

Homeroom of the Month - Grade 11

Grade 11 have had a challenging semester, starting their demanding A Level courses. However they are rising to the challenge and working hard to ensure they perform their very best. They have found a successful work-play balance and this week will take part in a mindfulness course to explore stress reduction techniques. A valuable skill for the future! Grade 11 wish you all a very happy and restful Christmas and are looking forward to the New Year.

Subject Focus - Maths and ICT

An essential part of Grade 6 and 7 Maths this semester has been on developing their conceptual understanding. We have used real world examples and concrete objects (manipulatives), pictorial representations and had discussions about different methods. The goal has been that they can transfer their mathematical knowledge into new situations and apply it to new concepts. Grade 8 has explored trigonometry and how it can be applied in real life and has practiced on statistics by completing the research "Is red the most common color in candies?"

In ICT, the Grade 9, 10 and 11 classes have been following similar themes : Operating Systems, Network Topologies/Principles (including Cloud Computing) and how ICT is used in daily life. Another key area covered has been that of Artificial Intelligence, which will impact the world in many ways. Online learning is used often.

Reminder!

Dates for your Diary and Upcoming events

- 9th January – 23rd January AS resit exams
- 27th January – Laax Ski Day **and** semester one reports home

Current CCAs

Mon	Body sculpt
Tue	Yearbook club
Wed	Basketball
Thu	Football



Events – Ice skating and Christmas Dance

The ISZN Winter Dance has been a spectacular event that students enjoyed. They all had a wonderful evening which included dancing, socialising and trying different sweet goodies! Well done to the Student Council for organising and everybody participating and making it a memorable moment! On Wednesday the Secondary students had a fabulous time Ice skating at Wallisellen Sportszentrum. The swirled and sprinted and luckily stayed Injury free!

