



# SHARK BITE

Yantai Huasheng International School

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## School-wide News

### Updated Medical Policy

We would like to inform you that our medical policy has been updated, outlined below. The key change is that if a student is sent home with fever, diarrhea, or vomiting, the student may not return to school the next day. Thank you for your support in keeping the school a healthier place for all.

#### Sickness

The medical attention of a student is the responsibility of the parent. Students should not be sent to school if they have bad colds, bad cough, fever (above 99°F/37.7°C), nausea, or have vomited in the past 24 hours. Keeping a sick child at home keeps the school a healthier place to learn.

Your child will be sent home from school for any of the following reasons:

- Temperature of 99°F (37.7°C) or above
- Vomiting (throwing up)
- Discolored nasal discharge
- If the student is too ill or uncomfortable to adequately function in a classroom setting
- Frequent diarrhea
- Suspected contagious illness, rash, spots or blisters
- Potential concussion

Sick students will be sent home after parents or emergency contacts have been notified. Parents will be asked to pick up their sick child as soon as they can, preferably within an hour after the phone call. Sick students will not be sent home on a regular school bus. All ECC and ES students must be picked up by a parent or guardian. A child will not be sent home without first contacting a parent. MS and HS students may go home in a taxi or other transportation with permission by parent. If parents are not reachable, the emergency contact needs to be notified. If a student is sent home due to illness, they may not return to school the same 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 (if sent home with fever, diarrhea, or vomiting the student may not return to school the next day)
- In the case of a contagious disease, return to school will be determined on a case-by-case basis

If a child is recovering from an illness or injury and is required to stay indoors during recess or physical education, a written note from home must be sent with the child to the child's teacher. The school nurse will also receive a copy of this note.

## Picture Day

Picture Day is scheduled for March 26 – 27. On these days, your child will be included in a school group photo, classroom/advisory group photos, and individual student photos. Pictures taken on these days will be used for the Yearbook.

## LifePlus Annual Parent Survey

We know that parents play an essential role in the success of students at school, and we thank you for your continued partnership and support. Family and community engagement is strong at LifePlus schools, and we aim to make it even better for our families, students, and teachers.

As part of our ongoing continuous improvement, we invite you to take part in our annual parent survey. The survey will ask you questions about your school's learning environment, educational programs, your child's teachers, school safety, school-home communication, and parental involvement opportunities. We need your perspective as we evaluate these aspects of our schools, and we appreciate your comments. The LifePlus leadership team, principals, and school improvement teams will use the results to help guide both the consortium and individual schools.

Please click [HERE](#) to complete the survey if you have not completed it. All survey responses will be posted as anonymous and confidential. Thank you for your continued support of LifePlus schools.

## Cinderella's Glass Slipper

We are excited to announce that YHIS will produce its 2nd annual musical, *Cinderella's Glass Slipper*, on April 12 and 13, at 19:00, in the YHIS Theater/Large Auditorium. This American musical, based on the popular fairy tale, includes a comical script by Vera Morris and a tuneful score by Bill Francoeur. It features 49 students from YHIS and YIA playing leading and supporting roles.

The YHIS community is invited to join us for what is sure to be a memorable performance by our drama students.

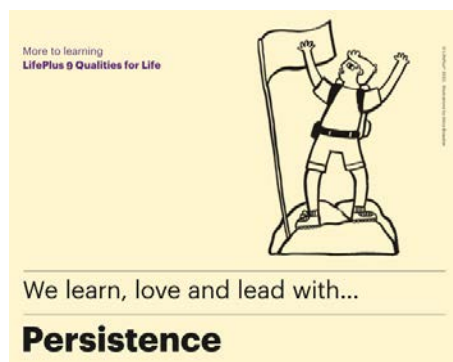
Elementary students will have a chance to watch the musical on Friday, April 12, at 2:00 pm. Evening performances are free for students, and tickets for staff and the general public are available at 40 RMB through the QR code by Thursday, April 11, or at the door. If you purchase tickets, you will receive your tickets as you enter the campus. Cast members will receive two free tickets.

Come support our hard working theater kids in an entertaining evening!



## Recognizing LifePlus 9 Qualities for Life

Teaching students about the LifePlus 9 Qualities for Life is an integral part of the character education and development program at YHIS. Each month, YHIS teaches about a single characteristic, and we award students from all grade levels who have demonstrated that characteristic the most. Teachers observe the students throughout the month and nominate winners. For the month of February, our focus was on “Persistence”. We would like to congratulate and recognize the following students for leading with service among their peers!



The students made available their gifts, talents, time, energy, and enthusiasm to serve the needs of those around them, both in the classroom and school community. We are proud of these students!

