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Elementary School News #29

Monday, March 15th, 2021

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Dear Parents and the TCIS Community,

MOE Student Tracking Link for this Week

Please fill out this week's MOE Student Tracking form today. Thank you for helping meet this MOE requirement. It is very important that the MOE Student Tracking Form is filled out each Monday.

[MOE Student Tracking](#)

Grade 3 Puppet Show - Entertaining Science!

Ms. Joy's grade 3 class did a fantastic job with their innovative Puppet Show Science Project! They put in a lot of effort into their presentations. I was very impressed with our students. Hopefully, you were able to join in as we streamed it live online.

Well done, Grade 3 and Ms. Joy!

After School Play and Playground Reminders

Students are not allowed to use the playground after 3:10pm - even if parents are with them. Students are allowed to use the basketball court and football field only if they are not being used by ASEP or for athletics. If ASEP or athletics are taking place on the basketball court or football field, students must stay off of those areas for safety reasons.

When students play, parents must accompany and monitor them at all times. Students are not permitted to walk around the campus alone after 3:10pm. Also, we ask for play to stop and students exit the campus at 4:00pm. Thank you for your support and understanding.

Report Cards

Report cards will be sent home on Friday, March 18th, 2021. If you have any questions about report cards, please contact your child's teacher/s.

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Dr. James

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Mr. Alex's Corner



Book from 3B Jumping Rope.

Hello,

We had a very fun week at TCIS. As we begin quarter 4 we realize that we are in the tail end of the school year. Even though we are approaching the end of the year we need to stay focused and finish strong.

In PE we are finishing up our jump rope unit. The students will have a chance this week at creating their own trick jumps. It has been amazing to see the progress of many of our students.

In SEL class the students have come up with some great rules. They were able to recognize the importance of rules and why we have them in school.

One notable recess rule was "Treat others nicely no matter if they are nice or mean." Justin, Ariel, Dee Dee G2B.

I hope everyone has a great week and as always if you need anything please reach out.

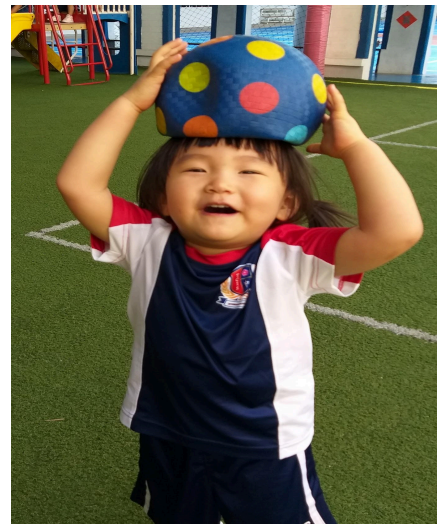
Mr. Alex

Important Dates

March '21	1	2	3	4	5		
	8	9	10	11	12	12	3rd Quarter Ends - 54 days
	15	16	17	18	19	15	Quarter 4 begins
	22	23	24	25	26		
	29	30	31				
April '21				1	2	6	Chakri Day
	5	6	7	8	9	12-19	Songkran Holiday School Closed
	12	13	14	15	16	20	School resumes
	19	20	21	22	23		
	26	27	28	29	30		



PK2 Class with Ms.Kathy



PK3 Class with Ms.Bell

PK3 Transportation Sorting Activity: This Land, Air and Sea vehicle transportation is a great way to add to our transportation unit. It helps our students sort a variety of transportation while developing their independent lifelong learning skills.



PK3 Class with Ms.Esther

PK3 kids are learning different tastes from variety food and using vegetables to make a face.



