

# October Newsletter

Hello Parents of future grade 9's. What a great September month we had. The heat made the days warmer than usual but the air conditioning in our room made it bearable.

Students have made learning interesting for themselves, they created plant and animal cells out of modelling clay. They had a game of integer football in the classroom. Students have researched different ways major sports teams and stadiums can keep their fans safe. Its been a fast month of September.

Currently, students find themselves learning about single cell and multi cellular organisms in science. The words diffusion and osmosis have more meaning to them now.

Math has been different this month as we learn from the TIPS4RM documents. This unit creates different real life situations for the students. The focus is on integers and problem solving.

Students are learning to engage the reader when writing. They have been using different senses to catch the readers' attention and to provide details within their writing. Many students when asked to describe a restaurant, selected the Mandarin. What a great place!

I am using the Remind App daily. Please make sure you check it regularly for updates.

If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact me at the school or through REMIND.

Only nine months to go,

Jeremy Sharpe