Foundations – Samuel L.  
Junior Kindergarten – Emmelyn W.  
Kindergarten – Alice L.  
Grade 1 – HaRang N.  
Grade 2 – Amin K.  
Grade 3 – YongJun L.  
Grade 4 – IHyeon C.  
Grade 5 – RaOn J.  
Grade 6 – MinSeong C.  
Grade 7 – Ania L.  
Grade 8 – DanU K.  
Grade 9 – KyungSun S.  
Grade 10 – Joy T.  
Grade 11 – HyounJoun K.  
Grade 12 – JuHwan P.

## Ask Uncle Principal 7.7



Imagine having our head principal as a personal guide for life's big questions. This is a fantastic opportunity for your child to dive into a sea of wisdom and get answers to those burning questions. Encourage your child to participate and submit their questions by completing this survey ([LINK](#)). Selected students will have the chance for an interview with Mr. Miller. Don't miss out on this wonderful opportunity for your child to connect and learn!

## Secondary News

### Soccer Games on Saturday, March 23

YHIS is hosting our sister school ISQ (International School of Qingdao) and WZIS (Weihai Zhongshi International School) this Saturday. Parents and students are welcome to attend and support our players. All YHIS games will be from 13:00 til we finish.

Time	Match
11:00-12:00	ISQ B v WZIS B Field 1 (North side) ISQ G v WZIS G Field 2 (South side)
12:00-13:00	Lunch
13:00-14:00	ISQ B v YHIS B Field 1 (North side) ISQ G v YHIS G Field 2 (South side)
14:00-15:00	YHIS B v WZIS B Field 1 (North side) YHIS G v WZIS G Field 2 (South side)

### Updated Phone Policy

If a student is found using a cell phone at school or during class without any permission, the phone will be kept in the secondary office (Mr. Holden) and returned to the student the next day after school. If the violation occurs on a Friday, the school will check with the parents on how to proceed as it could be a safety issue for the child if the phone is kept over the weekend. Secondary office will inform the parent about this via email, and on Fridays, the MAC office will consult with parents.

### Selling Café Desserts to High School Students

The YHIS Café, The Pier, has recently started offering desserts, which were initially restricted to seniors and staff. However, with the agreement of the secondary PTO, the desserts will now be available to all high school students.

### Hankuk University of Foreign Studies Online Admissions Seminar

Hankuk University of Foreign Studies is hosting an online admissions seminar for LifePlus schools on Thursday, April 10, at 10:00. All LifePlus parents are welcome to attend the seminar. The link to the meeting will be announced closer to the date.

## 4th YHIS/YIA Creative Writing Contest

Please refer to the detailed schedule of the Creative Writing Contest this Saturday. During the contest, students who finish early will be allowed to leave every 30 minutes and directed to the 3rd floor collaboration area for refreshments.

<b>Time</b>	<b>Program</b>	<b>Venue</b>
8:30-9:00	Registration	1st floor café
9:00-9:10	Icebreaking activities	4th floor auditorium
9:10-9:40	Workshop	4th floor auditorium
9:40-10:00	Break	4th floor auditorium
10:00-12:00	Writing Contest	4th floor auditorium

## 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>	Bibimbap#**^, Beef Radish Soup*	Multigrain Rice*, Kimchi Tofu Soup#*, Pork Bulgogi*, Stir-fried Glass Noodles*, Pop Corn Chicken Salad**^	Black Bean Sauce Noodles*&, Egg Soup**^#, Sweet and Sour Pork*^, Chili Shrimp**^#, Cabbage Salad^	Stir-fried Kimchi Rice*#, Egg & Bean Sprout Soup#^*, Smoked Duck*#, Seasoned Spinach*, Dried Seaweed#, Sweet Potato Salad^&@	Hamburger**&, Potato Wedges, Corn Salad^, Juice
<b>Chinese</b>	Multigrain Rice, Double Cooked Pork Slices*, Braised Ribs with White Gourd*, Fried Cabbage with Noodles**	Multigrain Rice, Fried Streaky Pork, Stewed Beef with Mushroom and Potato#**, Fried Potato Sticks with Celery*	Multigrain Rice, Crispy Fried Pork*^, Braised Pork with Bean Curd#*, Scrambled Eggs with Spinach*^	Multigrain Rice, Sweet and Sour Pork*^, Pork Spring Roll*^, Fried Vegetables with Mushroom*	Multigrain Rice, Stewed Pork with Brown Sauce*, Fried Shrimp**^, Stir-fried Eggs with Tomatoes* Seaweed and Egg Soup**^,
<b>Fruit</b>	<b>Seasonal Fruits</b>				

**Allergies:**

\*Wheat

#Seafood

&Dairy

^Eggs

@Nuts