KGA Class with Ms.Nilar

KGA Reading before nap



KGB Class with Ms. Carie



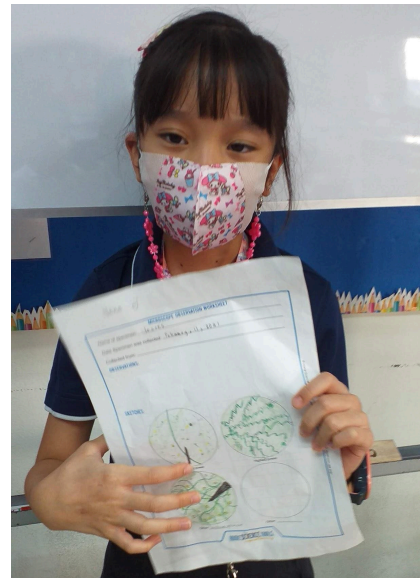
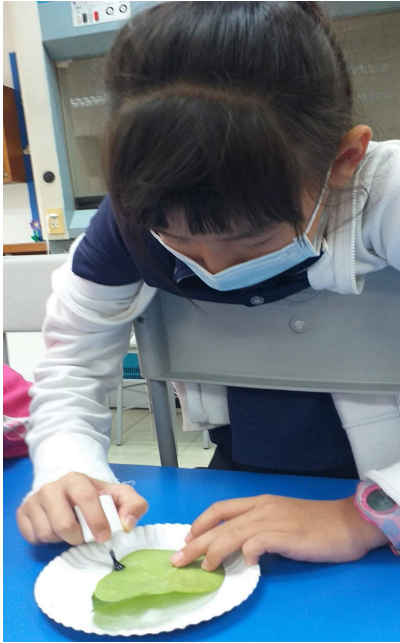
Grade 2B class with Mr.Grag

This week students learned about how to scoop words into small phrases and use dialogue tags to choose a character's voice while they were reading. These lessons help them to improve their reading skill more fluently.



Grade 3 Science

Grade 3 students performing leaf experiments called Leaf Cells through a Microscope and Stomata Printing with a Microscope . Our young scientists performed the leaf experiments and recorded observations to learn more about leaves by studying different sections of real leaves. As independent life-long learners, they kept detailed records, and made entries of each individually obtained information that included drawings and descriptions.





TCIS ASEP SPECIAL GROUP CLASSES

TCIS TEACHERS

2020-2021 SEMESTER 2

Baking

Ms. Joy & Ms. Kathy

Wed G1-G8

Reward yourselves with homemade treats while learning the fundamentals of baking, boosting your creativity and excitement. Understanding step-by-step directions will lead you to the next level: knowing how to make pies, tarts, quiches, homemade pasta, bread, brownies, blondies and cakes. Join our fun and bake fearlessly

- * Fee: 5000 baht including material fee
- * 10 sessions
- * Classes size: Min 8 - Max 14



Art Club

Ms. Cream

Thur: KG-G4

In the art club, students will create variety of artworks and learn about several artists and art vocabularies through the activities such as drawing, painting, printmaking, sculpture and collage.

- * Fee 4000 Baht
- * 10 sessions
- * Classes size: Min 3 - Max 6



Lego Robotics

Dr. Kevin

Wed, G1 - G4

LEGO activities have taken center stage in much of our play and learning time. Of course all these awesome LEGO activities include science experiments and STEAM challenges! LEGO is all about building, creating, exploring, and expanding the imagination. Lego Robotics teaches us how to problem solve and use intricate details to make a design come alive.

- * Fee: THB 400 per class
- * Classes size: Min 3 - Max 5



Strategy Games

Ms. Emma & Mr. Andrew

Tue /Wed/Thur

G1-G4, G5-G6

The Strategy Games Club aims to develop the minds of its members in thinking critically and creatively through a variety of strategy games. Students will learn the spirit of sportsmanship, which will help with interpersonal communication and social skills. Club members are encouraged to be self-directed learners and problem solvers while also having fun!

- * Fee: THB 400 per class
- * Classes size: Min 3 - Max 12



String Club

Dr. Li-Chou

Tue, Thur

G5-G7

Many researches attest the music learning help the young kids to be successful also academically. The string club welcomes beginner or non beginner to enjoy the music in group and having fun playing the string instruments such as violin, viola or cello.

- * Fee: THB 400 per class
- * Classes size: Min 3 - Max 8



Thur G3 - G12

Magic Club

Mr. Jeff

The Magic Club's focus will be on teaching students skills necessary to perform amazing feats of magic, sleight of hand, misdirection and mentalism. Students will be encouraged to practice and perform as much as possible, which will help them with their communication skills, social skills, performance skills and confidence.

