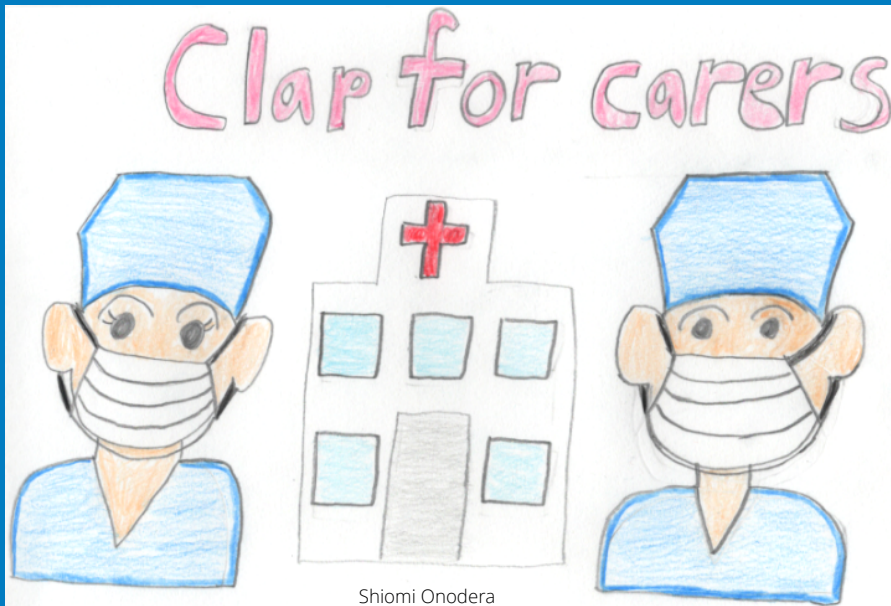


THE ISD MONTHLY

International School of Dublin



Primary Years
Programme



Shiomi Onodera

Tiago Flanagan



School competition winners. Task: make a poster to provide inspiration and positive thinking to others during this difficult lockdown time.

THE EXHIBITION

The Primary Years Programme (PYP) Exhibition represents a significant milestone in the life of a Grade 6 student at the International School of Dublin (ISD). A culminating experience, taking place over the course of one Unit of Inquiry, the Exhibition is a student-led, personal, in-depth inquiry.

A thesis or dissertation of sorts, the Exhibition provides the opportunity for students to demonstrate the skills and attributes they have acquired throughout their primary years. Exploring knowledge that is significant, relevant and presented through multiple perspectives, students are challenged to conduct inquiries that involve identifying, investigating and offering solutions to real-life issues or problems. Students exhibit independence and responsibility for their learning. They use their learning to apply actionable change for the world.

The Exhibition provides an opportunity to unite the school community, observe the major features of the PYP and celebrate the graduation and transition of learners from primary to secondary education. Students continuing their education with the International Baccalaureate (IB) encounter similar junctures in the Middle Years Programme (MYP) through the Personal Project and the Diploma Programme (DP) through the Extended Essay.

This coming Monday, our students will begin their Exhibition endeavours and we believe great things will happen. We invite you to help us celebrate these students and attend our very special Exhibition event on Friday, April 30. Details to follow.

WE NEED YOUR HELP

Our Exhibition students would like to use the school community for all of its wonderful resources to conduct the best inquiries possible...



If you think you can help, please contact the Grade 5,6 teacher Ms. Silvia: silvia.garciaobles@internationalschooldublin.ie

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STUDENT INTERVIEWS

We spoke with the eight, Grade 6 students to get the scoop on this year's Exhibition...

Why is the Exhibition important?

The Exhibition is an important event in my life because it is a good way of applying what I have learnt during my time at ISD. This opportunity will help me gain more skills in technology, presentation and public speaking, it will also allow me to take action to help better the world. In general, the Exhibition is a graduation and transition from primary to secondary school. It allows the school community to observe the progress of the oldest students of the school and reflect on their evolution as learners through an inquiry project.

- Alessandro Castaño Algaba

The Exhibition is important to me and my fellow Grade 6 peers because it is basically our graduation from ISD and primary school. I have been attending ISD for eight years, 2/3 of my lifetime, from when I was only 4 years old. The Exhibition is also important to the school because it captures all the skills we have learned throughout our time here and most importantly the memories we have made throughout our time at ISD. - Joshua Merry

Exhibition is important for me because it will help me learn new knowledge and it will also really help me use my presentation skills to talk about and discuss my inquiry in front of an audience. Exhibition is important to other students because it provides the opportunity to learn about things that are of personal interest. At the same time, the Exhibition shows students how to organise themselves and learn a structure of steps or process for learning. It allows students to conduct the cycle of inquiry in a more independent way than ever before in their primary years. Finally, the Exhibition is important to ISD because it is a special tradition for the school that is similar to a graduation.

- Camilo Ucha Choi

I think the Exhibition is important because you get to learn something new, practice talking about what you are knowledgeable about in front of many people and improve your research skills.

- Jessica Shyback

Tell us about the inquiry focus for your Exhibition...

Superheroes change over time - Camilo Ucha Choi

Social media influences human life - Joshua Merry

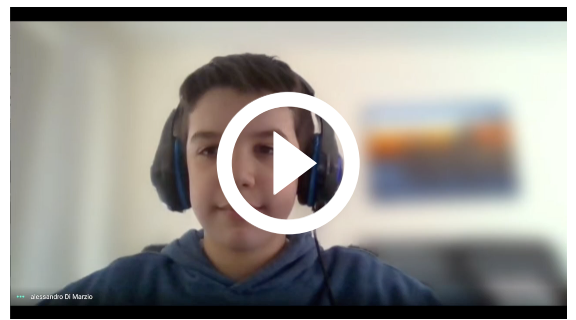
Music expresses feelings - Jessica Shyback

Disruption of the seas ecosystem creates an impact on the world - Alessandro Castaño Algaba

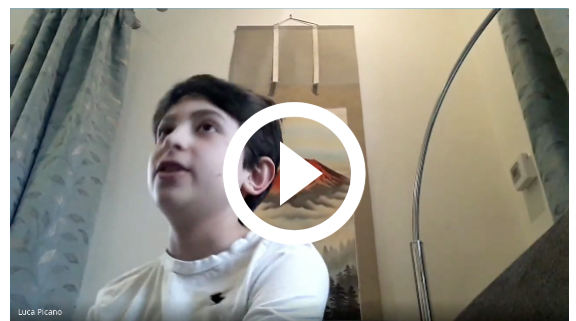
Tell us about the preparation process for Exhibition thus far...



What are you most looking forward to about Exhibition?



Now that you are getting started, what is something new you have learned about the Exhibition?



What do you hope to have accomplished by the end of Exhibition?

