# **NORMS**

Core Values	Norms			
Honesty	We expect and support the truth.			
Respect	We respect one another and will seek and understand diverse perspectives.			
Student-	We make and support student-centered decisions aligned with our			
Centeredness	district mission and vision.			
Professionalism	We expect and honor professional behavior.			
Collegiality	We share the responsibility for regularly celebrating our accomplishments and fostering collegiality.			

## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

October 18, 2016

#### **OUR MISSION**

graduate
prepared to
lead a rewarding
responsible life
as a contributing
member of our
community and
greater society





#### **OUR VISION**

# Every Student Future Ready:

- Prepared for College
- Prepared for the Global Workplace
- Prepared for Personal Success





## ICS MISSION

The International Community School cultivates integrity, curiosity, complex reasoning, problem solving, and global awareness in every student with a rigorous, signature program of arts and sciences.

Classic Education,

Global Application.

#### **CORE VALUES**

#### We Believe...

- Students are best prepared for the future when they engage in a shared intellectual
  experience that includes deep, integrated study in our six core subjects (Arts, Humanities,
  International Studies, Mathematics, Sciences and Spanish).
- A rigorous interdisciplinary curriculum results in analytical thinkers who can consider both local and global issues from multiple perspectives.
- A vertically aligned curriculum builds student competency at each level and prepares them for future success.
- Long term relationships within the school community nurture a safe and effective educational experience.
- Student success requires a partnership of educators supported by families and community.
- Cultivating an attitude of personal civic engagement and community service is essential to constructive local, national and global citizenship.

## LOOKING AHEAD: REFINE AND IMPROVE

# Last year, as a faculty we addressed:

- Created an ICS Mission
- Focus Week practices
- Field trips practices and processes
- Retention Practices
- Club Practices

#### This year we will:

- Teach the students our mission
- Use the Continuous Improvement Plan as our student achievement and Goal setting instrument.
- Continue to refine: retention, field trip, focus week and club practices.
- Improve our Attendance practices.















### KOBE UNIVERSITY SECONDARY SCHOOL

A wonderful visit made possible by: Trang Nguyen and Angelika Koch-Leibmann

### Hosting Parents:

Klym Family (Ryota)

Keeley Family (Paul)

Garg-Sreeramalu Family (Saori)

O'Madadhain Family (Aki)

Iwasaki Family (Ryosuke)











## **EXCHANGE STUDENT NEEDS HELP**

Emiri Morita, now at Redmond HS, is seeking a host family for the remainder of the year.

If you can host please contact Dr. Moncada.

## **Focus Week Dates**

FW descriptions online	October 19, 2016
Focus Week Information Night	October 26, 2016
Student FW decisions due	October 28, 2016
FW Advisories begin	November 2, 2016
50% deposit due/ no refunds	January 4, 2017
100% Remainder due	March 8, 2017
Focus Week 2017	May 22 - 26, 2017

International						
Teacher	Max	Cost	Grades	Dates	Title	
Gibson	30	3500	8-12	20-28	Best of Greece: Athens—Delphi—Tolo—Saronic Gulf—Cape Sounion	
Moncada*	18	3200	8-12	20-28	KUSS Kobe Kyoto Nara	
Over	24	3284	9-12	22-29	The Netherlands: Governance & Culture	
Sullivan	30	3500	8-12	22-29	Travel through the Millennia in Germany	
Vasiliauskas	22	3500	8-12	22-29	Iceland Adventures in Plate Tectonics	
Domestic						
Lentz	24	1825	6-12	21-26	Grand Canyon, Bryce and Zion National Parks	
Packer/Castaned	27	2000	9-12	21-26	Washington DC: Folger Shakespeare Library and Theater (and all the rest)	
Rayder	30	2125	7-12	21-26	Live in the Arts of New York City	
Local						
Fernandez	24	475	6-12	22-26	International Cooking	
Fraleigh/Leahy	45	500	6-12	22-26	Archery and Bow Building Camp	
Garman	25	275	6-12	22-26	School of Acrobatics and New Circus Arts (SANCA)	
Haley	15	NA	6-12	22-26	Teacher's Assistant at another school.	
Houlihan	25	300	6-12	22-26	Digipen	
Huberman	40	150	6-12	22-26	Television Production: B Roll Creation	
McFaul	20	450/50	6-12	22-26	Aquatic Ecosystems in the Home: Creating and maintaining a home aquarium	
Miranda	24	200	8-12	22-26	My Week of Service	
Nelson	24	325	6-12	22-26	Playing with Broken Glass: An exploration of stained glass mosaics, windows & fusing	
Plank	25	170	8-12	22-26	Seattle International Film Festival (SIFF)	
Simon	20	300	6-12	22-26	Seattle Parks and Recreation	
Welsh	25	225	8-12	22-26	Breaking the Boundaries: Discovering the World of Public Art	

