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School-Wide News

PTO Recruitment Invitation

Education is a journey that families and schools embark on together. To build a "home-school community" and create a warmer, more nurturing environment for our children, the PTO sincerely invites you to join us! The PTO serves as a core bridge between home and school, providing a platform for parents to participate in school management and support educational activities. As a PTO member, you will:

- Participate deeply in decision-making, joining "Principal Meet & Greet" sessions to share your insights directly;
- Represent the school at important off-campus events.
- At the same time, you will be expected to fulfill the following responsibilities:
- Attend meetings on time to discuss collaboration;
- Serve as a communication link between home and school;
- Support school activities and help create wonderful campus memories.

If you are passionate about education, skilled in communication, and willing to contribute, we warmly welcome you! Please contact your homeroom teacher to sign up by Friday, September 5. Let's work together to shape a brighter future for our children!

High School Student Council Retreat

High School Student Council Retreat Students who have been elected into the Student Council will join for a retreat to plan events and participate in team-building activities. The retreat will be a one-day event on Friday, September 5. Please contact Ms. Carpenter stephanie.carpenter@yia-china.com if you have any questions.

Student Wearing Formal Uniform during Board Meetings

Next week, our school will host board meetings on Tuesday and Wednesday, September 9 and 10. To help us show our school spirit and look our best, all students are asked to wear their **formal school uniform** on these two days. Thank you for your cooperation in helping us present our best to our guests.



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Flag-Raising Ceremony and Opening Ceremony

On this Wednesday, YIA Main Campus held a grand opening ceremony. Over 4,000 students were well-organized and highly disciplined, demonstrating excellent spirit. The principals' speeches were inspiring, filling the new semester with hope and motivation. The ceremony recognized outstanding students, including the "Five-Virtues Youth" awardees: Alex, Rice, Wing, Sarita, Sydnie, Hope, and Gabriel

"Model Morality Students": Grayson, Kera, Miranda, and Mark.

"Honor students": Rice/Hope/Hugi/Alex

Particularly inspiring was Hugi, who spoke as a YIA representative. Her confident and composed delivery earned applause from all teachers and students, showcasing the exceptional grace and character of Chinese youth.





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Mini University Fair

We are delighted to extend a special invitation to parents and students to attend our small-scale Overseas University Fair, which will be held at YIA, specifically in the 4th Floor Auditorium, on **September 10(Wednesday) from 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM**.

This event will feature representatives from a diverse selection of internationally recognized universities, including:

1. IE University in Spain
2. Oregon State University
3. Illinois Institute of Technology
4. Universidad San Pablo CEU
5. EHL Hospitality Business School
6. NABA Nuova Accademia di Belle Arti
7. Foothill and De Anza Colleges

This is an excellent opportunity for your students to interact directly with university representatives, learn about academic programs, admission requirements, and explore study abroad opportunities.

MAP Testing

We will officially commence the MAP Fall Testing for the 2025–26 school year starting September 8, 2025. Developed by NWEA (Northwest Evaluation Association) in the United States, the MAP (Measures of Academic Progress) test is a Computerized Adaptive Test. Unlike traditional exams, it dynamically adjusts the difficulty of questions based on a student's responses, allowing for a more accurate assessment of each student's actual academic level. The test is administered three times a year—in September, January, and May—and the results provide valuable data to support teachers in delivering personalized instruction.

Date	Time	Grade	Subject	Venue
2025/9/8 Monday	1:05-2:37PM	6、7、8	Math	Room 400
	2:40-4:10PM	9	Reading	Room 400
		10	Reading	Room 404
2025/9/9 Tuesday	1:05-2:37PM	6、7、8	Reading	Room 400
2025/9/10 Wednesday	1:05-2:37PM	6、7、8	Writing	Room 400
2025/9/11 Thursday	1:05-2:37PM	6、7、8	Science	Room 400
2025/9/12 Friday	1:05-2:37PM	9	Math	Room 400
		10	Math	Room 404
2025/9/15 Monday	1:05-2:37PM	9	Writing	Room 400
		10	Writing	Room 404
2025/9/23 Tuesday	1:05-2:37PM	9	Science	Room 400
		10	Science	Room 404

Aerobic Dance Class for Moms

To foster connection within our school community, we are excited to offer a free, 6-week Aerobic Dance Class for YHIS & YIA moms from September 9 to October 21. The course will be taught by Mrs. BoKyoung Lee, a



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professional dance instructor. Designed for beginners, it will feature simple and fun movements including aerobics, Zumba, and rhythm boxing to promote both health and confidence. No prior dance experience is required—just bring comfortable clothes, energy, and a smile!

Each class will run for one hour. Space is limited to 25 participants, and registration is on a first-come, first-served basis. If you are interested, please sign up by completing the [registration form](#) by Friday, September 5. The school will create a WeChat group and invite the confirmed participants for class communication.

Class Schedule & Location

Time: 10:00-11:00 on every Tuesday from September 9 to October 21 (6 weeks)

Location: 2nd-floor Blue Room in the ECC wing

What to wear and bring: Water bottle, comfortable clothes, yoga mat, indoor athletic shoes

We look forward to a beautiful time of connection together!

