



Our mission is to help each child reach his or her full potential by providing a positive environment that fosters academic, emotional, and social growth in each student.

Announcement



Happy Veteran's Day

We invite all parents, students and staff of SIS to commemorate this day with special thoughts and prayer for all the soldiers that are working for peace in the world. Especially for the ones that have given their lives so we may enjoy the benefits of freedom.



Thank you parents, teachers, staff and students of SIS for another fantastic Halloween Carnival.

Congratulations to the 10th Graders. They won the door contest. Good job!



International Thanksgiving Feast at SIS



Will be held on Wednesday, November 25th from 11:00 to 1:00. The information letter went home today with your child.

Please return the bottom part of the form, so we can plan accordingly.

Besides, the traditional turkey, and ham, we are going international! We will have food from the countries of the SIS families: China, Japan, Philippines, Korea, United States, Micronesia, Latin America, South Asia, and many more. We hope see all of you!



The SIS Annual Turkey Raffle is on! Pay \$1.00 and win a turkey and a basket! We are asking each family to sell at least 10 tickets. If you need more they are available with Miss Mili. The raffle will be held during the International Feast.



We would like to remind parents to help us keep our children healthier. If your child is sick, please do not send him/her at school. If your child has running nose, cough and fever they must stay at home.

Our First Competition of the Year!

By Shea Hartig

SIS hosted this school years first Lincoln-Douglas Debate. Last Friday at 5:00pm, middle school and high school students from schools -island wide gathered to begin the competition. This year's resolve (topic) is Resolved: Adolescents ought to have the right to make autonomous medical choices.

Quintin Ramsey was the only SIS student participating in the first debate. However, all students in Mr. Tessen's Debate club plan on joining the next competition. Overall five middle school students competed and six high school students.

After asking Mr. Tessen how he felt about SIS only having one competitor, he stated that "I did not expect any of the newbies to join the first competition. Most people come to the first one just to watch. But

hopefully after watching, they will all enter the next debate." I attended the competition, without joining, and observed. Quintin came out near the top, winning second place.

Mr. Tessen and his debate club are preparing and looking forward to the next competition. We are preparing for it by writing our arguments and practicing the skills required in debate. We are all hoping to place high, and make it to regionals representing SIS. Go Geckos!

Calendar

Monday November 9 B DAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mentoring Program from 3:00 p.m. to 3:40 p.m. • ASK 3:00 – 5:00 • Volleyball Middle School Practice from 3:15 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. • Volleyball High School Practice from 3:45 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. • Lunch: BBQ Chicken, Texas BBQ Beans, Potatoes Wedges, Steamed Rice, Fruit and Flavored Milk.
Tuesday November 10 A DAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mentoring Program from 3:00 p.m. to 3:40 p.m. • Tuesday Clubs: Art, Math, Basketball, Strength Training, Architecture and Engineering, Chorus, NFL/NJFL, Lincoln-Douglas Debate, Life Skills, SIS Survivor. • ASK 3:00 –5:00 • SIS MS 2 vs. MCA at SIS at 3:30 p.m. • Volleyball SIS 3 (HS) Boys vs. GCA HS Boys at SIS @ 4:30 p.m. • SIS MS 3 vs. GCA at SIS at 3:30 p.m. (grass court) • SIS 2 (HS) Girls vs. MCA 2 at SIS at 4:15 p.m. (grass court) • Lunch: Italian Lasagna, Garden Salad, Fruit and Milk
Wednesday November 11 HOLIDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • VETERAN'S DAY – SCHOOL HOLIDAY
Thursday November 12 A DAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mentoring Program from 3:00 p.m. to 3:40 p.m. • Class of the Month – Trip to PIC • SIS 3 (MS) vs. WPS (MS) at WPS at 3:30 p.m. • Volleyball SIS 1 (HS) Girls vs. MCS HS1 Girls at MCS @ 3:30 p.m. • SIS HS 2 Boys vs. MCS HS Boys at MCS at 4:30 p.m.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thursday Clubs: Art, Math, Basketball, Strength Training, Architecture and Engineering, Chorus, NFL/NJFL, Lincoln-Douglas Debate, Life Skills, SIS Survivor • ASK 3:00 – 5:00 • Lunch: Pepperoni Pizza, Carrots with Hummus Fruit and Milk
Friday November 13 B DAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mentoring Program from 3:00 p.m. to 3:40 p.m. • Friday Clubs: Calligraphy, Yearbook, Chess, Computer and Coding, Court Games, Yard Games Yoga and Wellness, Soccer Club, Film Club, Paper Cutting, SAT/ACT. • ASK 3:00 – 5:00 • Lunch: Seasoned Fish, Steamed Rice, Oriental Vegetables, Fruit, Milk

Lunch is served with a choice of water or milk, skim or 2% every day.
 Each meal costs \$0.75. Your child can buy lunch tickets every day or as many lunch tickets in advance.

Awards

These students have earned a Golden Pencil Award for great work on assignments this week	
Kindergarten	Landon Pudney
1st - 2nd Grade	Elsa Huh
3rd Grade	Charlene Son
4th Grade	Jaden Castro
5th Grade	Minjin Cho



For excellence displaying the virtue of Respect these Middle and High School students were given a Virtue Award	
6th Grade	Hyun Min Cho
7th Grade	Brian Youn
8th Grade	Anna Qian
9th Grade	Tania Tan
10th Grade	Hyun Ji Kim
11th Grade	Keriann Callaghan
12th Grade	Takumi Sugie

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Upcoming events

- **November 18 Board of Directors Meeting at SIS**
- **November 25 International Thanksgiving Feast**

Thank you

- **Thank you to Bernard Laborce for sharing his talents with the Life Skills Class.**

We need

- **Ms. Morrell is looking for a used blender to make a “paper-clay” with the Art Class. 😊**