- * Fee: THB 400 per class
- * Classes size: Min 3 - Max 10



Drawing Club

Mr. Ju-Hung

Thur G4 - G12

In the drawing club, we will practice using pencils, color pencils, and markers to draw people, animals, plants, objects, etc. If you like drawing, This is the ideal activity for you.

- * Fee: 4000
- * 10 sessions
- * Classes size: Min 3 - Max 10



Chess Club

Mr. Jeff

Wed G4 - G12

The TCIS Chess Club is designed to give students a chance to learn the game of chess, improve their chess skills, and to compete against their classmates. Chess is a great way to develop critical thinking, problem solving, and decision making skills. Our club will encourage friendly competition, sportsmanship, and fun, while promoting English language usage at all times. All students are welcome, from beginners to veterans!

- * Fee: THB 400 per class
- * Classes size: Min 3 - Max 10



Storybook Crafts

Ms. Erin

Tue, Thur G1-G2

Strengthen your reading comprehension skills by reading some of your favorite stories and learning some new ones! We will learn more about the books that we read through discussion and art projects.

- * Fee: THB 400 per class
- * Classes size: 3 - 6

Needlework Club

Ms. Buab

Thur G4 - G12

It's time for fun and creativity!! Students will learn the basic sewing skills, various kinds of stitches, embroidery hoop arts, design patterns for embroidery, create needlecraft projects, etc. Students will enjoy their DIY time and will be proud of the handmade "Piece of Art" they create.

- * Fee: 5000 (including material fee)
- * 10 sessions
- * Classes size: Min 3 - Max 6



CMT Grade 1 Prep Course

Dr. Jessica

Wed,

PK4 - KG

Preparing students to join Chinese Mother Tongue (CMT) class in Grade 1.

1. Chinese spelling system ㄅ ㄆ ㄇ practice
2. Basic 100 Chinese characters
3. Topic conversation

- * Fee: THB 400 per class
- * Classes size: 6

Chinese Math

Dr. Kevin

Thur G1-G2

Fri G3-G4

Provide effective learning to increase the ability to understand mathematical calculations and problem solving using Chinese.

- * Fee: THB 400 per class
- * Classes size: 6 (class starts when there are 6 students)

Chinese Calligraphy

Mr. Ju-Hung

Fri G5-G12

This calligraphy class will help you experience the ancient form of Chinese writing methods. This class, will also teach students to be more patient and calm as well as improve Chinese writing skills.

- * Fee: 4000
- * 10 sessions
- * Class size: Min 3 - Max 10



Gymnastics/Tumbling

Ms. Barbara

Wed,

KG - G2

This is an introductory gymnastics class which will focus on the basics of tumbling, strength, flexibility, balance, shapes, and form. Participants will learn skills like forward rolls, cartwheels, handstands, and various jumps and leaps. It is meant for beginners, so no previous gymnastics experience is required.

- * Fee: 4000
- * 10 sessions
- * Classes size: Min 4 - Max 8



ECE Fun Lego

Dr. Kevin

Tue,

PK4 - KG

This is an introductory to building with Lego. In this activity students will be encouraged to play creatively with Lego blocks, helping to cultivate patience, inspire intelligence and improve hand-eye coordination.

- * Fee: THB 400 per class
- * Classes size: Min 3 - Max 6



Chinese for Beginners

Mr. Frankle

Thur G1 - G4

Enhance Pinyin, Chinese vocabulary, survival Chinese and basic conversation in order to catch up with mainstream Chinese classes.

- * Fee: THB 400 per class
- * Classes size: 6 (class starts when there are 6 students)

TCIS ASEP SPECIAL GROUP CLASSES

OUTSIDE PROGRAMS

2020-2021 SEMESTER 2

Inline Skating

BKK Skating School

Friday
G1-G8



BKK Skating School is the first and only Skating school in Thailand. We follow the 5-level Inline Skating curriculum accredited by the World skate organization. Inline skating or Rollerblading is a great activity for boys and girls.

