

Lower School News

September 25th, 2015

Upcoming Dates

- September 30th (Wednesday) Parent Workshop in LS 4th floor lab at 7:30 am, Topic: How we teach writing and math
- October 6th (Tuesday) LS ESLR Assembly 7:15 2nd floor gym
- October 9th (Friday) end of the first quarter
- October 12th-15th SPIRIT WEEK
- October 16th No school for students PARENT - TEACHER Conferences

LS Update

This has been another great week at TCIS full of learning and fun in our lower school. On Monday we had a fire drill so we could learn how to evacuate safely in case of an emergency. As a school we continue to work on building habits around school that will help us all to be respectful, responsible, and safe. This week was also had a lot of fun! We had our first lower school monthly ESLR assembly and we had wonderful celebrations for the Moon Festival hosted by the library.

Reminders to parents

*We are nearly at the end of our first quarter. A note went home last week with your child regarding **sign ups for parent conferences**. Please call the registrar to get your appointment time scheduled. The conference day is on Friday, October 16th. At that time your teacher will share the report card, MAP scores for grades 1-4, and will talk about how your child is doing and goals for continued growth. A partnership between home and school is very important to learning so please sign up!

*Parents please remember to **update your email address** and other contact details with the registrar so we have the most current information on file.

***School finishes at 3:10**. After 4:00 we do not have supervision for LS students that are still on campus unless they are in an organized activity such as ASEP. Please plan accordingly. When school is dismissed students should be waiting in the pick up areas in the parking garage if you are not supervising them. Thank you.

*On Wednesday, September 30th at 7:30 we have our second **parent workshop** on the 4th floor of the lower school. The topic of the session will be to inform about our writing and math programs. We want to help you understand our programs, style of teaching, and how you can best support your child as well as answer any questions you have. I really hope you can come!

*On Tuesday we had our first LS ESLR Assembly about complex thinkers. Thank you to all the parents who attended. Our **next LS assembly** will be on Tuesday, October 6th at 7:15 about collaborative workers.

CLASSROOM HIGHLIGHT -- -- Mr. Val & Ms. Casey --

This week our 3A students had a special treat. Mr. Val brought his high school students to 3A to share fables they had written. They read and acted out their stories then discussed the moral of the story with the class. It was a wonderful way to share learning across the school.



PE News

Students continue to do swimming during their PE classes. All students should be swimming unless they have a doctors note as it is an important life skill.

Library News

Book Fair coming soon! More information next week.

After School Enrichment Program

Reminder this is the link to our ASEP program. There are many great opportunities for your children so take a look. <http://shanesz.wix.com/asep>

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