



MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents and Friends of SIPG

CONGRATULATIONS

Tiancheng(TC)

RECEIVING OFFERS FROM

- Economics and Maths
- Whitworth
- Washington & Jefferson
- Economics Business
- Washington State University

CONGRATULATIONS

Alfred

RECEIVING OFFERS FROM

- Mathematics
- The University of Edinburgh
- Newcastle University
- University of Glasgow

CONGRATULATIONS

Yong Xu

RECEIVING OFFERS FROM

- Mechanical Engineering
- 香港大學 THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG
- University of Southampton
- UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM
- CARDIFF UNIVERSITY
- University of Sheffield

Global Futures Evening

A SIPG VI Form Open Evening & Further Education Pathways Fair

Join us and discover more about our VI Form Academy, A-Levels, Pathways and Possibilities.

Monday 2nd February

- 5:45 - Arrival and Coffee
- 6:00 - Introduction and welcome
Discover SIPG VI Form
- 6:10 - Unifrog: Parent introduction
- 6:20 - Q&A with VI Form
- 6:35 - VI Form Course Fair: meet the teachers
- 7:20 - Repeat - Discover SIPG VI Form
Unifrog: Parent introduction

or click here

This is an open invite to all our Year 10 and 11 students and parents for you to attend and learn about the alternative further education pathways open to you. While we hope you will decide to study A Levels with us, it will also look at alternatives offered at other colleges.

Response to Parent Survey Comments

Some parents mentioned lack of academic rigour in core subjects to reduce reliance on external tuition, and provide better exam readiness. To respond, here are our exam results again which compare favourably with most international schools:

A level

Year	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	UK
% A*	22%	12%	7%	5%	12%	9%
% A*-A	44%	29%	15%	19%	41%	28%
% A*-B	63%	53%	25%	45%	68%	55%
% A*-C	75%	76%	42%	61%	80%	78%
% Pass	100%	94%	75%	91%	100%	97%
GPA	2.00	2.53	4.08	3.16	1.87	
No of sitting		14	60	57	41	
No of students	12	5	20	20	15	

IGCSE

Year	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	UK
% A*	19%	31%	18%	19%	23%	23%	
% A*-A	48%	48%	34%	41%	43%	44%	22%
% A*-B	73%	64%	54%	61%	64%	66%	
% A*-C	91%	81%	76%	80%	85%	88%	67%
% Pass	99%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	98%
GPA		1.89	2.04	1.89	1.77	1.77	
No of sitting		384	423	388	407	407	
No of students		47	54	52	56	56	

FOBISIA News

Please click [here](#) on the link for the latest issue. It highlights many exciting events and activities that students from Member Schools have participated in.

Also [here](#) showing what events are happening this term.

Primary FOBISIA Games & FOBISIA Swim Meet Meeting – Wed 28th @08:15

These take place on Wednesday. We are hoping to attend both events.

Golf Achievement



Congratulations to **Arrjun** and **Arrihan** whom delivered impressive performances in two major junior golf events. At the SGRK Junior Open 2025 Grand Final, Arrihan became champion in the Boys U12 category with scores of 83–79–76. Arrjun finished 5th in the Boys U15 category with scores of 74–82–81.

At the Sportexcel International Junior Golf Championship 2026 which featured players from the Philippines, Vietnam, Malaysia, China, Korea, Japan, and Taiwan. Arrihan placed 1st runner-up in the Boys C category with scores of 79–73–76 (12 over par), while Arrjun finished 7th in the Boys B category with scores of 82–76–73 (15 over par). They will be representing SIPG at the upcoming FOBISIA Golf 2026 tournament in Manila.

Community Events

Nutrition Committee Meeting

Thank you to those parents who came in to discuss the food in the cafeteria and to agree the menu. The minutes of the meeting can be found [here](#).

International Dress Day – Friday 6 February

We encourage all students to wear their national dress on this day. Failing that, colours of their national flag. Please note that football shirts are not accepted unless they are a national one i.e. Not Liverpool.

International Carnival Day – Coupons

These are available to purchase from the Finance Office as of now. We have close to 60 vendors, 16 parent stall and 23 student game stalls – it will be our biggest carnival ever.

