

# XCL World Academy NEWSLETTER



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## Welcome to the 2025-26 School Year!

This year, we welcomed over 900 students—both new and returning—back to campus! Our vibrant XCL World Academy community is more diverse than ever, representing over 40 nationalities. It was inspiring to see so many cultures, backgrounds, and perspectives come together, creating a truly global learning environment. Together, we are ready to dive into a year full of discovery, growth, and unforgettable experiences. Here's to an amazing journey ahead!



## Adventure Awaits: Week Without Walls Trips Are Coming!

Our Grades 6 to 10 students are gearing up for a series of exciting Week Without Walls trips—offering a mix of overseas and local adventures! Destinations include Malaysia, Indonesia, Vietnam, Thailand, and Cambodia. These immersive trips combine outdoor skills, cultural discovery, and ecosystem studies, perfectly complementing their academic learning and broadening their horizons. To help families prepare, we also held a parent information session where trip details, costs, safety measures, and more were shared.



## Leading by Example: Our Leadership Team Teaching FEP



This year, our leadership team—Head of School Mrs Tammy Murphy, Senior Head of Academic Pathways Mr Justin Kirby, Secondary Years Principal Mr Mark Petterson, and Deans Ms Claire Rimmer and Mr Alejandro Gutierrez—have taken a hands-on role by teaching the Foundational English Programme

class. This special initiative underscores our belief that learning is a shared journey, driven by collaboration and leadership at every level. It's a one-time opportunity that highlights how everyone plays a role in shaping education.



## Celebrating Our Class of 2025's IBDP Triumphs!

We are proud to share the exceptional IBDP results from our Class of 2025! With an average score of 33.2 points, 21% earning bilingual diplomas, and 11% scoring 40+ points, our students have truly excelled. Two students achieved an outstanding 43 points, and the class received over 400 university offers—alongside a record-breaking USD \$16.44 million in scholarships.

Congratulations to our graduates on this inspiring achievement!



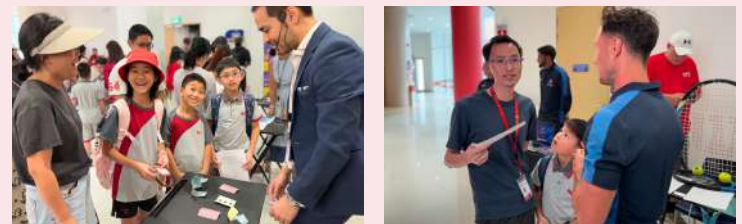
## New Teachers, New Perspectives



We're excited to welcome 32 dynamic new teachers to XCL World Academy this year! Each brings unique expertise, passion, and fresh perspectives, helping us continue to innovate and enrich the learning experience for every student. Together, we're committed to nurturing curiosity and fostering growth across every classroom.

## Discovering Passions at the ECA Fair

Our Grades 1–5 students had a blast at the recent ECA Fair, where they explored a wide range of extracurricular activities! From football, tennis, and ballet to pottery and even a touch of magic, there was something for everyone. Parents also had the chance to meet our ECA vendors, making it a wonderful opportunity for the whole community to come together, explore options, and support our students as they discover new interests beyond the classroom.



## Stay Connected!

For real-time updates, photos, and event reminders, be sure to follow us on our official school platforms and social media! Thank you for being part of our vibrant XWA community.