



“Better Education For Brighter Future”

August has been an inspiring and fun month for ISE

The month of **August**, a word that means “**inspiring reverence or admiration**,” is named after the first Roman Emperor, Augustus Caesar. He was the adopted son of the great Roman general and politician Julius Caesar. ISE students learned about two international awareness days in August that have been designated by the United Nations to inspire the youth of the world.



August 12: International Youth Day

International Youth Day was established to remind young people to recognize and embrace their potential to bring about positive change, and to encourage them to believe in their abilities to make meaningful contributions to society. For International Youth Day, ISE students were asked to write about their dream futures and a few were selected to make their presentations to the school. They also created art works reflecting the themes of International Youth Day.

August 19: World Humanitarian Day



Youth Day Art (Y8)



Mona making presentation



Youth Day Art (Hands Y6)



Y3 –Sandi sharing her class' dreams



Y4 – La Young sharing his class' dreams

LET THE GAMES BEGIN !

To mark this very special occasion in a memorable way, ISE also organized a school-wide competition of fun and exciting games to build team work and to encourage the spirit of friendly competition. Students from Year 2 to Year 8 were divided into four groups – yellow, blue, green and orange – with four Year 8 students assigned to be team captains.



International Youth Day			
Yellow Team		Orange Team	
Lin Mya Wun Yan		Hein Thant Zin	
Paw Wai Thaw Naing	Sai Aung Min Myat	Yu Than Thar Khin	San Bhone Myint Mo
Thant Yunn Yunn Htet	Nyan Bhone San	Arkar Khant Min	Yoon Thiri Myat
Thant Htoo Thiha	Hlyan Htet Pyae Sone	Htin Lin	Ant Min Htet
Bhone Pyae Sone Hlaing	Ju Jue Thaw Tar Lin	Hsu Thiri Mon	La Young Htet
Koe Khit Wati	Moe Yu San	Phone Myat Aung	Phone Myat Khant
Tun Naing Aung	Sett Paing Soe	Thuka Khun Seck	Sut Myo Du
Engyin Myat	Hpone Pyae Say Lin	Thae Htet San	Khin Phoo Thit
Kirsten Khloe	Myat Hay Man Kyaw	Khit Nandar Htet	Khant Linn Thant
Khit Sandy Htut	Toe Htet Shan	Eandray Moe Oo	Thet Thurein
Thu Htoo Sitt	May Phyu sin	Hsu Yoon Nandra Htun	Han Win Thant
Liam Chan	Myat Min Paing	Angle Linn	Selena
Hay Man Kyaw Zin	May Myint Mo Hein	Khant Pyae Phyo Htut	Kyal Wathan Linn



Five games were played in the first part of the competition, Potato Picking, Pass the Parcel, Throwing and Catching, Cross Grove Relay, Tic Tac Toe – and the Yellow Team scored the highest point overall.



In the second part of the competition, six athletes from each color team were selected to compete in soccer. All four teams worked hard and had great fun as their team members cheered on from the sidelines. Finally, the Orange Team kicked in the last goal and was declared the winner.



World Humanitarian Day is a global celebration of people helping people. It is a day to pay tribute to men and women around the world who are actively working to save lives, alleviate suffering and maintain human dignity during and after man-made crises or natural disasters.

ISE students learned about what the word “humanitarian” means and what kind of humanitarian works were being done around the world. Students were asked to design their own humanitarian projects. They passionately wrote in detail about how they would execute their ideas which ranged from simply giving food and money to digging wells and building mobile homes. We are so proud of them!



Tom Reading his Humanitarian Project

Students also donated their unused clothing, toys, blankets, books/stationary and dried foods to an orphanage in Insein to see an actual humanitarian project on the ground. ISE made a cash donation.

Orphans of various ages from war torn ethnic minority areas shared their life stories and answered questions from our students.



Active Learning at ISE

Games and activities are great ways to make learning fun. Grammar games will help us practice our grammar and vocabulary. Presentation activities not only sharpen student's English and ICT skills but also boost their confidence and public speaking ability.

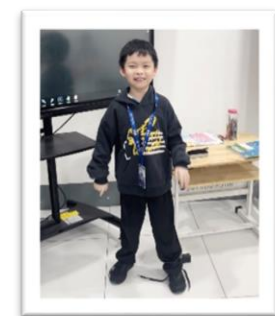
Y1 Highlights

In this technological age, children need to be well-versed in computer technology. Our Year 1 students are learning to handle the mouse, practicing typing on the keyboard and navigating themselves through various fun games. They are also learning to speak to each other using survey questions and creating beautiful works of art.

