



# SHARK BITE

Yantai Huasheng International School

August 15, 2024

## SCHOOL-WIDE NEWS

### PARENT OPEN HOUSE

YHIS Parent Open House is taking place on Campus in the evening of Friday, August 16. We invite all parents to attend and meet their child's teachers. We look forward to seeing you there!

#### ECC & Elementary Open House Schedule

Time	Presentation Name	Staff	Venue
5:30-6:00	Pre-Open House Light Snacks and Welcome Tea	Support Staff	School Cafe
6:00-6:10	Head of School Welcome Message	Mr. Elliot Miller	4 <sup>th</sup> floor Auditorium
6:10-6:20	ECC& Elementary Teacher Introduction	Mr. Andy Lasiewicz	4 <sup>th</sup> floor Auditorium
6:20-7:00	ECC & Elementary Open House Students and parents go to their classroom with their teacher. Elementary teachers will have two sessions (6:20-6:40, 6:40-7:00), so parents with multiple children can meet their teachers.	Instructional Staff	Child's Classroom

#### Secondary Open House Schedule

Time	Presentation Name	Staff	Venue
6:30-7:00	Pre-Open House Light Snacks and Welcome Tea	Support Staff	School Cafe
7:00-7:10	Head of School Welcome Message	Mr. Elliot Miller	4 <sup>th</sup> floor Auditorium
7:10-7:20	Secondary Teacher Introduction	Dr. Tobin Holden	4 <sup>th</sup> floor Auditorium
7:20-8:00	Secondary Open House Students and parents go to their teacher's classrooms.	Instructional Staff	Child's Classroom

## HANDBOOK SIGNATURE BOOKLET

In the Welcome Packet sent home this week, you'll find the Handbook Signature Booklet, Personal Privacy Consent Form, and student pick-up information. LifePlus requires all students and parents to complete this booklet and return it by Friday, August 16. We would greatly appreciate your assistance in signing the booklet and sending it to your child's homeroom or advisory teacher.

## ATTENDANCE POLICY

Parents should send an email to [attendance@yhischina.com](mailto:attendance@yhischina.com) by 8:00 *am* on the day their child will be unable to attend school. The specific reason for the absence should also be given at this time.

Students should not be sent to school if they have:

1. Severe colds
2. Fever (above 99.86°F/37.7°C)
3. Nausea or vomiting
4. Diarrhea
5. Undetermined rash or spots
6. Lice

Parents should not give medicine in the morning to reduce fever, and then send their child to school.

If a student is sent home with fever, diarrhea, or vomiting, the student may not return to school the next day.

Students may return to school:

- Nasal discharge or phlegm is clear
- No fever for 24 hours (no medication to reduce fever for 24 hours)
- Has not vomited or had diarrhea for 24 hours

## ELS PARENT ORIENTATION

Next week, we would like to invite all ELS parents to campus for an ELS orientation where we will introduce the ELS program and your child(ren)'s ELS teacher. This year, we are organizing separate orientations for each grade level in elementary, middle school, and high school. The orientations will be held in room 107. Please see the schedule below:

- **2nd grade:** 2:00 PM, Monday, August 19
- **3rd grade:** 9:00 AM, Tuesday, August 20
- **4th grade:** 2:00 PM, Tuesday, August 20
- **5th grade:** 9:00 AM, Wednesday, August 21
- **Middle school:** 2:00 PM, Wednesday, August 21
- **High school:** 9:00 AM, Thursday, August 22

We look forward to seeing you there. If you have any questions or inquiries, please feel free to send an email to [kihong.kim@yhischina.com](mailto:kihong.kim@yhischina.com).

## STUDENT RESIDENCE PERMIT APPLICATION

The school provides assistance in issuing or extending residence permits for students who are over 18 and for a parent whose spouse has returned to their home country. If one of your family members falls into one of these two categories and their residence permit is set to expire before March 31, 2025, please contact Mrs. Michelle Li at [michelle.li@yhischina.com](mailto:michelle.li@yhischina.com) by August 31, 2024. There will be a parent meeting to guide you through the application process. The time and date will be announced later. If you have any questions about student residence permit, please contact Mrs. Michelle Li.

## SCHOOL QR CODES FOR PAYMENT

Parents can pay different kinds of fees for their child through two school QR codes. Please refer to the table below for more information. Our finance staff will take care of your requests within one working day.

QR Code	 <p>烟台华圣外籍人员子女学校</p> <p>扫描二维码在线支付</p> <p>YHIS</p>	 <p>烟台华圣外籍人员子女学校</p> <p>扫描二维码在线支付</p> <p>YHIS Shark Shop</p>
Use of QR Code	Lunch Fee, After-School Activity Fee, Bus Fee	Shark Shop Item and Uniform
Payment Platform	WeChat Pay, Alipay	WeChat Pay, Alipay

## LUNCH FEE TOP-UP THROUGH POWERSCHOOL

In addition to topping up money on your child's lunch card through bank transfer or QR code, you can easily do this through PowerSchool. This is accessible only on computers, not on smartphones. Please refer to the guides ([LINK](#)) and note that while topping up through a bank transfer or QR code may require up to one working day, top-up through PowerSchool will directly update your child's balance immediately.

## COMMUNICATIONS REGARDING SHARK SHOP

Our Shark Shop manager is accessible for communication on WeChat. Parents can easily inquire about uniforms and other items, as well as place orders through WeChat. Please scan the QR code to add the WeChat account. After making a payment, please take a screenshot of the transaction and send it to the manager for confirmation.



## ELEMENTARY NEWS

### ELEMENTARY AFTER-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

The elementary after-school activities will begin on Wednesday, September 18 and run until Wednesday, November 27 for Wednesday activities and Monday, December 2 for Monday activities. More information will be provided in the coming weeks.

