



Secondary School Weekly Information Letter
Friday 17th January 2020

Dear Parents,

Please find below, key dates and information pertinent to the Secondary section of BSB.

Dates for your Diary / (일정)/日期

The Coming Week		下一周	다음주 일정
Date	Activity/Event	精彩活动预告	활동 / 이벤트
Monday 20 th January	Temple Fair	春节庙会	종교 축제 (템플 축제)
Tuesday 21 st January	Battle of the Books: Round 2	阅读竞赛：第二轮	교내 도서 대회: 제 2 회
Wednesday 22 nd January	ASA season two ends	课外活动第二季结束	시즌 2 방과후 활동 (ASA) 종료
Wednesday 22 nd January	Last Day of School before Spring Festival Holiday	学校最后一天	춘절 방학 전 마지막 등교일
Thursday 23 rd January	School Closed for Spring Festival	春节放假	춘절 방학
Further Ahead		在下一周	추가적인 것들
Date	Activity/Event	精彩活动预告	활동 / 이벤트
Monday 3 rd February	School re-opens	开学第一天	개학일
Thursday 6 th February	UKMT Intermediate Maths Challenge for years 9, 10 & 11	9, 10 & 11 年级英国数学竞赛	9 학년, 10 학년, 11 학년 UKMT 수학 경시 대회
Monday 10 th - Friday 14 th February	Book Week	图书周	북 위크
Monday 10 th - Wednesday 12 th February	Star Kids Book Fair	书展	스타 키즈 북페어
Monday 10 th February	Mock grade report issued Year 11& 13	模拟考试成绩报告发放	모의 시험 결과 발표
Tuesday 11 th February	ASA Season 3 Starts	课外活动第三季开始	시즌 3 방과후 활동 (ASA) 시작
Wednesday 12 th February	Year 11 and 13 Parents Evening	家长咨询会	학부모 상담
Thursday 13 th February	Nord Anglia STEAM Festival China, 2020 Year 4 & Year 7	2020 诺德安达中国区 STEAM 节 Year 4 & Year 7	중국 Nord Anglia STEAM 축제, 2020 년 4 학년, 7 학년
Thursday 20 th February	Nord Anglia Global Games China, 2020 U15 Volleyball	2020 诺德安达中国区排球赛	중국 Nord Anglia 글로벌 경기, 2020 년 U15 배구

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Year 11 and 13 Mock results

As we approach the end of mock examinations for students in Year 11 and 13; I would like to thank all our Year 11 and 13 students, for their impeccable conduct during the examination process and wish them luck in their preparation for the final examinations.

The purpose of the mock examinations is to try and simulate the actual experience that students will have in the real examinations and to provide students with a secure understanding of where they are, in their learning, now. Additionally, examinations for many students will bring with them varying levels of anxiety, apprehension and stress. We hope that students found the mock examinations to be useful in providing a good learning curve with regards to the expected pressures of examinations, how to deal with them and will hopefully place students in a stronger position to be successful in the final examinations. Students will be getting feedback on their performance, week beginning Monday 3rd February.

A Parents consultation evening is scheduled for Wednesday 12th February, so that parents can have the opportunity to discuss the next steps.

As students begin finishing the taught syllabus staff will be on hand to support the process of review, revision and exam preparation to ensure that students achieve in line with their potential. I hope that students will take full advantage of the preparatory opportunities that are made available. We will be sharing details of these soon.

Year 7 - 1 to 1 Laptop Programme

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the parents who were able to take time out, of their busy schedules to attend the presentation on the Year 7, 1 to 1 laptop Programme.

If you were unable to attend, please find below the laptop link to the presentation.



Temple Fair.

The Mandarin Department and Parents Association would like to invite parents to our amazing Temple Fair, to celebrate Spring Festival and the Year of the Rat. This will take place between 9.00am-3pm on Monday 20th January 2020. In order to create a more festive environment, students are being encouraged to dress in Chinese costume or wear something red if possible, please note that this is not a non-Uniform day.

There will be colourful activities and plenty of traditional art, crafts and snacks for the children to see and buy from vendors.

Children in Primary and Secondary will be timetabled to visit the fair with their class teacher and TA during the day, you may wish to provide them with some money if they would like to purchase something.

Cancelled ASAs

A reminder from last week that on very rare occasions due to unforeseen circumstances, an ASA may need to be cancelled. We would like to inform you that in these circumstances your child should go to the secondary office and sign in. They should then then go to work in the library until their normal bus departure. Students should not just catch the earlier bus without informing the secondary office and their parents.

Regards,

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