



# Parent Newsletter

## Senior School

August 2018



► 4 students of Grade 9 will represent CIS at Inter school Classical Dance Competition organised by The Calcutta School of Music in ICCR on 3<sup>rd</sup> August, 2018.

► CIS Junior and Senior Football Girls Teams will be representing CIS in Inter school Football Tournament at the La Martiniere for Girls on 11<sup>th</sup> August, 2018.

► CIS Senior Boys and Girls Football Team will participate in Confluence 2018 Interschool Football Tournament.

### Highlights of the month

- 8<sup>th</sup> WIZ Spell Bee Level 1
- 14<sup>th</sup> India – Korea Day
- 15<sup>th</sup> Independence Day Holiday
- 17<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> Confluence CIS Inter School Fest
- 21<sup>st</sup> Swimming Heats
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Holiday for Eid
- 25<sup>th</sup> PTM Grade 8
- 28<sup>th</sup> Swimming Final
- 30<sup>th</sup> Term 1 Test Cycle ends for AS and A2
- 31<sup>st</sup> Business Activity Day & Debate Gr 9-12

**CALCUTTA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL RECEIVES THE ASSOCHAM AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION FOR "BEST CURRICULUM"**



# The Students' Council 2018-19



Head Boy..... Vijayant Mehra  
Deputy Head Boy..... Shaurya Saboo  
Addl. Deputy Head Girl..... Saloni Todi

