



The GCD Launch

为什么第四次工业革命（4IR）对NIS如此重要？

最新一期的私立学校（2019年秋季）的迫是国际学生和全球化教育。其中，人工智能将成为4IR变革的核心。人工智能将改变人们的工作场所和工作日常。我们必须集中精力为学生做好准备来面对伯纳特和惠勒（2019）所说的“全球能力”。给出的建议是“开发课程，使学生具备全球视野，国际化竞争力和借助科技手段参与全球化学习的创新方法”。这不是由IB，OECD或GCD（全球公民文凭）所撰写的，这些是来自于全球经济论坛和麦肯锡全球研究所的建议。本文的建议是“深入下去”以培养小学生的解决问题的能力，拓宽中学生学习的热情和兴趣，并帮助高中学生巩固和追求自己的兴趣。“明天就是现在”，因此国际化竞争力要求学生发展知识、技能、态度和价值观，以帮助他们在未来取得成功。

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我们必须认识到第四次工业革命不仅仅是发生在NIS家长的工作空间里，更重要的部分是在学校里。我所阅读的文章并非内容，但是九成的家长会谈都在询问内容。内容仅仅是达到目的的手段，而并非目的本身。如果你能在谷歌上找到答案，那为什么我们仍然要学习？如果他无助于培养我们学生的成为一个具有批判能力，深化思考能力，并能够使世界更加美好的人，那么它的意义何在？我对自己的通识知识引以为傲，尤其是历史领域，但是严格的来说，如果不能从历史知识当中学会反思，引发情感认知和关怀心，那么我们能够回忆起这些历史事件有什么意义呢？

NIS正在步入正轨，你能？

本公告大部分内容摘自伯纳特和惠勒——私立学校的“在交叉路口”，2019年秋季刊，P63-66

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왜 4차 산업혁명이 NIS에 중요할까요?

최신 인디펜던트 스쿨 (2019년 가을호)의 주제는 국제학생과 글로벌 교육입니다. 4차 산업혁명의 중요한 변화는 인공지능의 결과로 나타나는데, 이는 직장과 근로자의 삶을 바꿉니다. 우리는 버넷과 휠러(2019)가 말한 '글로벌 핵심역량(global competency)'을 갖추도록 학생들을 준비시키는데 집중해야 합니다. 그 조언은 '학생들이 테크놀로지를 통해 국제적 관점, 글로벌 기능 및 혁신적 방법을 경험하여 글로벌 학습에 참여할 수 있는 커리큘럼의 개발'입니다. 이 조언은 IB, OECD 또는 GCD(글로벌 시민 디플로마)도 아닌, 세계 경제 포럼과 맥킨지 글로벌 연구소에서 나온 것입니다. 해당 글은 초등학교에서 문제 해결 능력 개발을 통해 깊게 파고 들고, 중학교에서 학생들의 다양한 열정과 관심의 폭을 넓혀주며, 고등학교에서는 학생들이 자신의 관심 분야를 확고히 하고 추구할 수 있도록 도울 것을 조언합니다. '내일은 오늘이 만들어내는 것'이기에 글로벌 핵심역량은 학생들이 자신의 미래에서 성공하도록 돕는 지식, 기술, 태도와 가치를 개발할 것을 요구합니다.

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4차 산업혁명是我们必须承认的现实，NIS 학부모님들이 일하는 직장에서만 아니라 더 중요하게는 학교에서 인정해야 하는 것입니다. 제가 읽은 그 어떤 글도 내용에 초점을 맞추고 있지 않지만, 학부모님과 나누는 대화의 90%는 내용에 관한 질문을 받게 됩니다. 내용은 목적지에 도착하기 위한 수단이지 목적지 자체는 아닙니다. 구글에서 찾아볼 수 있는 내용을 왜 학교에서 여전히 가르쳐야 할까요? 학생들이 비판적으로 심도 있게 사고하는 사람이 되어 이 세계를 더 나은 곳으로 만드는 가치를 개발하는데 도움을 줄 수 없는 것이라면 도대체 어떤 의미가 있을지 의문입니다. 저는 제가 가진 일반 지식, 특히 제 전공인 역사 영역의 지식에 큰 자부심을 느낍니다. 그렇지만 제가 성찰하고 공감할 수 있고 타인을 배려하는 사람이 아니라면 모든 역사적 사실들을 기억할 수 있다는 것이 어떤 중요한 의미를 가질 수 있을까요?

