

JUNE 8-12, 2026

# MAIN CAMPUS WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



## IMPORTANT DATES

**June 13–August 12**

- School break

**August 13**

- First Day of School (SY of 2026-27)

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Good Afternoon APIS Community,

This message is always the hardest one to write. We have come to the end of the 2025–26 school year.

On behalf of myself and my family, I would like to thank all of you for making us feel welcome and part of this community from the very beginning. APIS is a truly special place, and we are excited about the future that lies ahead.

On behalf of our Main Campus staff, I would also like to thank you for the commitment and support you have shown our school throughout the year. We are incredibly proud of everything we have accomplished alongside your children, and we are already looking forward to next year and the exciting opportunities it will bring.

This summer, I have just two requests:

**1. Please encourage your children to read in English as much as possible.**

Language skills are built through practice, and one of the best ways to become a stronger reader, writer, and communicator is to read regularly.

**2. Enjoy your summer break.**

Relax, have fun, and stay safe. Spend time with family, reconnect with friends, and enjoy your favorite foods from home. Take time to recharge and create lasting memories. Then come back to us in August refreshed, energized, and ready to take on the challenges and opportunities of a new school year.

That's it from me here at APIS Main Campus. Thank you once again for a wonderful year.

Have a fantastic summer!

Regards,

Mr. Jordan



**APIS CALENDAR 2025–26**



In Remembrance of

Her Royal Highness Princess Bajrakitiyabha  
Narendiradebyavati Kromluangrajasarinisiribajra  
Mahavajrarajadhita

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With profound respect and sincere condolences,  
American Pacific International School

# G10 INTEGRATED ARTS GLOBAL STORIES: FROM FRAMES TO FLOWS ANIMATION

In the second semester, Gr. 10 Arts (Music and Visual Arts) students worked on a unit called: Global Stories – From Frames to Flows.

In this unit, our Visual Arts students researched multimedia fine artists and music video directors, drawing inspiration from visionaries like William Kentridge, Takashi Murakami, Spike Jonze, Michael Gondry, and the animated band, Gorillaz, to inspire their own animations.

Albert Li and Rex Hwang developed their stop motion animation skills – experimenting with pencil-drawn, whiteboard-drawn, and human animation types of stop motion animation – before refining and creating cardboard cut-out puppet animation.

From the very beginning, our director Rex brought a clear and compelling vision to the hip hop story. That vision informed a soundtrack produced by Edy Htoo and flow performed by Vigo, Jack, Gaon, and Anbel.

What makes this animation truly special – no AI was used. Every puppet, every scene, every frame was handmade and photographed one shot at a time on Albert's mobile phone. The collaborative project involved patience, creativity, and creative problem solving – including the challenge of synchronizing hundreds of images to create Mario - OUT OF AIR

## Credits:

Directed by Rex Hwang

Photography by Albert Li

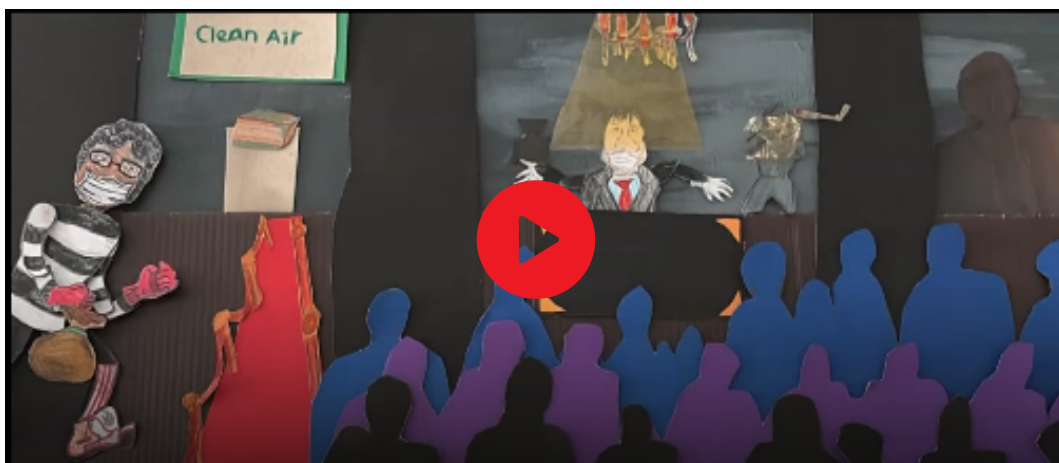
Prop Assistants: Anbel, Albert, Rex, Oscar, Gaon, Talon, Jack

Soundtrack composed by Edy Htoo

Hip Hop Crew: Vigo, Jack, Anbel, Anbel, Gaon

Editing by Albert and Anbel

Special thanks to Ms. Heidi, MYP Music teacher and Ms. Margaret, MYP Visual Arts teacher.



