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Important Dates:

6 April: Sports Day

7 April: STEM Day

10 – 14 April: Term 3 Break

22 April: Open House

28 April: SIS National Spelling Bee



International Women's Day – Prep students make flowers for mom

Message from the Principal

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We would like to take a moment to reflect on the exciting events and achievements that took place in our school community this month. Our students have engaged in numerous activities both inside and outside the classroom that have enriched their educational experiences.

Our swimming program commenced in March, providing our students with the chance to develop their physical fitness and improve their swimming skills. We celebrated the amazing women in our lives during International Women's Day and had a fun-filled Dr. Seuss week, where our students participated in various activities that helped to foster a love for reading. Our SIS students also had the chance to study with our STEM regional head of studies, who exposed them to practical experiences that promote creativity and problem-solving skills.

In addition to all these activities, our students brought pride to our school by winning awards at the city-wide MoET English competition. Our KIK students also won awards in a traffic safety competition, which reinforced the importance of road safety and responsible behavior.

As we continue to through the academic year, we would like to thank parents for their unwavering support and encouragement. We remain committed to providing our students with the best possible education, preparing them for success in the future.

Yours Warmly,
Mr. Ben



Jesse and Thien Phuc from Pre-Nursery laugh at each other's silly mustaches during Dr. Seuss Week.

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Year 5 Students – focused while working together in the library to complete a project about King Midas.



Building An Amazing Tower – Our Year 1 students test the stability of their towers, consider how to improve them, and try their new designs. STEM activities like these teach our students to be critical thinkers.

Virtues Programme

In March, our students learned about the virtues of Optimism and Commitment.

Optimism is a powerful force that can inspire and motivate us to achieve our goals and overcome challenges. When we approach life with a positive outlook, we can see opportunities where others may only see obstacles. Optimism helps us to believe in ourselves and our abilities, and it encourages us to keep moving forward even when the going gets tough. At SIS@Can Tho, we believe that optimism is an essential part of success. By building a school culture of positivity and resilience, we can empower our students to reach their fullest potential and grow to become confident, capable leaders.

Commitment is a necessary quality that helps us stay focused and determined to achieve our goals. When we commit to something, we give it our all, and we work hard to see it through to the end. We encourage our students to be committed to their studies and to their relationships with friends and family. We believe that commitment is a key factor in achieving success, and that by dedicating ourselves to our pursuits, we can develop the skills and habits that will help us in the future. By creating a culture of commitment, we can inspire our students to be their best selves and achieve great things.

School-Wide Learner Goals

March's School-Wide Learning Goal is to nurture Critical Thinkers. Critical thinking is an essential skill that allows us to analyze and evaluate information in a logical and objective way. By using critical thinking, we can make informed decisions and solve complex problems effectively. At our school, we recognize the importance of critical thinking and strive to develop this skill in our students.



Mr. Veren teaches students a fun lesson about leverage, teamwork and mass (above) while Year 1 make lovely cards for their mothers (below).



KIK Traffic Safety Competition – Our kindergarten students competed with songs, dances and performances to show their understanding about the importance of traffic safety.

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MoET English Competition Winners



Bui Thai Bao Ngoc – 3rd Prize



Nguyen Huy – 2nd Prize



Ho Minh Khoi – 3rd Prize

Our City-Wide Winners (above) took part in the annual MoET English competition, winning awards for being among the top English students in Can Tho. Since Primary students from all across the city joined in the event, we are extremely proud of our exceptional students. They represent the very best of our school, district and community!

Question everything: To be a critical thinker, you need to question everything you encounter. Ask "why," "how," and "what if" questions to deepen your understanding and challenge assumptions.

Consider different perspectives: Critical thinking requires you to consider different perspectives before forming an opinion. Try to see things from multiple points of view by seeking out opinions that differ from your own.

Evaluate evidence: Critical thinking also involves evaluating evidence in a logical and objective way. Practice examining the source, data, and patterns to draw accurate conclusions.

Our SWLG Awards go to our hardest working and highest achieving students. This month's winners are as follows:

Critical Thinkers

Nursery - Burns Le Dan, K1 - Huynh Phuc Huan, K2 - Tran Dinh Khoa, Prep - Nguyen Mai Anh, Y1 - Le Tran Thao Nhi, Y2 - Tran Anh Pha Le, Y3 - Nguyen Vo Thanh Man, Y4 - Duong Quynh Anh, Y5 - Tran My Anh, Y6 - Ho Le Minh Ngoc, Y7 - Ngo Trang Linh, Y8 - Ngo Hai Toan, Y9 - Bui Khanh Quoc, Y10 - Le Hung Phat

**Congratulations to our
Critical Thinkers!**

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Our Swimming Program (above) is an exciting and educational opportunity. Swimming is wonderful exercise and teaches a life-saving skill. **Prep Students** (below) perform a creative and fun skit about following traffic rules.



Kai and Minh Anh of Prep Class dressed up as Dr. Seuss characters to have fun and encourage reading.