

DECEMBER 1-5, 2025

MAIN CAMPUS WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



IMPORTANT DATES

December 8-9

- PYP Human Growth and Development Event

December 8-12

- Hour of AI

December 11

- Winter Concert
- Parent Support Group (PSG) Meeting #2
- U16 Boys/Girls Basketball vs Lanna

December 19

- Semester 1 Ends
- Student-Led Assembly by Grade 9

December 20-January 11

- **December Break**

January 8-11

- Student ROTC Camp

January 12

- Teacher's PD Day (No School for Students)

January 13

- Semester 2/Quarter 3 Begins
- Senior Cross Country at GIS

January 16

- Junior Track & Field Meet (TBD)

January 28

- Senior Cross Country Meet (Hosted by APIS)

January 31

- International Fair 2026

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Hello Main Campus Families,

Happy Thursday! In English, we call the next two weeks "The Home Stretch." It's the time right before a very well-deserved break.

As you all know, the last day of our first semester is Friday, December 19. But between now and then, we have a ton of things coming up!

First up, please remember that there is **NO SCHOOL TOMORROW, December 5, in honor of Father's Day**. Also, today is the final day of After School Activities until 2026, so all students will be dismissed at 3:30 every day for the next two weeks. Please adjust your pick-up plans accordingly.

Next week, we have a fairly big event — the first Main Campus Winter Music Concert ever! We are so excited to show you all what our music students can do. The concert is even more impressive because many of our students had never played an instrument before this year.

The concert will be from 9:00-10:00 am, and we will have a PSG meeting immediately afterward, where we will share some ideas to use the Winter Break productively.

The following week is our last week before break, and we have some very exciting things in store for all the students at MC! Details will be released next week, but trust me — the students won't want to miss it!

The final thing before break will be sending home our Semester 1 Report Cards on Friday, December 19. This is a full breakdown of your child's progress this year, and we encourage you to read this report carefully with your child.

That's it from me. Have a wonderful long weekend. We will see everyone back at school on Monday, December 8.

Regards,

Jordan Scheer

IMPORTANT SCHOOL CALENDAR NOTICE

Please be informed that **school will be open as usual on Constitution Day, Wednesday, December 10, 2025**. It is not a holiday, and all students are expected to attend classes as normal.

GRADE 5 CWW

Grade 5 students went on a 2-day field trip to Lamphun with Insight Adventures to learn about creativity, resilience, and caring for the environment, from December 3 to 4. They visited an organic farm to explore sustainable farming, planted seedlings, and tried traditional basket weaving. They also learned how plastic was recycled into new products at the Green Road Technology School and made their own recycled item. Finally, they hiked to a beautiful lake where they practiced 'Leave No Trace' principles, observed nature, and created sketches. Throughout the trip, students worked as a team, tried new ideas, faced challenges, and reflected on what they learned.



MYP THAI LA FIELD TRIP TO CHIANG MAI OLD CITY

Students from MYP Thai LA classes explored Chiang Mai Old City and local museums to deepen their understanding of the Holiday and Travel unit on Friday, November 28. This real-life experience allowed them to observe culture, practice travel vocabulary, and gather inspiration for their summative video project promoting Chiang Mai's tourist attractions using authentic Thai language skills.



COOL WEATHER, WARM LEARNING WITH G9 I&S

We love how the weather is incredibly nice here at the main campus this week! The cool, refreshing air makes it the perfect setting for outdoor learning. Grade 9 students enjoyed studying Individuals & Societies outside the classroom, breathing in the cool air as they focused on their work. They collaborated on their Holocaust timeline project, mapping significant events with care and insight. Despite the chilly weather, they embraced the sunshine outdoors, working in groups surrounded by nature. Their teamwork and thoughtful engagement brought history to life in a meaningful, memorable way.



WINTER CONCERT & PSG MEETING YOU'RE INVITED!

On Thursday, December 11, the APIS Main Campus Music Department will host our first-ever Winter Concert! Students from across the English Academy, and Grades 5-10, will perform a selection of Winter and Christmas-themed music.

Immediately following the concert, we will have a Parent Support Group Meeting where we will share ways to make the upcoming Winter Break a productive and meaningful time for your children and families. We hope you join us for what will be a wonderful morning of music and thought-provoking information.

Please RSVP for both events here so we can prepare accordingly.

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BABY PODCAST EP 12 NIGHT FLOWERS, CAT POWER AND ROBLOX MYSTERIES

Andy explores how magnets stick by revealing the invisible force that pulls objects together, while Cindral introduces the rare Night-Blooming Cereus, a cactus flower that opens only at night. Esthee explains why cats are natural carnivores that need meat to stay strong, and Lindsey follows Zevin in his Roblox playback, where he spots something eerie—the mysterious echoplayer. Finally, Nick breaks down the truth behind Rage Quitting and those unforgettable “AAAAARGH!” gamer moments.

APIS MUSIC PROGRAM

WINTER SHOWCASE

11 DECEMBER, 2025

09:00 AM - 10:00 AM

❄️ LIVE MUSIC ❄️



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WINTER CONCERT & PSG MEETING #2

Thursday, December 11, 2025

9:00-11:30 AM

Main Campus Auditorium

9:00-10:00 AM

Winter Concert

Enjoy live performances by our PYP and MYP students as they showcase the songs they have been learning during the first semester.

10:30-11:30 AM

Parent Support Group (PSG) Meeting #2

Come get updates from our principal, Mr. Jordan, about what's happening on Main Campus, PLUS a special presentation on how to make this Winter Break a productive and meaningful time for you and your children.

Join us!