## House Captains:

**Red** Saket Mungra

**Yellow** Somhrit Chanda

**Green** Arham Choraria

## Vice Captains:

**Red** Daksh Manpuria

**Yellow** Shreshth Sarda

**Green** Anjali Surana

## Senior Prefects:

**Red** Evanha Lee

**Yellow** Tanvi Sengupta

**Green** Jaden Tzu Liang Wu

## Junior Prefects:

**Red** Anastasia

**Yellow** Subhaneil Ganguly

**Green** Shubhan Agarwal

Chattopadhyay

**A leader is one who knows the way, goes the way, and shows the way.**

*John C Maxwell*





**Mr. Amulya Ratan Jatua  
&  
Mr. Subrata Choudhury**  
completed 25 years of dedicated  
service in CIS.

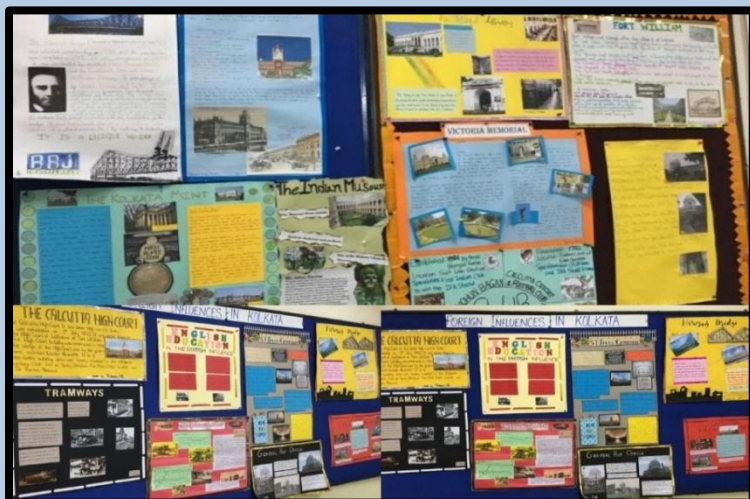


**Students also felicitated their  
Amulya dada and Subrata dada  
on their 25<sup>th</sup> year of Service in  
CIS.**



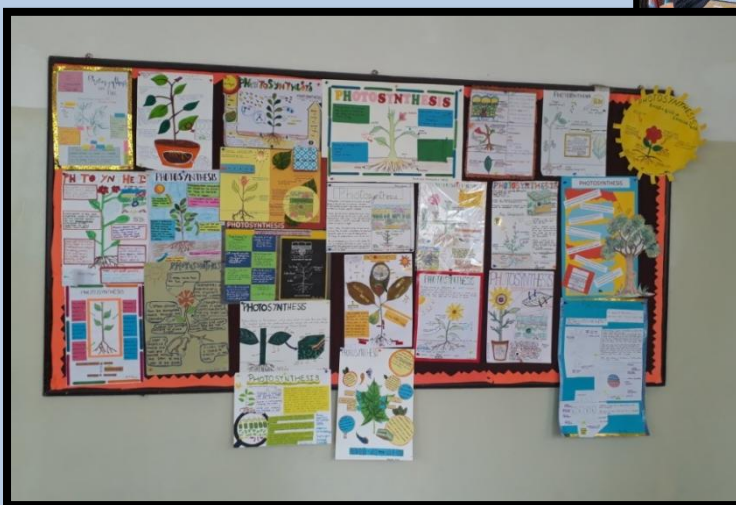


# Activities Galore in Middle Section



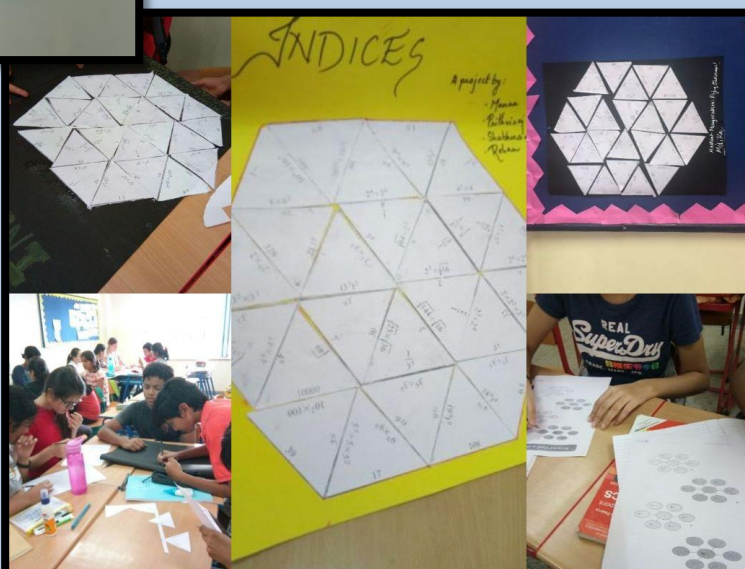
Grade 7 students display  
their History activity  
'Foreign Influences in Kolkata'

Grade 6 students learning the  
structure and function of  
plant and animal cell  
through an activity.



Posters on Photosynthesis  
made by Grade 7

Grade 8 involved in solving  
Tarsia Maths puzzles  
on Indices.





# Introducing Spanish to Grade 6 students

## Carné Internacional de Estudiante

The American clinical psychologist, Mary Elizabeth Pipher, says that “Language imparts identity, meaning, and perspective to our human condition.” In the spirit of this thought, the first unit of Grade 6 Spanish is ‘La Identidad’ or ‘The Identity’. Having learnt the key words that are essential to one’s identity, such as name, surname, age, nationality, so on and so forth, they did an activity in class today where they had to make a ‘Carné Internacional de Estudiante’ for themselves, that is, an International Student Identity Card, which is a phenomenon that is popularly used by college students of all nationalities throughout Europe to get special student discounts at various outlets such as restaurants, movie theatres, as well as tourist spots such as museums and art galleries.



To enable complete cultural immersion, each student was even given a Spanish name prior to making the Carné Internacional, which will also be the name they will henceforth be addressed by in Spanish class. Hence, new language, new identity!

### A2 level students

- ✴Bharat Khushalani
- ✴Ayaan Burman
- ✴Aratrice Ghosh
- ✴Ayush Ray
- ✴Avidheo Choudhury

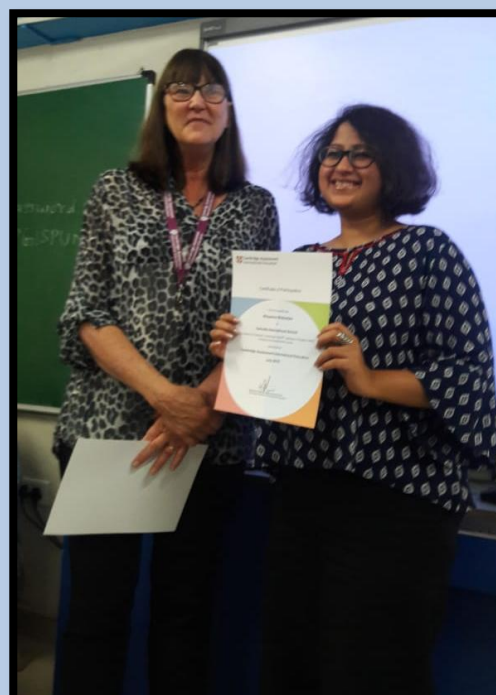
will start a 60 hour industrial training at JW Marriott, Kolkata with exposure in all hospitality departments – Kitchen, F&B, Housekeeping, Front Office, Sales and Marketing etc.



