



The St. Stephen's International School Khao Yai Weekly Bulletin



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Primary

This week the children in Year 1 and 2 have been learning about mapping buildings and the important information visitors would need! Additionally, Year 2 have been using number facts to solve calculations and Year 1 have been focusing on finding equal groups of objects. Year 3 have looked at an artist who creates stunning pieces of art by using chalk, and what he sees around him. Not only was it great fun for Year 3 to use their imagination to create their own art, but the decorated pathways really brighten up the playground. Year 4 students have researched the infamous Mount Vesuvius volcanic eruption near Pompeii. They also researched other volcanoes investigating their location and any local cities or towns that might be affected by an eruption, past eruptions and if they think any activity is likely in the near future. Year 5 have been working hard on their information texts. The students have been learning about local birds and have compiled reports on a number of different species. They have independently researched about habitats, diet and range and threats. They have also painted beautiful pictures of each bird and will be compiling a glossary of terms and using technology to present their work. Year 6

have been working on creating a family tree for the IPC unit 'The Time Tunnel'. Students looked at modern inventions such as electricity, the ipad, and the car and investigated which generation was living at the time they were invented. Students realised that many inventions have come about since the birth of their great grandparents. A lot has happened in the past one hundred years!

External Examinations

We are now well into the examination season. The students in Year 11 to Year 13 are working hard on their exams. All of the examinations are set by the Cambridge examination board and are sat in over 160 countries around the world. Examinations have to be set on the date and session that Cambridge has allocated—they cannot be moved! All of the examinations are sent away to be marked by external examiners.

English Camp

The English Camp has now finished! It has been a very successful three weeks for all of the students and staff taking part. The next English Camp will take place in October.



Howling Gibbon Summer Camp

St. Stephen's is the home of the Howling Gibbon Adventure Centre specialising in outdoor education. During the year the school hosts visits from schools from all around Thailand and sometimes further afield. This year our specialist staff will be running our very successful annual summer camp for students aged 8—13 packed with

fun outdoor activities and participation in either a multi-sports programme or an English booster programme. Students who are interested in participating in an exciting range of challenges for themselves and their team mates rather than being stuck to an electronic device (!) are welcome to apply. Please look out for the letter and information coming soon by emails.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 9 May— Sunday 15 May

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Learning in school for all year groups.
A.M. A2 Chemistry exam.
A.M. IGCSE English 2nd Language—Listening exam
P.M. A2 Mathematics exam
P.M. IGCSE Mathematics exam
ASA programme

Tuesday 10 May

Learning in school for all year groups.
A.M. A2 Physics exam
A.M. IGCSE Biology exam
P.M. AS BS exam
P.M. IGCSE ICT exam
ASA programme

Wednesday 11 May

Learning in school for all year groups.
Swimming galas—Y1/2 and Y3—Y6.
A.M. A2 Biology exam.
A.M. IGCSE Biology exam.
ASA programme

Thursday 12 May

Learning in school for all year groups.
Swimming galas—EYFS and Y7/8.
A.M. IGCSE Physics exam
P.M. IGCSE First Language Thai exam
ASA programme

Friday 13 May

Learning in school for all year groups.
Y10 Thai Trip to Ayyuthaya
ASA programme

Saturday 14 May

Dorm trip to Golfing Range
A.M. Year 11 Geography Booster
P.M. Year 11 Business Studies Booster

Sunday 15 May

A.M. Year 11 Chemistry Booster

a reminder:

All government regulations for the school to open must be followed. Below are some key examples:

- Stay at home if you have any covid symptoms!
- Masks must be worn.
- Maintain a distance of 1.5 M from others.
- Complete the ThaiSaveThai app every day **before** coming to school.
- No food to be brought into school from outside of the school.

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