After only one or two lessons most children are able to find their balance and can skate on their own. That's when students fall in love with the sport and gain confidence to learn more. Skating helps develop autonomy in children, discovering their strengths and limitations, taking learning into their own hands.

Inline skating helps children keep fit while having fun, encouraging fast decision making and leadership skills.

There are many other physical and health benefits including: increased endurance & body strength, improved coordination, balance, reflexes and flexibility.

As students master the art, movement becomes natural, helping to clear the mind and relieve stress. Skating is simply great fun!

- * Fee: 5500
- * 10 sessions
- * Classes size: Min 6 - Max 10

Super 7 Taekwondo

Coach Ake & Coach Nikon

Tue: G1-G4
Wed G5-G6

Super 7 Taekwondo is a dynamic martial arts program designed especially for Elementary Students Grades 1 - 5. Our Taekwondo Club focuses on strengthening the student's Mind, Body and Spirit. We use the latest training programs from the Thai National Taekwondo Team, Juice Compound (US Taekwondo Training) and Gymnastic Bodies (Flexibility and Core Strength). We help students create a strong foundation for Taekwondo Techniques, body strength, flexibility, and natural confidence. Our program is fun, dynamic and challenges students to grow stronger.

- * Fee: 5800 Baht including Belt Exam fee
- * 10 sessions
- * Classes size: Min 6 - Max 15



Tennis

PJ Tennis Academy

Thur
G1 - G3

PJ Tennis is founded by Paradorn Srichaphan - ATP Singles No.9 and Jed Gould - Australian No.1 Junior. Our Hot Shots Tennis club is the fun way for students to learn how to play tennis at school under the guidance of our tennis professionals.

Smaller courts, nets, racquets and low-compression balls make learning easy and gives younger players the chance to serve, rally and score right from the first time they play before we move into a full size tennis court and more streamlined tennis programs.

- * Fee: 5500
- * 10 sessions
- * Classes size: Min 8



Dance

Movez Dance Academy

Fri
KG-G2

Movez professional dance instructors offer fun dance classes in jazz, hip hop, K-pop dance moves for younger kids.

- * Fee: 5000
- * 10 sessions
- * Classes size: Min 8

Minecraft Education

Learn & Play



Tue G1 - G8

Minecraft could be considered an online, updated version of the classic Lego building blocks, which are connected and assembled to create a practically limitless variety of structures. The same is true for Minecraft, except that instead of handling building blocks, users operate in a virtual world, using pixelated cubes. The main limitation is the user's imagination. Minecraft gives users the additional advantage of being able to play safely with water, earth, fire, trees, and other natural elements. The Education edition is a game-based learning platform with standards-aligned content across K-12 subjects and special features designed for classroom use. Being the second most popular game of all time with over 100,000,000 copies sold, chances are your students are already familiar with it!

Most of today's students will have to succeed in future jobs that don't yet exist, and schools around the world are working hard to equip their students with skills to meet this challenge. This is where Minecraft: Education Edition comes in. It is a powerful tool to achieve significant student outcomes because it is an open-world building game that promotes creativity, collaboration, and problem-solving in an immersive environment where the only limit is your imagination.

* Fee: 5500

* 10 sessions

* Classes size: Min 3 - Max 10



Youtube Creator Studio

Learn & Play



Wed G2 - G8

When you ask students what their dream job is, many will answer with "Youtuber." This is not surprising given the fact that children and teenagers are increasingly shifting from watching TV to following their favorite channels on various streaming platforms. Our approach is: Why wait? With any kind of electronic device, anyone can start their career as a Youtuber. With the help of our experienced coaches, the students will be carefully guided through the process of setting up and running their own YouTube channel.

Learning Objectives:

- Analyzing interests
- Teamwork and collaboration
- Creativity
- Improving public speaking skills
- Mastering a range of filming techniques and camera movements
- Using a range of video editing software
- Choosing appropriate lighting setups
- Staying safe online when posting content and engaging with the audience
- Managing and analyzing their own YouTube channel

* Fee: 5500

* 10 sessions

* Classes size: 3 - 6



REGISTER NOW!

