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Dear Parents and Guardians

It was a very busy end to the academic year these last few weeks and it was lovely to see so many of you attend the various events at school. It was a wonderful to end what has been a very busy academic year by celebrating our students' achievements and talents in the awards ceremonies, graduation ceremonies and school productions.

Student Wellbeing and Meet the Teachers Event

At BIST next year, we are determined to strengthen the relationship between home and school, and improve yet further the effective communication between the two on which the success of the school depends. Throughout the year, members of our leadership team will offer weekly workshops for parents on various topics pertinent to your child's learning and wellbeing. However, in the first instance, please note the following two events, to which we invite all parents as outlined below:

Tuesday 18th August 2015 - 5.30pm to 7.30pm, Performing Arts Centre reception

'Growth mindset and wellbeing: how to raise a happy child'

This workshop for all our parents (EY and WP) will be led by Will Ord (www.thinkingeducation.co.uk), a globally renowned expert in wellbeing, mindfulness and metacognition. The parent workshop is designed to help you understand fully the challenges posed to your child's wellbeing, and how you can help.

*Please email K. Trini at rtarinee@bromsgrove.ac.th if you wish to attend.

Sunday 23rd August 2015 - 4.00pm to 5.30pm, Performing Arts Centre auditorium, WP Campus

'Welcome back to Bromsgrove: an opportunity to meet the WP Campus teachers'

This event will share with all Year 2-Year 13 BIST parents (old and new) our vision for the continued development of BIST into one of the best schools in Asia. In addition, you will be introduced to all our new teachers on the WP campus, and will have a chance to get to know them in an informal setting afterwards, over tea and coffee.

N.B. It is essential that all parents make every effort to attend this critical event in the school calendar. Please email K. Trini at rtarinee@bromsgrove.ac.th to confirm your attendance.

Primary School Class Allocations

As BIST's reputation continues to grow we have an unprecedented amount of applications from families requesting that their children start with us in August 2015. We know how important being in the right class is for your child's social and emotional development and we want to make sure that your child is in a class with peers that will support, engage and challenge them. We need to be sure that we have this right for every child before announcing final classes and teachers (for those year groups with two classes) for next academic year.

We know that everyone is excited to find out their new class and as soon as we finalise this information your child will receive a letter from their new teacher welcoming them to their class and explaining some of the exciting things that they will be doing over the next academic year. These will be sent out to parents in the first two weeks of August 2015.

Secondary School Tutor Group Allocations

As outlined in my previous Headmaster's Letters, next academic year we will adopt a House-based tutor group system across the Secondary School. As a result we will be starting the new academic year with brand new tutor groups. Students will be informed of their new tutor group on the first day of term, on **Monday 24 August**.

I look forward to seeing you all in August and I hope you have a wonderful and relaxing holiday.

Warmest Regards



Dr Dan Moore
Headmaster