NIS 는 바르게 나아가고 있습니다, 여러분은 어떠십니까?

인용한 부분의 출처는 인디펜던트 스쿨, 2019 년 가을호 63-66페이지에 실린 버넷과 휠러의 'At the Intersection' 입니다.

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The Global Citizen Diploma Launch



We could tell you their grades.....but instead the grade 9 students showed their families and the world that they are more than numbers.

Global
Citizen
Diploma



On Tuesday, November 12, NIS became the 6th school in the world to join the Global Citizen Diploma (GCD), a program that recognizes the amazing things our students do on top of their academics. We invited Middle School parents to join the evening launch. They were treated to a performances and stories. Students opened up their lives to us, giving us a small glimpse of the person behind the academic student we see in our hallways and classrooms every day. In our school, we have gifted musicians, athletes, artists, linguists, adventurers, thinkers, innovators and leaders. It was a privilege to hear them share their stories.

The GCD further encourages our students to burst the bubble while they choose the experiences that allows them to achieve their personal excellence. In February 2020, NIS will host the "GCD Up", a conference where students and teachers from the other GCD schools will come together to explore, innovate and collaborate.

For more information about the GCD, please visit: <https://globalcitizendiploma.org/> or contact Ruth Clarke, Head of Middle School or Anna Yuen, GCD Coordinator.

ruthclarke@nanjing-school.com



PARENT COFFEE MORNING

You're Invited to join with us!

8:15 Finding your way through MAP testing G3-10

Led by Kasson Bratton

9:00 Inquiring into Service Learning & Xblock in Middle School

Led by Ruth Clarke

Support for Chinese and Korean language provided

TUESDAY, 19 NOVEMBER

MS/US LARGE GROUP ROOM

ruthclarke@nanjing-school.com





ACTIVITIES

Athletics

A huge congratulations to our amazing Middle School Soccer players who travelled all the way to Macao (via the longest bridge in the world!) last weekend to compete in the SCISAC Soccer Championships. Our athletes represented NIS with honour and pride, the girls just missing out on a 3rd place with a late winner from the Xiamen girls whilst the boys went all the way to the final, finally beating the Hong Kong Academy boys on penalties 2-1!



Our CISSA teams travel to Shanghai this weekend to finish off their season at the CISSA tournament; we wish them lots of fun! Meanwhile our Cross Country running superstars are off to Chengdu to defend their ACAMIS title. Coaches Galaty and Bratton have got them into fine shape so we are expecting some great results. Go Lions!!

As the Middle School Soccer season ends, so the Volleyball season starts. Sign-ups are now open on Veracross for Gr7 - 9 Volleyball, so sign up and give it a go. Practices start on Tuesday.

Knitting for a Cause

A group of middle school and high school students have been working for nearly 8 months, knitting hats for the Pfrang Giving Tree. To date, 73 hats have been made by teachers and students. The Pins and Needles Club helped us to sew on labels. Their goal is to make 100 hats before December.



Updates

Coming up!

Tue 26th November: Sports Celebration Evening, Season 1 sports
28 – 30 November: ACAMIS Table Tennis, Beijing
30 November: NIS Invitational Basketball tournament

Basketball Clinic with a Professional Skills and Conditioning Coach

Twenty girls came out to basketball practice last Wednesday afternoon for a singular opportunity! Coach Wallace ran an intense and dynamic 2 hour clinic! Coach Wallace is a professional basketball skills and conditioning coach from the USA. He has coached NBA and CBA players in the USA and China, and Nanjing's very own Jiangsu Dragons! Coach Wallace worked directly with Coach Barder during the training session, teaching new drills and refining skills.

The girls walked away tired but they had the answer to "who wants the ball?"

Coach Wallace will be back in school next Monday afternoon to work with the ACAMIS Boys Basketball team.



**VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED!**

Sign up on Veracross now for volunteering experiences:

- Basketball Scorekeeper – Nov 30th
- NIC Christmas Benefit Concert – Nov 30th
- Swim Meet – Dec 7th – 8

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SCISAC Team



SCISAC Soccer Girls

We have had a great season with many new girls to soccer joining the team this year. They have always shown a dedicated, open-minded and risk-taking attitude to everything, showing personal growth.

We were only able to take 9 players to the SCISAC tournament and we had a very positive time, remaining unbeaten until the final day and narrowly missing out on a deserved 3rd place.

Season Stats:

Played - 8

Won - 3

Drew - 2

Lost - 3

Goals Scored - 15

Goals Against - 11

Personal Growth - Immeasurable

Thank you to Ms Betina and Ms Chen for your support during the season.
#prideoffionesses



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Nanjing International School
An Inclusive Learning Community



**Inspiring International Mindedness,
Personal Excellence, Creative Thinking**

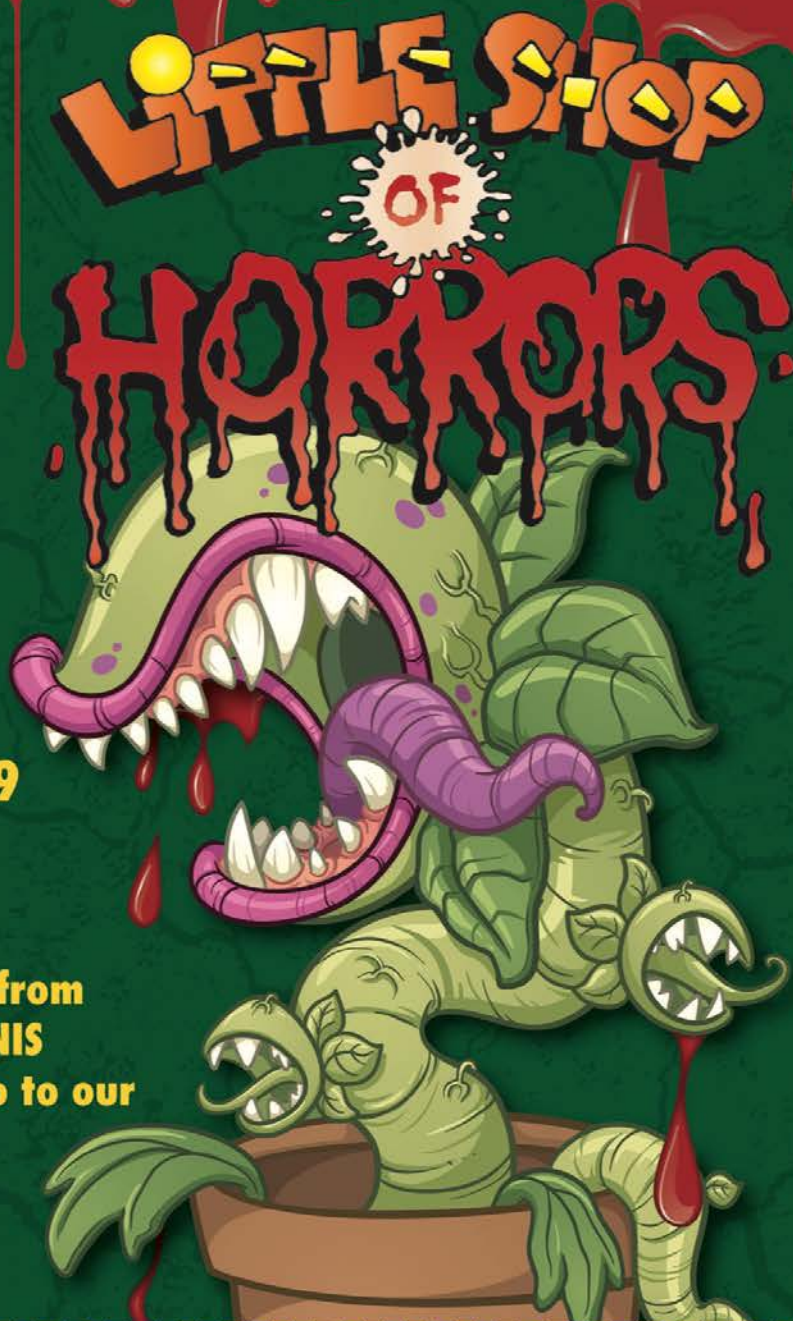
NIS PERFORMING ARTS PRESENTS AN MSUS PRODUCTION...



