

UISZ Community Summary – Week 20



Upcoming Events

January 23: Online Open Day (Saturday 10AM)

January 25: Head of Secondary Dongguan Coffee Break

February 5: CNY in-school celebration day

February 6-21: CNY Holiday Break

INTRO

Now that IDU week is over students are back to their usual classes - although the schedule has been revised due to the return of Science teacher Ms. Ivy. Let's take a closer look...

PYP

Message from Mr Steve

“During year 3’s latest unit, “How we express ourselves”, we have been learning about and producing different types of writing and thinking about who our audience is and how that may change how we write. One of the latest types of writing is procedural writing or “How to” writing. We wanted to get more “hands-on” so that we could write about an experience that we were all involved in. Lucky for us, the year 5 class were doing some science experiments and invited us to learn about slime making. Everyone (except the carpet) had a great time and due to this we plan on doing more science in class very soon.”





MYP

Message from Ms Tiffany

Brand new Mikasa balls have arrived and the volleyball unit has started. Y8 students are working on the basic skills of bumping - improvements bring them to another level to get know how important is the fundamentals skills





Message from Mr Greg

Congratulations to the MYP students for all of their hard work throughout the IDU week which was finalized last week. The year 6s worked towards completing their exhibition which will be finalized before Chinese New Year. Year 7-9 worked in year level groups to complete interdisciplinary projects, which is part of the yearly requirements for MYP. The Year 10 students completed an eAssessment for their IDU which combined knowledge in Maths and Humanities. Well done to all the year levels!

The secondary students started a new timetable this week. With Ms. Ivy coming back we were able to provide the students with more support in classes like Maths and Sciences. We are excited to have Ms. Ivy back at UISZ and we are excited that we can support our MYP and DP students even more inside and outside of the classroom.

DP



The Year 12s finished off their DP Mocks as they look to get ready for the external DP exams at the start of May. There are a lot of important checkmarks in the coming months with the completion of CAS, IAs, EEs, and other required coursework. Keep going Year 12s you are almost done!

OUTRO

Another busy week comes to a close as we head inexorably towards Y10 e-assessment mocks which run from 1-5 February. Please note that February 5th is also the last day of school before the start of Chinese New Year. Students will return on Monday 22nd February. From all of us at UISZ we wish you a relaxing weekend and look forward to seeing students on Monday.

**Warmest wishes,
UISZ School & Boarding Community**

