



WELCOME TO DIRECTOR'S

Weekly Newsletter

we're so glad you're here!

CAS Trip



DEAR STUDENT,

Our recent **CAS trip to Chikkamagaluru** with 20 enthusiastic DP2 students, was an unforgettable experience filled with adventure, camaraderie, and **valuable life lessons**. Nestled in the lush greenery of the Western Ghats, Chikkamagaluru provided the perfect setting for students to engage in activities that enhanced their **teamwork, discipline, and appreciation for nature**. The experiences they gained during the trip—whether trekking through the hills, working together to solve challenges, or simply enjoying the beauty of nature—will leave a lasting impact on their character and outlook on life.

MYP 3 Activity

STRUCTURE OF THE EARTH AND PLATE TECTONICS , INDIVIDUALS AND SOCIETIES

To understand the causes of natural hazards, students of MYP 3 looked at the structure of the Earth and the plate tectonics. They demonstrated their understanding through activities.

In one activity they selected an object and explained how it represented the structure of the Earth. The selection was an **interesting mix of fruits** (mango, plum, peach, gooseberry, avocado, modified coconut, apple), food items (egg, layered mouse, chocolate) and the **upper arm of the body**.

In another activity they collaborated with the Science lab to represent **Earth's mass and to observe the convection currents**. Using materials of different density (water, oil and polystyrene), the students showed how much each layer represents in proportion to the Earth's mass and how the convection currents in the mantle cause the movement of the tectonic plates. I appreciate our Individuals and Societies **Teacher Ms. Prasoona** for her sincere efforts to help the students understand the concept clearly.



Design Competition



Students of **Myp 2A and MYP 3A** are participating in design battle competition hosted by Bliss International School, Pune.

PYP 4 Math Activity

DISTANCES OF PLANETS FROM THE SUN

In our recent PYP 4 math activity, students explored the **concept of scaled measurements by mapping out the distances of planets from the Sun**. Using a given scale for each planet, learners measured the distance from the Sun and **calculated the exact distances** in astronomical units (AU).

This **hands-on experience** allowed students to gain a deeper understanding of astronomical distances and the vastness of our solar system, while also applying their math skills to real-world contexts.

Through this activity, they engaged in collaborative problem-solving and enhanced their ability to work with units of measurement. I congratulate the **teachers of grade 4** for designing and carrying out this activity.

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Theatrics

AUDITION RESULT AND CAST REVEAL

HUS Theatrics has kickstarted with auditions and the excitement is palpable among the **students of MYP & DP** as the **results** were released this week. Over the years our in-house Musical Theatre Productions have turned into a flagship event that has drawn the attention of our wider community.

This year, **our Arts Department** is gearing up to stage an original **play written by Ms. Soumya, our Drama Teacher**. The play explores the role of **A.I & human ingenuity** in futuristic world.

Stay tuned to find out how this year's Theatrics will become a powerful culmination of **student learning, creativity, and collaboration**, showcasing not only their artistic talents but also their **critical thinking, communication, and reflective skills** in an exploration of a globally relevant theme—A.I. and the future of creativity.



Coming Up...

FALL FEST '24: A NIGHT OF FUN, FOOD, AND GIVING BACK!

Get ready for an evening filled with excitement, flavors, and entertainment at the much-anticipated **Fall Fest '24**, the annual flagship event of HUS, organized by the school's CAS team. This vibrant celebration, set to take place on **Saturday, 19th October 2024**, from **5:00 PM to 8:00 PM** on the HUS premises, serves a greater purpose—raising funds for the educational needs of deserving students.



The fest offers something for everyone, with a **diverse range of stalls**, from mouth-watering food to tarot reading, sure to entertain all age groups. Last year's event saw a gathering of over 1,000 attendees, and this year promises to be even bigger, with an **expected crowd of 1,500 people!**

The evening will be brought to life by the **HUS school band**, which has curated a musical lineup catering to all generations. In addition, the stage will be shared with four up-and-coming bands, adding fresh sounds to the mix.

Mark your calendars for a night that's not only fun and festive but also supports a meaningful cause. **Come join the celebration—enjoy the colors, savor the flavors, and be part of something special!**