**Nanjing
International
School
Theatre**

**Nov 21 & 22, 2019
7:00 p.m.**

**Tickets 20 RMB
sold in the main foyer from
Nov 12th through the NIS
cashier. All proceeds go to our
four local charities.**



WARNING ⚠ HORROR THEMES: PARENTAL GUIDANCE ADVISED

Little Shop of Horrors is presented through special arrangement with Music Theatre International (MTI) All authorized performance materials are also supplied by MTI. www.MTIShows.com

sambrown@nanjing-school.com

Grades 2 to 5 Production (Friday March 6th, 2020)

The Circus

The Grade 2 to 5 production of 'The Circus' was launched to all of the students in grades 2 to 5 next week.

Audition lines will be handed out on Monday 18th November to all students who have signed-up to audition. If your child has signed up to audition please can you encourage them to practice their lines ready for their audition.

The singing part of their main cast auditions started this week, and will continue into next week in their Performing Arts lessons. Good luck to all of these students.

Reminder:

Those children who do not get a main cast part but do a great audition may be given one of the smaller roles, along with their grade role.

We are very keen to use the talents of our parents, so please e-mail us, or come and see us personally if you have any skills that you are willing to share.

Please click on the following link to find out more information about 'The Circus':

<http://share.nanjing-school.com/pypperformingarts/grade-2-to-5-production/>

10 school weeks to go!

Ms. Heidi (Director) - heididean@nanjing-school.com

Mr. Norbraten (Assistant Director) - tyenorbraten@nanjing-school.com

Parent Leaving Notice

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR LEAVING FAMILIES

Dear Parents,

This is a time of year when some of our families will be moving on from Nanjing, either returning to their home countries or embarking on their next overseas posting. To assist our planning for the coming semester please read and follow the exit procedure below. This information may have a direct impact on new families wishing to enter our school. Your help with providing this information as early as possible is much appreciated.

*We understand that some parents are still unsure, but if **you** know kindly let **us** know as soon as possible.*

Exit Procedure

- 1. Once you know you are leaving please send an email to admissions@nanjing-school.com indicating your intention to leave and requesting any documentation that you may require. Let us have the name of your child or children, their current grades as well as your expected leaving date.*
- 2. Collect a clearance form from Reception, or download off the website.*
- 3. Clearance forms need to be completed for each leaving student.*
- 4. On the last day of school documents will only be handed over if we have received your completed clearance form.*
- 5. You can find information about the Transfer Procedures on our website on the Parent Portal <https://www.nischina.org/my-nis>*

Here in Admissions we are always happy to help, so do drop by if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you for your cooperation. We will be sorry to see you go!

Jiae, Jane, Lucy and Sue in Admissions



Dear Parents,

We would like to invite you for a food tasting on Nov 19th, 2019. On this day, you are welcome to visit our cafeteria, try out the offered food and services and share your feedback and suggestions. In order to manage operations properly, we would limit the number of visitors per food tasting session to 10.

If you would like to join, please send us your details (parent's name, contact number and your child's grade) to chartwells@nanjing-school.com and reserve your spot. We are looking forward to seeing you soon.

Thank you!
Chartwells Team

Lunch Menu

<https://www.nischina.org/community/food-services/lunch-menu>



Community Events

<https://www.nischina.org/community/community-activities>



Swimming Pool Calendar

<https://www.nischina.org/learning/activities/athletics/swimming>



There is always something happening on campus and in our community. Stay abreast of the latest by following the NIS Official WeChat Account.

CONNECT .