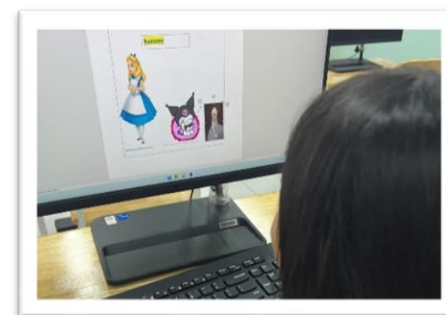
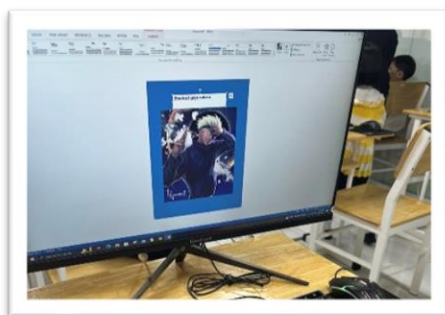


Y2 Highlights

Students were asked to look for things around the class and to talk about it. They gained good experience in public speaking and had fun playing teacher for the day.



Who says young children cannot create? Year 2 students easily learned how to make colorful posters in ICT class.



Year 3 Highlights

Students wrote English jingles and created a pod cast interviewing each other during ICT time.



They also learned how to use sequencing words (first, next, then, meanwhile, suddenly, finally, etc.) to tell a story or describe procedures.



Students had fun practicing their Myanmar writing ability, making full sentences about pictures shown to them.



Students were asked to research information on a topic of their choice and make a presentation to the class.



Year 4 Highlights

Students participated in a peer to peer teaching activity on usage of present perfect tense.



Year 5 Highlights

Students read different newspaper publications and learned how to make their own newspaper in Myanmar class.



Year 6 Highlights

Students build a model of the human respiratory system and tested their system by running around the block.

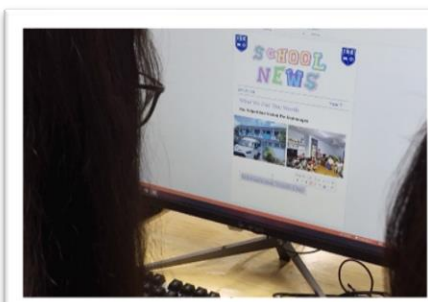
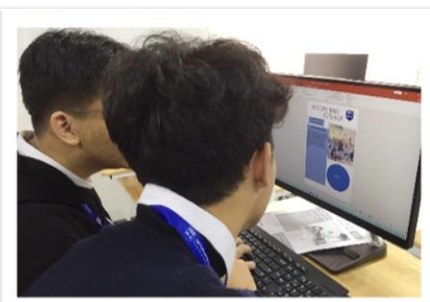


Students discussed programs and thought of ways to create new games.



Year 7-8 Highlights

Students from Year 7 and Year 8 cooperated in a math project requiring teamwork and coordination, memorizing instructions, communicating and calculating, using critical thinking and cooperation to complete the assignment resulting in a physical presentation of the math concept. They also worked on a student designed school newsletter.



Music is the universal language of mankind.

Music education can help spark a child's imagination and ignite a lifetime of passion. In addition to learning music theory and notes, and singing songs harmoniously, ISE students are encouraged to learn a musical instrument and to pursue their creative interests.



Art is the language of our soul

Art can speak when words cannot be expressed. Our students learn to express themselves through many creative art projects.



Physical Education (PE)

PE makes children stronger and better at learning. At ISE, we teach our students about the importance of eating healthy and remaining active.



Library time

Reading helps children learn about the world, stretches their imagination and enriches their vocabulary. It teaches them life lessons and helps them become more thoughtful and understanding.

ISE students enjoy their weekly library time.



Foundation

Early childhood is a period of rapid brain and body development. The Pearson Edexcel Reception program is for children aged 3-5 years and designed to support children's early development years.



August Birthdays



Aye Chan Maung	(R)	2.8.2020
Tun Myat Paing	(R)	29.8.2020
Kaung Khant Hein	(Year 1)	14.8.2017
Tun Myat Ko	(Year 1)	29.8.2018
May Phoo Mon	(Year 3)	29.8.2016
Noreen Thant Htet	(Year 4)	24.8.2015

Lin Wai Yan Khant	(Year 4)	12.8.2015
Angel Lin	(Year 4)	29.8.2015
Htet Rati Yan	(Year 5)	2.8.2014
Aeindray Myat Su Mon	(Year 6)	27.8.2013
Sai Linn Htet Zaw	(Year 7)	25.8.2018



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