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STUDENTS AND PARENTS' BULLETIN



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Vision

SSIS is a Premier learning institution with national and international recognition developing lifelong learners and leaders with competencies, global perspectives and hearts of service in a culture of academic and values excellence.

Mission

We are committed to provide quality international education through the 5Cs: Competence, Character, Commitment to Achieve, Collaboration and Creativity.

We seek to develop lifelong learners and leaders.

We prepare learners to respond to the needs of the 21st century.

Theme of the Year

Understanding the Humanity Within through the 5Cs: Competence, Character, Commitment to Achieve, Collaboration and Creativity.

Schedule of the Second Term Test

Please take note of the schedule of the Second Term Test. Every Term Test the students follow a half day schedule only so as to give them extra time to re-view. The class adviser will be distributing the detailed schedule, pointers, and things to bring.

Level / Date	December 12	December 13	December 14
N/K - JP	Math	English	Thematic Studies
Senior Prep	Math	English	Thematic Studies Computer
Level 1 and Level 2	Math SLGE	Science Computer	English, Reading Filipino
Level 3 – Level 6	Math SLGE	Science Foreign Language	English Filipino
Upper School I-III	SLGE Math	Foreign Language Science	English Filipino Business

Performance Tests for Arts, P.E., Music, and Computer will be given on December 5-9, 2011. schedule of the test follows the regular class schedule of each subject.

Absence During Term Test

Students who missed taking the Term Test will be asked to submit a letter of request addressed to the Head Master / Principal and signed by their parents. The absentee will pay P150.00 per subject missed and will take the test on January 11-15, 2012 following the original Term Test schedule. On the other hand, if the child's absence is due to sickness, he/she will not pay P150.00, but a medical certificate must be attached to his/her letter of request.

Invite your Friends and Win Prizes in the 2nd Christmas Night Bazaar

Celebrate Christmas with us in the 2nd Christmas Night Bazaar, which is slated on December 2, 2011, and win prizes. The school will give a prize to the student who will be able to bring in the most number of buying guests. Also, there is something in store for the class that will be able to gather the most number of guests as well.

The bazaar is one of the school's entrepreneurial activity which is part of the requirements of the Business Course of Upper School, and the Math Class of Lower School. However, to make the event more exciting, we are inviting parents to participate as well, and bring their friends as we make it an open-house celebration.

Please invite your friends and enjoy the fun night together in shopping and entertainment.

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Parenting Corner

The Four (4) Parenting Styles

Experts believe parenting styles fall into 4 different and identifiable styles: authoritarian, indulgent, authoritative, and uninvolved.

1. **The Authoritarian Parent**

These parents are like army commanders. They prefer to issue commands and orders to their children and fully expect their children to carry out their orders without questioning them. Authoritarians do not welcome nor appreciate any feedback from their children. They live by set and defined rules in a structured environment.

2. **The Indulgent Parent**

These parents are generally lenient. They allow a variety of behaviors by their children that some would describe as immature. Essentially, they let the children look after themselves and avoid confronting them at all costs. Indulgent parents may also be described as non-directive or democratic. Non-directive parents are known to be parents by default, that is, by taking virtually no action in the parenting of their children. Democratic parents, though lenient, are more aware and show a commitment to engage with their children.

3. **The Authoritative Parent**

These parents are both demanding and responsive at the same time. Authoritative parents while expecting their children to behave in a certain manner, don't impose their authority and welcome a certain amount of questioning. They demonstrate a combination of assertiveness coupled with the ability to respond to their children's feedback.

4. **The "Uninvolved Parenting"**

As the name suggests, these parents are simply uninvolved. They are neither demanding nor responsive of their children and they are not interested in any feedback from them. These

parents are the most likely to be irresponsible and more often neglect their children

100% LET Passing Rate For SSIS Malarayat New Teachers



Last September, four (4) new SSIS Malarayat Campus teachers took the Licensure Examinations for Teachers (LET) in Lucena City. As expected, all of them passed the test and now, they are rightfully and lawfully allowed to teach.

Graduated as Cum Laude at FAITH, Tr. Realyn Enriquez is our L4 Japan adviser whose focus in teaching is SLGE and Science. Tr. Ma. Lourdes Bacong, who is also a Cum Laude graduate of De La Salle Lipa teaches non-core and special subjects in the ECED Department. Tr. Kristyanniña Joi Alvarez, a Magna Cum Laude of De La Salle Lipa whose major study is English is the adviser of US III. Sir Mariel Glenn Leyesa, who is also a Magna Cum Laude of De La Salle Lipa teaches Filipino across levels having had Filipino as his focus in his baccalaureate studies.

We are happy and proud of our teachers. They are now more inspired to teach and guide our children to becoming the next competent professionals in the future.

To our dear teachers, congratulations!

Travel the World... Join the Global Village 2012

Please see attached details of the Global Village. Should you have inquiries, please do not hesitate to call us at 7575012 or 7574878

HOME VISITS START ON JANUARY 22, 2011

As a means of strengthening our home-school partnership, SSIS continues to implement its Home Visitation Program. Done annually, the home visitation is one of the school's tools in making sure that we are able to maximize our efforts in finding different ways of helping our children, and of how we can work together better. We are aware of your busy schedules and we understand that sometimes as much as you like to drop by the school to inform us of your concerns, you are not able to do so.

Starting December 3, 2011, the class adviser together with Ms. Viola, SSIS Deputy Principal will start visiting your homes. You will be notified at least a week prior to the visit. The visit will only take 30 minutes of your time, just enough to inquire about your children and your other needs and concerns regarding school.

We will greatly appreciate your cooperation with this activity. Together, let us bring light to the path of our children and help them be the best persons that they can be.

Buy your Novels Now!

1. Hope for the Flowers
2. Charlotte's Web
3. Dolphin Diaries
4. Number the Stars
5. The Lion, The Witch, and the Wardrobe
6. Island of the Blue Dolphins
7. A Wrinkle in Time
8. Bud not Buddy
9. The Giver
10. Holes
11. City of the Beast
12. Artemis Fowl
13. Things Fall Apart
14. Chinese Cinderella
15. Of Mice and Men
16. A Midsummer Nights Dream
18. Frankenstein
19. To Kill a Mockingbird

For those students who have not gotten a copy of their assigned novel, you may already purchase one from the SSIS Stuff Shop. Just please look for Ms. Karis.

Fight Colds and Flu

The Christmas weather is back, so let us take care of ourselves. Please make sure that you wear a jacket or sweater, drink vitamins, and eat nutritious food. If you already have colds and feel that you are feverish just stay at home and get enough rest or if you'll be in school, you may wear a mask.

IMPORTANT DATES

November 28

Distribution of CSN
Sponsorship day
Advent Wreath/Christmas
Tree Ceremony

November 29

Book Month Culmination

November 30

Holiday
Andres Bonifacio Day

December 1

SGEN Christmas Lantern Parade
SGEN Battle of the Bands

December 2

Christmas Night Bazaar

Mr. Anthony Paul M. Calado
Head Master / Principal

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Student's Name

Level/Section

Parent's Signature