NIS WECHAT

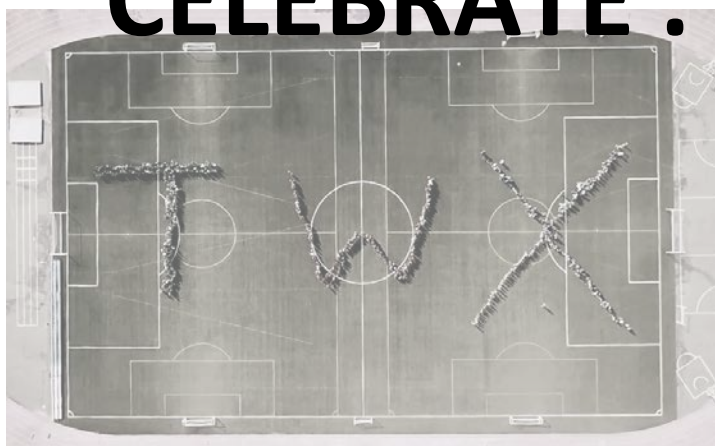
Get updated on news and upcoming events

SHARE .

Scan the QR Code to follow, and stay tuned!



CELEBRATE .



PTA NEWS

2019-2020 PTA COMMITTEE

President: Benedicte Thomasson

Vice President: Yvonne Zollner

Vice President: Gina Ryu

Vice President: Ying Liu

Treasurer: Gina Policelli

Secretary: Jo Laycock

Cupcakes : Lotus Needham Klysner

Bulletin : Georgina Christensen

PTA Shop :

Therese Turesson

Catherine Meyer

Yao Ceng

PTA EVENTS

Coffee Morning - 8:15am

Wednesday 27th November

Birthday Cupcakes 13th

November

PTA SHOP

PTA Shop Hours

Tuesday 2:00 - 3:00

Friday 2:30 - 3:30

- **PTA & Chartwells** co-operation event took place this week on **13th & 15th of November**. Thank you to the volunteers assisting children to understand their dining options. More details on the learnings from this project will be shared in future Bulletins.
- **MS/US production** is on **November 21st and 22nd!**
- **PTA Primary Dance** will be held on **Friday 29th of November**. Tickets sales start on Monday 18th November before and after school in the lobby. Tickets are 30RMB & include snacks & a drink.



•MYP Dance - UPDATE!

The MYP dance has been re-scheduled to **Friday 14th of February**. More details to follow.

- **PTA Coffee morning** is on **Wednesday November 27th** at 8:15am in the centre cafe. Come along to hear teachers and members of our community talk about current issues in our school.

To join the volunteer group for any of our PTA events, please contact Benedicte Thomasson, Yvonne Zollner, Gina Policelli or Sue Northcott. Or contact us on at ptapresident@nanjing-school.com

HAPPY
HOLIDAYS



SEASONS
GREETINGS



Winter Bazaar

Festive Holiday Gift Sale

November 26

Gifts & Bake Sale

November 27

**All proceeds will support our
four local charities**



Nanjing International Club Christmas Benefit Concert

Saturday, November 30, 2019

**Hosted by
Nanjing International School**

Featuring:

18:00 - Festive Refreshments,
Lucky Draw & Children's Games
Santa in his Grotto
19:00 - Sing-a-long &
Musical Performances

**Tickets will be Limited to 500 and
Distributed in Advance**

**Free tickets for NIC Members
Non NIC Members:
100 RMB Adults &
50 RMB Students**

**Contact Sue Northcott (NIS)
138 0902 2693 for Info**

No On-Site Parking



**Pfrang
Association**



**楊靜基金
Amy Yang Fund**



All proceeds go to community charities.



suenorthcott@Nanjing-school.com

Royal Family Garden Christmas Market

6, Xian Yin Bei Lu, Qixia

Friday 6th of Dec 5 pm - 9:30 pm
Saturday 7th of Dec 3 pm - 9:30 pm

Tickets on sale starting Friday Nov. 29th in the
NIS centre foyer.

Tickets are 50 RMB incl. one complimentary drink
Free for RFG residents and children under 4 years.
Tickets are limited to 300 people each market day.

Two days of

International Food Stalls
Activities for children
Flavourful beverages
Live seasonal music

Artisan vendors
Baked goods
Beautiful decorations
X-mas Spirit and MORE!

Inquiries: Lotus Klysner

CASH ONLY