Pay and reserve a spot

before **23rd February**

Contact TCIS Registrar

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ECA Multi Sports

ECA Solutions

Tue

PK3 - KG

ECA Solutions Asia is one of Thailand's most trusted and professional companies providing after school activities to multiple International Schools across S.E. Asia.

Our Multi-sport program focuses on:

- Ages 2 years and up
- Developing general skills and confidence.
- Individual and team building activities.
- We develop students motor skills, sports movement and basic sports skills. This will then progress into sports techniques — (throwing, catching, kicking and jumping).
- As students progress through primary school we will focus on 2-3 sports activities across a term so they can learn and play a variety of great sports.

* Fee: 5500

* 10 sessions

* Classes size: Min 6 - 10

ECA SOLUTIONS ASIA

WASC Update

February 22nd, 2021 Updates:

The TCIS Self-Study has been drafted. We are in the editing stages.

Thank you to the design team: **Ms. Patcharin** (design and layout consultant), **Ms. Mint** (organization), **Ms. Porkaew** (photographs), and **Ms. Cheryl** (contributor).

Mr. Thongchai, Parent Association President, will meet with me soon, and we will discuss parents' important involvement in the WASC process. Thank you, Mr. Thongchai.

One of the great things about TCIS is that we are a WASC accredited school. There are several major advantages to having your child attend a WASC accredited school. Among the many advantages are:

- Having an outside and unbiased agency assesses the quality of our programs
- There is a requirement for the school admin to regularly reflect upon all areas of the school and plan for improvement
- Accreditation requires certain quality and certification standards for all teaching staff be met.
- There is a requirement for community involvement in the school
- Students receive diplomas that are accepted world-wide with the same standing as a diploma from schools located in the USA.

We are currently drafting the TCIS 2021 Self-Study, and it will be sent to WASC towards the end of February. Our admin team and staff have put a lot of effort into preparing the report. It was truly a community effort. The WASC team will conduct a four-day virtual visit in April, and our campus will be very well prepared for a successful visit.

TCIS Season 3 Sports Practice Schedule

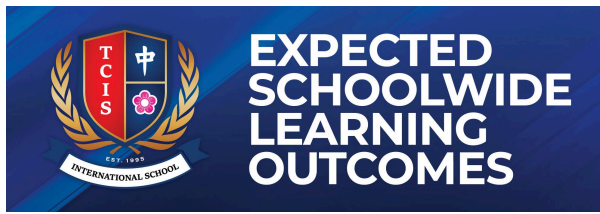
TCIS Season 3 Sports Practice Schedule

(Starting February 15, subject to change if necessary)




	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
U11 Softball/Tee Ball G3, G4 & G5 Mr. Andrew & Mr. Jim	4:00 - 5:00 pm Field		3:30 - 4:30 pm Field		
U13 Softball G5, G6 & G7 Mr. Andrew & Mr. Jim	4:00 - 5:00 pm Field		3:30 - 5:00 pm Field		
U13 Volleyball G6 & G7 Mr. Sean	4:00 - 5:00 pm Gym 5		3:30 - 5:00 pm Gym 4		
U15 Volleyball G8 & G9 Mr. Jim		4:00 - 5:00 pm Gym 5		3:30 - 5:00 pm Gym 5	
HS Softball G9 to G12 Mr. Sean		3:30 - 5:00 pm Field		3:30 - 5:00 pm Field	
HS Badminton G9 to G12 Mr. Alex & Mr. Nat	4:00 - 5:00 pm Gym 4		3:30 - 5:00 pm Gym 5		
Junior Swimming G1 to G4 Ms. Print	4:00 - 5:00 pm Swimming Pool		3:30 - 4:30/5:00 pm Swimming Pool		
Senior Swimming MS & HS Ms. Print		3:30 - 5:00 pm Swimming Pool		3:30 - 5:00 pm Swimming Pool	

March Canteen Menu (Thai&English)











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