### ECC LUNCH FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM

If you are the parent of an ECC student, please complete the lunch food survey link ([LINK](#)) to indicate if your child is bringing food from home or having school lunch. This will be helpful for the cafeteria team and the teachers to have an understanding of your child's daily lunch plan. Students will be served Korean/Western lunch if there's no food order placed for the day.

### ECC/LOWER ELEMENTARY SNACK

YHIS offers snacks to ECC twice a day, in the morning and in the afternoon, and to lower elementary students once a day in the morning. Each snack time is 6 RMB, and it is optional. If you would like to use the service, please submit an order ([ECC](#) and [G1-2](#)) by Sunday, August 18. Please click [HERE](#) to view snack menus.

## SECONDARY NEWS

### SECONDARY AFTER-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

The secondary after-school activities will begin on Monday, September 2 and run until Friday, December 6. Secondary students will sign up for activities in the next couple of weeks.

## HS VOLLEYBALL AND MS SOCCER TEAM SIGN UP

High School Volleyball will begin tryouts next Monday and Thursday. We are looking for Grade 9-12 boys and girls to sign up. We are excited to build upon the hard work and success of last season. It should be a great year to be a Shark! The LifePlus HS Volleyball Tournament will be held in Tianjin on October 17-19.

2024-25 YHIS Volleyball Sign-Up  
(Grade 9-12)



Middle School Soccer tryout dates will be announced later. We are looking for Grade 6-8 boys and girls who want to learn and compete. We have excited and talented coaches who are ready to invest in your student by building soccer skills, teamwork, leadership skills, and lasting bonds that only come from hard work and competition. The LifePlus MS Soccer Tournament will be held in Wuhan on October 24-26. We may have a friendly soccer match in WeiHai on Saturday, September 21.

2024-2025 Middle School Soccer  
Try-out Sign-ups (Grades 6-8)



If you want your child to sign-up, please have them scan the QR code to sign up.

## FALL PLAY AUDITION

The YIA/YHIS drama department will present the play, *Treasure Island*, this fall. Auditions, open to all secondary students, will be Wednesday, August 21, from 3:30 to 4:45 pm in the choir room (420).

Rehearsals will be on Wednesdays & Fridays, August 28 – November 20, 3:30--4:45 pm. Performances are scheduled for November 29-30.

This is a fun pirate story based on the novel by Robert Louis Stevenson. There are many great roles available for the students. Please encourage your child(ren) to audition!

## ECC/G1-2 Snack Menu

	Morning	Afternoon
<b>Monday</b>	Honey Bun, Kiwifruit, Mango	Donut, Orange, Grape
<b>Tuesday</b>	Marble Cake, Orange, Banana	Roll Cake, Dragon Fruit, Melon
<b>Wednesday</b>	Date Cake, Apple, Grapefruit	Muffin Cake, Orange, Pineapple
<b>Thursday</b>	Brownie, Melon, Grape	Chocolate Cookies, Milk, Orange
<b>Friday</b>	French Bun, Dragon Fruit, Orange	Butter Cookie, Yogurt, Kiwifruit

## Lunch Menu

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Korean/ Western</b>	Multigrain Rice*, Egg Soup <sup>^#</sup> , Beef Bulgogi*, Stir-fried Shredded Potatoes*, Popcorn Chicken Salad <sup>^</sup>	Multigrain Rice*, Kimchi Bean- Sprout Soup <sup>#</sup> , Fish Fillet <sup>^#</sup> , Stir-fried Broccoli with Bacon*, Salad with Cherry Tomatoes	Mushroom Cream Soup <sup>&amp;</sup> , Tomato Pasta <sup>&amp;</sup> , Egg Salad Sandwich <sup>^&amp;</sup> , Steamed Chicken Salad*, Pickles	Multigrain Rice*, Soybean Paste Soup <sup>#</sup> , Grilled Meat Patties <sup>^</sup> , Braised Quail Eggs in Soy Sauce <sup>^</sup> , Potato Salad <sup>&amp;</sup>	Bean Sprout Soup <sup>#</sup> , Chicken Curry Rice*, Chili Shrimp <sup>^#</sup> , Hashbrowns*, Corn Salad <sup>^</sup>
<b>Chinese</b>	Multigrain Rice, Mixed Nuts Congee <sup>@</sup> , Stewed Ribs with Kelp <sup>#</sup> , Sauteed Shredded Pork in Sweet Bean Sauce <sup>#</sup> , Stir-fried Egg and Tomato <sup>*</sup>	Multigrain Rice, Millet Porridge, Dry-fried Pork <sup>^</sup> , Shredded Pork with Garlic Sauce <sup>#</sup> , Stir-fried Chinese Cabbage <sup>*</sup>	Multigrain Rice; Rice Porridge; Stewed Beef with Tomatoes <sup>#</sup> , Stir-fried Pork with Egg, Carrot, and Mushroom <sup>^#</sup> , Stir-fried Mushroom and Cole <sup>*</sup>	Multigrain Rice, Cornmeal Porridge, Stir-fried Shrimp with Chopped Vegetables <sup>#</sup> , Braised Pork with Potatoes <sup>#</sup> , Stir-fried Broccoli with Carrot and Mushroom <sup>*</sup>	Multigrain Rice, Seaweed and Egg Soup <sup>^#</sup> , Stewed Beef with Potato <sup>#</sup> , Cumin Pork Slices <sup>#</sup> , Stir-fried Celery with Lotus Slices <sup>*</sup>
<b>Fruit</b>	<b>Seasonal Fruits</b>				

**Allergies:**

\*Wheat

#Seafood

&Dairy

^Eggs

@Nuts

\*If a salad is served with a specific dressing, the allergens are listed on the menu. However, for the salad with optional dressings, the allergens are not listed.