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Important Dates:

18 November: Teachers Day

28 November: Fire Drill Training

10 December: Christmas Charity Fair

12-14 December: SA1 Exams

19 December – 2 January: Christmas and New Year Break



Mr. Aaran confidently practices putting out fires during our fire drill training.



SIS Teachers celebrating a joyous Teachers' Day

Message from the Principal

Dear Parents and Guardians,

November has been an eventful month for us here at SIS Can Tho. While our students continued striving each day to do their best, we celebrated and showed our appreciation to our amazing staff on Teacher's Day with some wonderful student performances. Our staff were overwhelmed and grateful for the support shown by students and parents, and I would like to say a special thank you to you all for your kindness on this day.

On Saturday, December 10th we will be holding our Christmas Charity Fair and hope to see everyone there. On the following Monday, the students will take their Semester One Exams. The students have been diligently preparing for these and we wish them the best success during this time.

The Christmas Holidays will be upon us shortly, with the last day of classes be on the 16th of December. School will commence again after two weeks, on the 3rd of January.

We would like to wish all of our SIS Can Tho families a happy and safe Christmas break. Thank you for your continuing support and from all of us here at SIS Can Tho, Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Yours Warmly,
Mr. Ben

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Xuan Binh of K2 dressed in her traditional costume for her Teachers' Day performance.



Le Nhu of Year 6 (above) joined a drawing competition for MoET at Ong De Village. **Year 9 Students** lined up during our fire drill (below).



Virtues Programme

In November, our students learned about the virtues of Cooperation, Responsibility and Diligence.

Cooperation is working together and sharing the load. When we cooperate, we join with others to do things that cannot be done alone. We are willing to follow the rules which keep everyone safe and happy. Together we can accomplish great things.

Being responsible means others can trust you to do things with excellence. You accept accountability for your actions. When you make a mistake, you offer amends instead of excuses. Responsibility is the ability to respond ably and to make smart choices.

Diligence is working hard and doing your absolute best. You take special care by doing things step by step. Diligence helps you to get things done with excellence and enthusiasm. Diligence leads to success.

School-Wide Learner Goals

November's Schoolwide Learning Goal is to nurture Critical Thinking in our students. Critical Thinkers apply rational, higher order thinking skills to problem solving.

One way Critical Thinking can be learned is through interpreting and experiencing the world around us, which can be encouraged by providing children with time for free play.

We live in an age with so many distractions that sometimes we forget how important it is for our kids to just play. When children play on their own, they will face challenges that they will need to use critical thinking to overcome.

If we teach children everything we know, their knowledge is limited to ours. If we teach children to think, their knowledge is limitless!



Mr. Limbert cheers on Le Minh Khoi of K2 as he lines up to shoot the ball during his HPE lesson.



Year 2 students (above) working hard in their Music class. They check their answers with their hands while they sing along with the talented Mr.



Brave and Experienced Firefighters came to our campus to teach us how to protect our students, put out a fire, and get everyone out safely in case of an emergency.

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Ara of K1 creates a flower of fingerprints to show her gratefulness to teachers on Teachers' Day.



Win of Year1 shares his dream job – Firefighter (above). **Year 3 students John and Bao** proudly show their Ocean Zones Project (below).



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 - Duong Minh Minh, K2 - Do Manh Tien Dung, Prep - Duong Khanh An, Y1 - Ha Minh Dai Duong, Y2 - Bui Thai Bao Nghi, Y3 - Duong Tri Duc, Y4 - Lam Quang Minh, Y5 - Le Duy Quang, Y6 - Mac Tuan Hoang, Y7 - Doan Dong Nguyen, Y8 - Nguyen Dac Hung, Y9 - Ho Huynh Bao Ngoc, Y10 - Thai Nguyen Hoang Anh

**Congratulations to our
Critical Thinkers!**

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Delicious Snacks were prepared to show our gratitude and appreciation for our outstanding Teachers.



Year 5 Students engaged in drama activities (above) as **Year 10 Trung Tin** observes cells in biology class (below).



Y7 Students enjoying their Literature lesson (above) while **Mr. Tam and Mr. Ben** meet with local authorities to improve our school's fire safety (below).