SIPG Community Open Golf Tournament – Saturday 28 February Tee off 8am sharp. Cost 130RM

This community event is open to students, parents, staff and friends of the school both male and female. Please enter with current honest handicap via this link [here](#). **SPACES ARE LIMITED so sign up soon.**

Community Information

Academic year Calendar 2026-27 – click [here](#)

Our calendar is ready for next year and fits in well with all the other XCL schools.

School Uniform

Any complaints or issues regarding uniform, contact our supplier K-Logistics uniform@k-logistics.org.

Academic Calendar 2025-26 - Click [here](#)

Cafeteria Menu for Term 2 - Click [here](#)

SIPG Parent/Staff Privilege Programme - Just take along your ID card - Click [here](#)

Parent Handbook - Click [here](#)

School Policies – These can be found [here](#)

School Prospectus - Click [here](#)

School Improvement Plan - Click [here](#)

FOBISIA events 2025-26 - Click [here](#)

FOBISIA Sports Calendar 2025-26 – Click [here](#)

Refer-a-Family Programme

There is a cash incentive, for every successful referral who sign up to the school, you will be rewarded with a 3000RM fee discount.

Contact [+60122944056](tel:+60122944056)

The Week Ahead

Jan	Event	Time	Venue
Sat 24	• MUN Competition @ POWIIS		
Sun 25	• MUN Competition @ POWIIS		
Mon 26	• U19 Boys Basketball @ POWIIS • SS Mock examinations all week		
Tue 27	• U16 Netball @ SIPG	15:30	
Wed 28	• Whole School Parent Engagement Session - Primary FOBISIA Games	08:00	PD Room
Fri 30	• Primary School Assembly - 5S • Leo Club Formation Ceremony	13:20 15:30	MPH MPH

Contact Us Directly

We are Here to Help Fix any Issues you may Have

Your first contact is your child's homeroom/subject teacher if it is an academic or pastoral issue.

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Duncan Grice
Campus Principal

FOBISIA Short Story Competition 2026

ESTABLISHED IN 1988

BEING HUMAN



Guest Judge Berlie Doherty
Carnegie Medal-winning Author

Categories: Key Stage 2 (Years 3-6) Key Stage 3 (Years 7-9) and Key Stages 4 & 5 (Years 10-13)

Submission: Each participating FOBISIA school should submit one entry per Key Stage/category of a maximum 800 words. Please use Arial font 11. Details of where to submit entries will be shared at the beginning of January 2026.

Enquiries: jonathan.booth@duwich.org

Deadline: 30 January 2026
Winners Announced: 30 April 2026

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**PRIMARY SCHOOL UPDATE**

Dear Parents,

Another week passes in Primary and our children continue to work hard in their lessons, both inside and outside of their classrooms.

We had our class assembly for 4S class assembly last Friday which was wonderful. Thank you to Ms Clark and the children in Class 4S for sharing what they have been learning in such an engaging way.

We have another class assembly next Friday, 30th January to look forward to with 5S, Ms Burgess.

We also have another inter house competition to look forward to next with led by Ms Laming.

Thank you to the Primary parents who attended the Creative Arts parent engagement session led by Mr Spooner on Wednesday. Only a few in attendance but some lovely conversations were held.

Class 6S

English lessons in 6S this week have been focused on portal stories. We began the week analysing a text about a girl who was transported to Ancient Egypt by a scarab beetle. Firstly, we discussed the text features including characterisation, description and plot. Then we looked at describing characters' emotions using the skill 'show not tell'. We ended the week by starting the innovation phase of our unit. Students began to plan out a text of their own with a focus on a portal story to Ancient China. It was lovely to see them making connections with their learning in topic and reading lessons by including lanterns, dragons and settings such as the Yangtze River. In a few weeks time, each student will have a complete narrative 'portal story' set in Ancient China and I can't wait to read them!

Have a lovely week everyone.

Ian Hopkins
Head of Primary

SECONDARY SCHOOL UPDATE

Dear Parents,

A busy few weeks with our year 11-13 students in mock examinations. Hopefully it has proven to reinforce their areas of strength and highlight the areas they will be revising in preparation for the real thing in the coming months. For our exam students, next week they will receive their grade reports with an update on how they are doing, this will be key information to prompt discussions at home, points to raise at the upcoming parent teacher consultation evening and something for many of our students to help plan the next steps of their education.

