. Then, use the username and password from your child's homework diary to log in. Once signed in, please follow the steps below to sign up to the relevant CCA's.

The system will open on **Wednesday**, **5**th **of January at 7pm** and will close on **Monday**, **10**th **of January at 7pm**. Parents will not be able to log-in to the system after the closing date. If a student has not signed up for a CCA using the online system, their CCA will be chosen by their homeroom teacher in consultation with the CCA coordinator.

If you require any assistance with the online CCA sign-up, please contact Mr. Matthew Terrana (Deputy Head of Primary) at matthewt.pd@suis.com.cn .

Yours Sincerely,

Matthew Terrana

Deputy Head of International Stream Primary Shanghai United International School Pudong Campus



CCA Selection Term 2 - Grade 4-5

Dear Parents, Dated: 31st December 2021

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Term 2 Choices				
Football	Embroidery Design	ISP Art Club	Origami	
Dodgeball	Board Games	Model Making	Clay Modelling	
Ball & Athletic Games	3D - Corn Art	Coding Club	Music	
Multi-Sport				

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