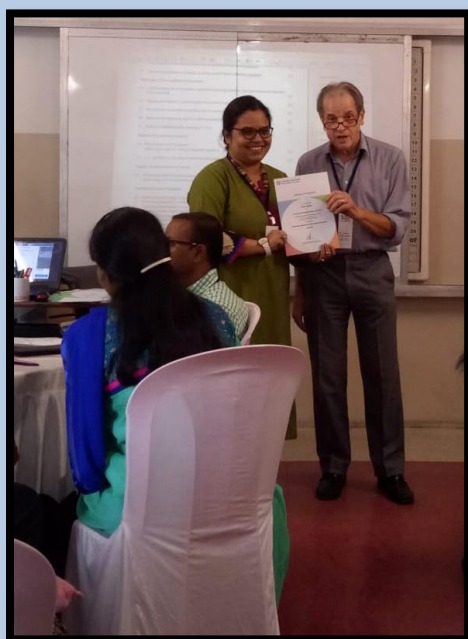
# CIS Faculty attends training events and enriches CIS



Ms. Preeti Roy Choudhury receiving the Certificate after completing the 2 day workshop on English Language 0500 IGCSE organised by Cambridge University in Noida on 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> July, 2018.



Ms. Rituparna Mukherjee receiving the Certificate after completing the 2 day workshop on English literature extension training workshop in Pune on the 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> July 2018.



Ms. Tania Ghosh receiving the Certificate after completing the 2 day workshop on A-level Physics extension training held in Mumbai on 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> July, 2018.

Ms. Upasana Saraswati receiving the Certificate after completing the 2 day workshop on the Extension training for Lower Secondary English held in Chennai in February 2018.





**Workshop attended by teachers on 'Gender and Sexuality at School Levels – Initiating Dialogue' by Dr. Ranjita Biswas, Consultant Psychiatrist and Executive Member Sappho for Equality on July 24, 2018.**



**A whole day language workshop was organised for IB Language teachers on 14<sup>th</sup> July, 2018 at CIS by Mrs. Rini Ghosh from Mumbai. Mrs. Ghosh is head of Language acquisition Jamnabai Nasser International School, Spanish Examiner for IB, Content Developer for e-pathshala, MHRD Govt. Of India, Board of Studies Amity University, Faculty for Pamoja Education an online programme from Oxford.**



**Coffee Meets with  
parents of  
Grades 9, AS IB Yr1,  
IB Yr2**

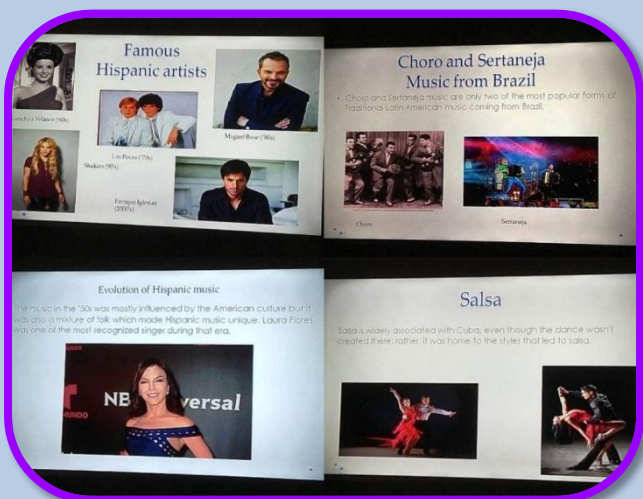




IB 1 students Saloni Todi & Justin Hu  
having an interactive sharing session  
with Grade 7 about Japan.



Students of IBDP 1 organised  
a presentation to inform Grade 6  
about Spain

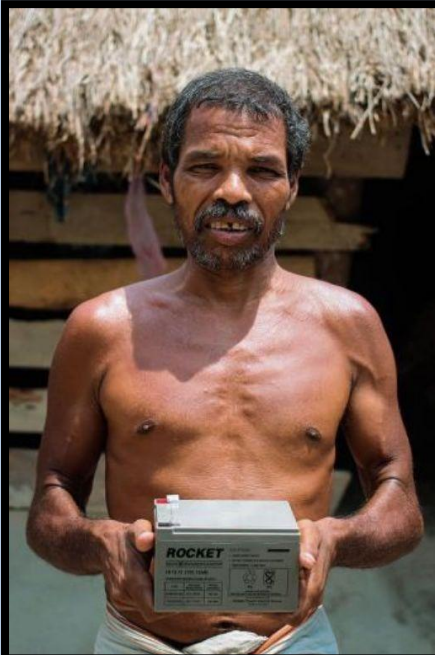


Travel Brochures made by the  
students of

Travel and Tourism - Travel  
Desk for Puja Vacation



# 'Project Soular'



The IBDP Yr 2 students

- ✿ Shaurya Saboo
- ✿ Kishalay Chajjar
- ✿ Ethan Chen
- ✿ Gunjan Gaheer
- ✿ Trevor Chen

