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**Year 3 Math Lesson**



**Enjoying Outdoor Team Activities**

### VISION

To be an educational institution of excellence from Kindergarten to University Foundation level combining Eastern Values with an International education to produce global citizens

### MISSION

To provide quality educational programmes in a creative and challenging learning environment, embracing innovative teaching pedagogies to empower every student to become a life-long learner.

### School Days, Roberta Konrad, Ph.D., Principal

Students and teachers are continuing to work very hard in their studies each week. The children are beginning to speak English more fluently at school and are practicing their speaking, reading and writing skills daily. We hope the students continue to practice their new skills at home as well and that the primary students and parents enjoy reading RazKids together each night. Parent Night, scheduled on October 14th was enjoyed by parents and teachers. After a short school wide presentation, parents were invited to visit their child's classroom to hear a presentation by the teacher about the curriculum for each grade, and school-wide expectations for students. Parents could look at student work on display and receive the Term 1 progress report for their child or children.

Our school Halloween Celebration on October 31, 2016 was a great success. The celebration included our teacher, Ms. Ashleigh, as Mistress of Ceremonies, who coordinated the activities. The students presented spooky songs and Halloween dances, and participated in fun activities such as the "limbo" "apple bob" "trick or treat" and the "Halloween parade". Every student participated and their performances and costumes were enjoyed by everyone. Let's give everyone at SIS Ha Long a big thank-you for your fabulous Halloween spirit!

### Vietnamese Programme, Ms. Bui Thi Huong, Deputy HOV

During October, students became acquainted with the school curriculum, made progress and actively participated in learning activities under the guidance of teachers. Students worked well in group, learned how to do exercises, and enthusiastically participated in Violympic, an online Math programme in both Vietnamese and English. Violympic is an effective playground for students to foster lessons in class, and give students quick access to computer programs and new technologies. It is an especially helpful program for them to practice solving math problems in English and develop skills to become global citizens.

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## Everyone Having Fun at the Halloween Festival



### Grades 1 & 2 Presenting Their Dramatic Halloween Program



### Audience Participation



### Grade 3 Presenting Their Play and Costumes

## November Activities at SIS @ Ha Long

This month we are planning a school-wide excursion to the Quang Ninh Museum. At the museum the students will learn about the history and culture of their province.

Extra-curricular clubs will also begin in December. These clubs will include an English Club, a Vietnamese & Math Club, a Dance Club, a Music Club, a Chess Club, and an Arts & Crafts Club. More information will be sent to you later this month including a sign-up letter, the scheduled dates and time, as well as any additional costs.

## Parent Notifications

- Early supervision continues before school from 7:30AM.
- Dismissal is at 3:30PM for the kindergarten classes and 4PM for the primary classes.
- The students look very handsome and beautiful in class and walking around the school campus in their uniforms. Please make sure your child wears our uniform every day. If the nursery/kindergarten students sometimes do not wish to wear the uniform when they wake up, please remember to send it to school and the teachers will help them.
- An excursion to the Quang Ninh Museum and Library is scheduled for November 18 for all students. There is no extra fee for this excursion for the students and teachers but each student will bring home a Parent Permission Slip for you to sign. If you don't wish your child to attend the excursion, arrangements will be made for the child to stay at school under supervision.
- If you would like to volunteer to help your child's teacher at the museum please let her know. Three parents per class are welcome but you must use your own transportation and pay a small admission fee to the museum.
- A Christmas Charity Fair is currently in the planning stages and will be held on Friday, December 16, 2016. More information will be forthcoming in November and we hope all families will participate in this important and fun charity event.