Isaura Among the Winners Model United Nations (23rd – 25th January)

On only her third MUN conference Isaura from year 9 demonstrated outstanding values, coming in amongst the 6 award winners for her exceptional performance and dedication. Well done Isaura and we look forward to our MUN team following this success up with more awards and competitions in the near future.



SIPG - Global Futures Evening 9.2.2026

We look forward to welcoming students and parents for the upcoming Global Futures Evening. Please do remember to register your attendance and reserve your spot via the link and QR code on the poster.

Global Futures Evening SRI KDU International School PENANG

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Monday 9th February

- 🕒 5:45 - Arrival and Coffee
- 🕒 6:00 - Introduction and welcome from the Campus Principal - Mr Duncan Grice
Discover SIPG VI Form Academy - Ms Evangeline Mui
- 🕒 6:10 - Parent Unifrog introduction and demonstration - Mr Glyn Martin
- 🕒 6:20 - Panel Discussion - Outstanding A level Students & Staff
- 🕒 6:35 - SIPG VI Form Course Fair - A level teachers
- 🕒 7:20 - Repeat - Discover SIPG VI Form Academy - Ms Evangeline Mui
Parent Unifrog introduction and demonstration - Mr Glyn Martin
- 🕒 7:25 - Closing remarks and thank you - Mr Duncan Grice

or click here

Excellence Awards

First Language English Awards

<p>Year 7 Jing Chun</p>	<p>She relishes every opportunity to engage in the good struggle, completing work with diligence and imagination. She is a role model to others.</p>
<p>Year 8 Sayeesha</p>	<p>Sayeesha's levels of engagement, effort and her willingness to explore new avenues of learning are both a guarantee of success for her language development and a positive influence for her peers.</p>
<p>Year 9 Haw Teng</p>	<p>Haw Teng has shown an impressive range of skill in both written and spoken First Language English, spanning informative, persuasive, analytical, imaginative and poetic applications.</p>
<p>Year 10 Zi Xian</p>	<p>His high-level mastery of analytic, persuasive and argumentative First Language English, both written and spoken, has been impressive.</p>

<p>Year 11 Trisha</p>	<p>Trisha has shown unabating, joyful, energetic commitment to improving her English and the English of those around her in class, and although her level has always been high, recently she has shown impressive improvement to reach new heights.</p>
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Literature in English

<p>Year 10 Wei Yi</p>	<p>His passion for this subject, for words but also for the wider world of Humanities that words lead to, is exemplary.</p>
<p>Year 11 Yu Shyn</p>	<p>Yu Shyn has nurtured and developed her natural gift for empathetic and analytic responses to literature, making herself think hard and apply her thinking effectively, especially under timed conditions. Her blend of skill and self-discipline is exemplary.</p>

Glyn Martin
Head of Secondary

Oxbridge & Taylor's University Debating Forum 2026

DATE:
Saturday, 7th February

TIME:
8:30 am until 3:15pm

VENUE:
Taylor's University,
1 Jalan Taylor's, Subang Jaya

Register Here

SPORTS UPDATE



We have a busy and exciting period coming up in the PE department with several fixtures and events scheduled.

- **U18 Basketball** will take place at POWISS on Monday 26th January.
- **U16 Netball** will follow on Tuesday 27th January at SIPG.

We will also be holding upcoming parent presentations for:

- Year 5 and 6 **FOBISIA Primary Games**, and
- **BISP Sea Eagles Invitational Swim Meet**.

We strongly encourage parents who are considering sending their child to either of these events to attend. School registration deadlines are approaching quickly, and we need to confirm attendance as soon as possible.

In addition, the **U11 Sports Exchange** will take place on 6th February at POWISS.

The PE Department

CREATIVE ART UPDATE

Instrumental Lessons

The Music Team at SRI KDU are delighted to announce that our Music Peri Provision is up and running this term. Piano, Guitar, Violin and Drum Lessons can be booked now via the Vircle app. We offer lessons for Beginner - Grade 3 and Grade 4+.

Please note when booking that you must select the appropriate grade for your child.

The CA Department