& Abhimanyu Sharma - IB1

Founded the **Soular Project** as a part of their CAS lead project

They visited a village of Sunderbans in South 24 Parganas for distribution and installation of solar panels in the houses. It was a real humbling experience where they could really get the understanding of how even a small LED bulb installed in a home can make a huge difference in the lives of people. It is indeed a praiseworthy initiative.

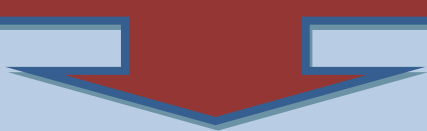




# CIS MUN



*Psychology students enacting  
a skit on Mental Health*



Psychology students from CIS have been selected for the final round of the skit presentation on Mental Health Awareness which was held at Kalamandir on 10<sup>th</sup> July

This year CISMUN saw the largest footfall it has ever seen with Mr Mohammad Mohiuddin, chief UNICEF office for West Bengal being the chief guest. 5 committees were simulated- UNSC, discussing the implementation of R2P and humanitarian exemptions in sanctions regime, UN Commission on the Status of Women, discussing women in crisis and post conflict situations, ECOSOC, discussing the potential for cryptocurrencies with special emphasis on Venezuela, UNGA1 DISEC, discussing weapons of mass destruction, as well as the International Press Corps. The closing ceremony was presided over by Colonel Pronob Roy.





Accolades at the grand finale of Inter school music competition organised by Academy for Musical Excellence.



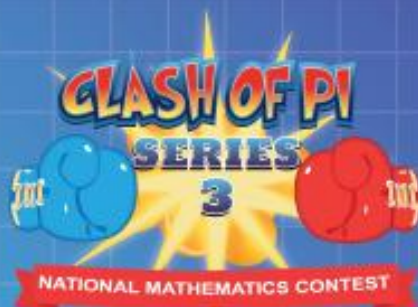
*Congratulations to the Prize winners of*



*English  
Mathematics  
Science  
OLYMPIADS  
2017-18*



# The Result of July Round of Clash of Pi 2018-19



Date: July 24th, 2018

Clash of Pi : July 2018

## BEST PERFORMERS OF THIS ROUND

These are National Level certificates

#	STUDENT NAME	GRADE	SECTION	POINTS EARNED	BADGE EARNED
1	Arya Bhutoria	6	A	371	AIR #16
2	Evangelin Saha	6	A	230	Power Performer
3	Shome Deepto Sankar	6	B	241	Power Performer
4	Sneha Purakayastha	6	B	193	Power Performer
5	Anusree Mazumdar	7	A	150	Power Performer
6	Yatrik Pratihari	7	B	190	Power Performer
7	Anastasia Chattopadhyay	8	A	40	Power Performer
8	Rohan Arya Marda	8	B	64	Power Performer
9	Shubhan Agarwal	8	B	39	Power Performer
10	Arjun Sen	9	A	45	Power Performer
11	Rohan Banerjee	9	A	105	Power Performer
12	Simran Kothari	9	B	113	Power Performer
13	Yashvi Bhutoria	10	A	65	Power Performer

\*AIR - All India Rank

## RIISING STARS OF THIS ROUND

Awarded to deserving candidates in the school who have the potential to achieve a National Level certificate

#	STUDENT NAME	GRADE	SECTION	POINTS EARNED
1	Sreeja Sarkar	6	B	184
2	Dhiman Narayan	7	B	105
3	Shriyadita Sengupta	7	A	95
4	Prakhar Drolia	7	A	95
5	Arko Aalok Sarkar	9	B	40



# Congratulations...



IB Topper 2018 —  
Shruti Mishra  
with 42 points



Harsh Banthia - 2nd  
with 38 points

## *IBDP Results for 2018*

Our IB results were excellent once more, well in line with our five year averages and far above IB world average scores in every respect. All our IB students qualified for the Diploma.

This marks the end of a demanding two years for our students. We are proud of all their successes, both individual and as a year group.

We wish them all the very best for the future.

## CHECKPOINT Results

All our 47 students of Grade 8 (Academic Year 2017-18)  
successfully completed the Secondary 1 Checkpoint.



The time of the year when the students will have...

*'wings to their dreams'*



**17th - 18th August**