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## SERVICE LEARNING DAY

Our students dedicated a meaningful day to giving back to the community through a variety of hands-on service learning activities that embodied compassion, collaboration, and global citizenship.

Students connected with local schools through interactive English learning activities and friendly sports sessions, creating opportunities to build confidence, friendships, and cultural connections. They also rolled up their sleeves for environmental initiatives, taking part in a trail clean-up to help preserve the natural beauty of our surroundings, and exploring sustainable waste management through the Scraps to Soil project, where they learned how organic waste can be transformed into a valuable resource for the environment.

Adding a special touch of gratitude to the day, students repurposed recycled bottles into creative plant pots that were gifted to American Pacific International School (APIS) support staff as a token of appreciation for their hard work and dedication to our school community.

At APIS, we believe that meaningful learning happens when knowledge is paired with action—and our students continue to demonstrate that through service, stewardship, and a commitment to creating a positive impact in the world around them.



## APIS GOT TALENT

Our Main Campus proudly hosted its very first APIS Got Talent, and what an afternoon it was! From music and dance to martial arts and rap, our students amazed us with their confidence, creativity, and courage. There were moments when the audience sat at the edge of their seats, moments when the auditorium filled with gasps and wows, and moments when people jumped to their feet to applaud. More than just a talent show, the event was a wonderful example of whole-child development in action, giving students the opportunity to express themselves, take risks, build confidence, and showcase talents that we do not always get to see in the classroom.

A huge congratulations to all of our performers for sharing their talents and inspiring our community. We also extend our sincere thanks to the teachers, staff, judges, and families whose support helped make this event such a success. APIS Got Talent was a celebration of individuality, perseverance, and school spirit, and we look forward to creating even more opportunities for our students to shine in the years to come.



## MC SPORTS DAY BY STUCO

Hosted by StuCo on June 10, 2026, MC Sports Day was an action-packed celebration of teamwork, energy, and school spirit! From intense matches of volleyball and ultimate frisbee to the chaos and laughter of sponge races and chairball, there was something for everyone to enjoy. Students and teachers alike jumped into the competition, whether racing across the field to capture the flag, kicking for the win in kickball, or battling it out in a lively Kahoot showdown.

With the rain holding off and spirits running high, it was truly a day well spent. In a dramatic finish, the tie-breaking Tug of War match wrapped up just as the rain finally began to pour—luck was on our side! Thank you to everyone who participated, supported their teams, and helped make the day unforgettable. We can't wait to make the next one even bigger and better!



## END-OF-YEAR ASSEMBLY

Our school community came together for a memorable End of Year Assembly, proudly hosted by our Grade 7 students. Families, students, and staff gathered to celebrate the many achievements and milestones of the academic year.

The assembly featured our award presentations, including CMAC Awards, Learner Profile Awards (Balanced and Reflective), Staff Long Term Service Awards, Model UN Participation, World Scholar Cup Participation, and other special recognitions that highlighted the hard work, growth, and accomplishments of our students throughout the year. The event also included a few special surprises that brought smiles, laughter, and excitement to the afternoon.

As the final day of classes, the assembly provided a meaningful opportunity to reflect on the successes of the year and recognize the contributions of students and staff who helped make it such a positive and rewarding experience. Thank you to everyone who joined us in celebrating the end of another wonderful school year.



## A PERFECT SEND-OFF TO THE SCHOOL YEAR

Our last day of school was filled with laughter, excitement, and memorable moments as students celebrated the end of another successful school year together. Students enjoyed a variety of fun activities throughout the day, including a pool party where they splashed, swam, and cooled off with their friends. Others gathered to watch a football match together, cheering enthusiastically for their favorite teams and enjoying the spirit of friendly competition.

For those who preferred a more relaxed celebration, movie screenings provided the perfect opportunity to unwind and enjoy time with classmates. Whether in the pool, on the sidelines, or in front of the screen, students spent the day making lasting memories and celebrating the friendships and achievements that made this school year special.

It was a wonderful way to end the year, and we wish all of our students and families a safe, happy, and enjoyable holiday break. We look forward to welcoming everyone back for another exciting year ahead!

