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Welcome to Korea International School! Thank you for choosing to join our dynamic learning community. We are eager to partner with you to support your transition, and we are committed to providing the highest quality education and support for your child.

Orientation sessions are scheduled for Friday, August 4, 2017 to assist you and your child in preparing for the first day of school at KIS or for his or her first day in a new building division. An overview of parent and student orientation sessions is outlined below:

High School

If you have not already done so, please call to set a scheduling appointment with your child's counselor. Placement tests, credit review, and scheduling appointments are available the week prior to orientation.

HS Parents **8:00 AM - 9:00 AM** **Conference Hall - G Building 2nd Floor**
Grades 10-12 **8:00 AM - 12:30 PM** **High School Lobby**

New students in Grades 10-12 will meet with Student Council and National Honor Society members to tour the building and learn more about life at KIS from a student perspective. Bring your MacBook for a set up and orientation session with members of our Educational Technology Team. A pizza luncheon will be served.

Grade 9 **8:00 AM - 1:30 PM** **Phoenix Gym - G Building 6th Floor**

Link Crew Leaders will facilitate team building games and activities to welcome members of the Class of 2021. Students will tour the building and learn helpful tips to build healthy habits from the start of their high school careers. Bring your MacBook for a set up and orientation session with members of our Educational Technology Team. A pizza luncheon will be served.

Middle School

Parents **9:00 AM - 10:00 AM** **Performing Arts Center - B1 between MS & HS**
Grades 7-8 **9:00 AM - 11:30 AM** **Performing Arts Center - B1 between MS & HS**

After welcoming remarks in the Performing Arts Center (PAC), students will tour the building, meet teachers, review the bell schedule and participate in MacBook training.

Grade 6 **9:00 AM - 12:00 PM** **Performing Arts Center - B1 between MS & HS**

After welcoming remarks in the Performing Arts Center (PAC), students will tour the building, meet teachers, and review the bell schedule. Grade 6 students will participate in MacBook training during the first week of school.

Elementary School

Pangyo **1:30-3:00 PM** **Performing Arts Center - B1 between MS & HS**

Student and parent orientation will begin in the Performing Arts Center (PAC) and then students and parents will have opportunity to meet their teachers and visit classrooms.

Seoul Campus **12:30-2:30PM** **Multi-Purpose Room - 4th Floor**

Student and parent orientation will begin in the Multi-Purpose Room (MPR) and then students and parents will have opportunity to meet their teachers and visit classrooms. Students and parents of students in Grades 3-5 will attend iPad training from 1:00-2:00 PM.

Specific activities in each school division's orientation program will vary according to the developmental needs of students. In general, while you are on campus, you will have opportunity to meet school administrators, counselors, teachers, and student leaders. You will learn more about building and classroom schedules and supports offered at KIS to promote school to home partnership. You will be able to collect your student's identification card; transfer money to your student's identification card for use in the school cafeteria if desired; and purchase school supplies, spirit wear and PE kits in the Phoenix Store.

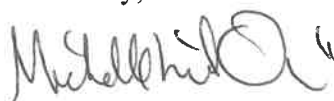
We are looking forward to partnering with you to help your child learn and thrive and KIS. Please do not hesitate to contact teachers, counselors, or school administrators as you have questions or concerns about your child's education.

Please mark your calendar to visit us again at Back to School Night for extended opportunity to visit classrooms, attend workshops, and meet with your child's teachers:

High School	Wednesday, August 23	Students and Parents should attend together 4:30 Fall Athletes Meeting PAC 5:30 Back to School Night Welcome PAC
Middle School	Wednesday, August 23	Only parents should attend 5:30 Back to School Night Welcome Conference Hall
Pangyo Elementary	Tuesday, August 22	Only parents should attend
Seoul Campus Elementary	Thursday, August 24	Only parents should attend

Thank you for choosing Korea International School!

Sincerely,



Michelle Quirin
Interim School Director