Fall Camp

Golden autumn is here, and we hope students can immerse themselves in nature to relax and recharge for the new semester. We also aim to enhance team cohesion through the autumn camp, fostering a supportive and friendly family atmosphere. To achieve this, we will organize an off-campus autumn camp on September 18th and 19th. More details will be announced soon.

Talent Show Auditions

The showcases of talent will take place in the theater in October and November. To participate, students will need to submit an application form and an audition video. Applications will become available next week. Students can start thinking now about the types of talent they may try.

ECC/Elementary:

- Show Date: Friday, October 17.
- Registration: Students must turn in a registration form to Ms. Ma by **Monday, September 29** to participate. Forms can be obtained during music class. Audition results will be announced on October 1.

Secondary:

- Show Date: Friday, November 07
- Registration: Students must turn in a registration form to Ms. Forstrom by **Friday, October 17** to participate. Forms will be available next week on a table outside the music room (Room 420). Audition results will be announced on October 20.

For any questions, please contact Ms. Forstrom at lexi.forstrom@yhischina.com or Ms. Ma at angela.ma@yhischina.com We look forward to seeing our students share their talents!



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Breakfast Menu

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
中餐	Fried rice, marinated eggs, soup + congee, cold dishes + hot dishes, noodles + meat + coarse grains	Fried Dough Twists (Youtiao) & Boiled Eggs, Soy Milk, Tofu Pudding, or Milk A Selection of Cold and Hot Side Dishes, Noodles, Meat, and Coarse Grains	Fried Noodles & Fried Eggs, Soup and Congee A Selection of Cold and Hot Side Dishes, Pastries, Meat, and Coarse Grains	Steamed Buns (Baozi) and Pan-Fried Buns (Xianbing), Boiled Eggs, Soup and Congee, A Selection of Cold and Hot Side Dishes, Noodles, Meat, and Coarse Grains	Roujiamo (Chinese Hamburger) or Shredded Flatbread, Cake, Soup and Congee, A Selection of Cold and Hot Side Dishes, Noodles, Meat, and Coarse Grains
水果	Seasonal fruits				

Lunch Menu

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Korean	Multigrain Rice*, Soybean Paste Soup*#, Braised Pork Ribs*, Egg Rolls ^, Grilled Chicken Salad #*	Multigrain Rice*, Miso Soup#*, Stir-fried Pork*, Steamed Egg^*, Seasoned Bean Sprouts*, Tornado Potatoes*^&	Shrimp Fried Rice#^*, Egg Soup^*#, Hamburg Steak*&, Stir-fried mushroom-with perilla oil #* Cobb salad with-wrench sauce &^	Multigrain Rice*, Bean Sprout Soup*#, Korean Braised Chicken*, Stir-fried Sausages and Vegetables*, Potato Salad^	Stir-fried Beef Rice*, Udon*#&, Sweet and Sour Fried Chicken*^, Stir-fried Broccoli*, Salad with Cherry Tomatoes
Chinese/ Western	Multigrain Rice, Millet Congee, Braised Beef with Radish and Carrot*, Black Pepper Pork Chop*^, Stir-fried Broccoli Steamed Egg^*,	Multigrain Rice; Cornmeal Porridge, Stewed Ribs with Yam*; Mexican Chicken Wrap*^&, Stir-fried Potato, Green Pepper and Eggplant*# Stewed Starch Noodles with Chinese Cabbage*	Multigrain Rice, Cornmeal Porridge, Fried Chicken Cutlet* Braised Pork with Mushroom*, Stir-fried Zucchini with Carrot* Stir-fried Shredded Potatoes*,	Multigrain Rice, Rice Porridge, Roasted Pork Neck* Stir-fried Shrimp with Celery*#, Scrambled Eggs and Tomato*^ Stir-fried Choy Sum with Mushroom*	Multigrain Rice, Seaweed and Egg Soup*#, Braised Pork with Quail Eggs*^, Ham and Bacon Sandwich*^& Stir-fried Broccoli and Cauliflower* Minced Garlic Bok Choy*
Fruit	Seasonal Fruits				

Allergies:

*Wheat

#Seafood

&Dairy

^Eggs

@Nuts

*If a salad is served with a specific dressing, the allergens are listed on the menu. However, for the salad with optional dressings, the allergens are not listed.



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Dinner Menu

MEAL			
周一	周二	周三	周四
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stewed Chicken• Stewed Pork• Garlic Broccoli• Seasonal Vegetables	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chicken Wrap• Grilled Chicken Drumsticks• Cabbage & Glass Noodles• Seasonal Vegetables	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stewed Chicken Thigh• Sliced Fatty Beef• Two Seasonal Vegetables	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chicken Curry• Grilled Pork• Organic Cauliflower• Seasonal Vegetables

Supper	Snacks	Drinks
<p>We serve a variety of authentic Chinese street food, from Baozi and Jiaozi to Wontons and Hot & Sour Noodles. There's always something new to try</p>	<p>Grilled Meat Veggie Skewers Fresh Braised Meats Fruit Cups <i>Menu Updates Regularly</i></p>	<p>Brand Milk Yogurt Probiotic Drink Freshly Squeezed Juice</p>