



## VISION

To be an educational institution of excellence from Kindergarten to University Foundation level combining Eastern Values with an International education to produce global citizens.

## MISSION

To provide quality educational programmes in a creative and challenging learning environment, embracing innovative teaching pedagogies to empower every student to become a life-long learner.

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### MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear SIS families and friends,

We are very excited about all of the new initiatives taking place this school year. One which deserves special mention and praise is the SIS@BDNC Student Council (STUCO), led by our talented Mr. Steven Bolland. During their meetings they discuss ways that SIS@BDNC can improve both academically and socially. They have led and planned some very special school-wide events. We are proud of their efforts, and also thanks Mr. Steven for taking the extra time to make our STUCO very successful!

A special note of praise to STUCO's first news cast. STUCO and Mr. Steven recorded school news and broadcasted it at assembly. We are looking forward to more exciting events and enterprises from them!

Please also note that on 18 April an accreditation team from WASC will be visiting our school.

Kind regards,  
MaryKay Gudkova

Principal

### WORLD WATER DAY

On March 22<sup>nd</sup> the students of SIS celebrated World Water Day. Children played games and also learned about the importance of clean drinking water for a healthy life. Check out the photos here, on our website **or on our facebook page.**

**For KIK students:** <https://www.facebook.com/KinderWorld.KIK>

**For SIS students:**  
<https://www.facebook.com/siskinderworld/?ref=ts>



Water day



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**UPCOMING EVENTS**

- Friday April 21<sup>st</sup>-LAST DAY OF TERM 2
- Monday May 1<sup>st</sup>-LABOUR DAY (school closed)
- Tuesday May 2<sup>nd</sup>-OFF IN LIEU OF LIBERATION DAY (school closed)
- Wednesday May 3<sup>rd</sup>-FIRST DAY OF TERM 4
- 22<sup>nd</sup>-31<sup>st</sup> May SA 2 EXAMS



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**EXAMS**

As Term 4 gets underway, the SA 2 exams are drawing closer. Take a look at the exam schedule below. Remember, Year 1 take part in exams in semester 2 and Integrated children don't do the math and science exams.

**SINGAPORE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL AT BDNC  
SEMESTRAL ASSESSMENT 2 SCHEDULE – 2016-17**

Date	Subject and Paper
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May- Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	English Paper 1- Speaking  (International and Integrated students)
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> May 2017	English language Paper 2-Writing  (International and Integrated students)
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> May 2017	English Paper 3 –Language & Comprehension  (International and Integrated students)
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> May 2017	Mathematics  (International students)
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> May 2017	English Paper 4-Listening
Wednesday 31 <sup>st</sup> Jan 2017	Science  (International students)

A separate schedule will be sent home with full details, including EPP testing and Chinese/Vietnamese exams.

**BINH DUONG EXHIBITION**

In week 9 of Term 3, an exhibition was presented at SIS to show the past, present and future of Binh Duong. This was the culmination of a term-long Social Studies project by high school students in Ms Kathleen Boyle's Social Studies class. Well done to all the students who contributed to the exhibition and thanks to all parents who took the time to come and check it out.



### **SCHOOL WIDE LEARNER GOALS**

Here at Binh Duong New City we have been acknowledging the students at school who consistently display our Schoolwide Learner Goals. Many children have received awards and you can see these on our Facebook page. We have also run competitions, allowing children to show their creativity. You can see all the winning entries on display outside Room 1 in Block A.

Below is one of the winning entries in our Poetry Competition to recognize Confident Communicators who use creative forms of expression.

#### **Robot**

Useful, strong and fast

Scary, powerful and smart

Dangerous and red.

*Yue Fa Year 2 Int'l*



Students have received awards

“School Wide Learner Goals”

### **STUDENT COUNCIL**

Congratulations to all the newly elected members of the Student Council. Since forming the Student Council has been busy planning events such as the Student v Teachers soccer match and Pajama day. They have several more exciting events planned for April so keep your eyes open for flyers and posters around the school!



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