



Tuesday, February 5th, 2019

SAFETY AND SAFEGUARDING



BVS has implemented separate restrooms

for adults and students. This new policy is necessary in order to accomplish **safety and safeguarding global standards**. We kindly ask our parents to use the restrooms marked as "Adults Only".

- Admin building (First floor, middle restrooms)
- Montessori (Outside restroom, next to preparatory A classrooms)
- Lower elementary building (Across from the teacher's lounge)
- Upper elementary building (Second floor restrooms)
- Middle and High School (Second floor, secondary building)
- Gym and EKA building (Big restroom, outside of the gym)

PARENTS



AFTER SCHOOL ACADEMIC SUPPORT

is offered to students at no additional cost. Sessions will begin Monday and schedules will be sent later this week.

AFTER SCHOOL LEARNING & FUN!

Click [here](#) to see this semester's after school activities and instructions for pre-enrollment. There is something for everyone! Direct further questions to [Maricruz Tovar](#).

UNIFORMS REQUEST

A form will be sent during the week.



Inspired Global Camps Competition

Don't miss the opportunity to win a place at a 2019 Inspired Summer Global Camp!

Enrollment is open for children aged 8-18 at time of entry. The competition closes on February 28th; the winner will be announced on March 8th.

HOW TO ENTER:

1. Film your child talking or doing the thing that inspires them the most.
2. Upload it to the contest page: inspirededu.com/competition.
3. Make sure you're following Inspired Education Group on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#) to stay up to date with competition news!



ANNOUNCEMENTS

PAYBAC

Please take note that for tuition payment, implementation of PayBac has been postponed until further notice. Parents may continue paying through our BAC-Credomatic accounts.

STUDENT ACCIDENT INSURANCE

Mont-12A

For an increase in coverage and detailed information, please contact [Elza Dobles](#) or call 2215-2204, ext. 101.

IPAD POLICY

6A to 9A

To receive the iPad, parents and students must read and agree to the [iPad policy](#) and return the signature page (last page of the policy) printed and signed. Kindly note we have made a change to our policy for students entering 6A and new students in 6B to 8B. From now on these students must pay a fee of \$85.00 for the iPad cover and a charging cable. Please make the payment in our accounting department. The students will need to present the receipt in order to receive their iPads.

A LIFE EXPERIENCE!

Sunday, February 17th- Tuesday, February 26th

Students and teachers of our sister school from Charlotte will be visiting on these days. We are looking for families willing to host the chaperones - one male Science teacher and one female Spanish teacher. If interested, please email [Ms. Ana Catalina Saenz](#).

SPACE CAMP

Wednesday, February 20th, 12:00 pm, library.

For children 9 to 18 years old

If interested, authorized representatives of the camp in Costa Rica will be holding a meeting in BVS. Click [here](#) for details.

CAFETERIA



Your Money Back

To settle accounts with the previous cafeteria owner, please send an email to ana@anasalazarcatering.com.

READY!

Remember our cafeteria will be ready to provide lunch and snack on Thursday.

CONNECT Jr.



ARRIVAL AND DISMISSAL

Children are never allowed to walk in our parking lot,

not even holding hands with an adult. For security reasons, they must get in and out of cars directly to and from the sidewalk. Please form the habit of dropping them off at the entrance of the Montessori building in the mornings. Our staff will be there to assist. Teachers and staff will help students get in cars in the afternoons, during dismissal as well. If you need to assist your child with their seatbelt, you may move forward in the line and help them without interrupting the traffic flow. Parents should not get out of the car to pick up their children. Please always keep the sign with your child's name visible in your car to keep dismissal moving quickly.



SPORT CLUBS

Participation form.

For soccer, we will only consider the first 30 forms that are submitted and the first 20 for basketball. Once you have submitted the form, it is not necessary to print it and bring it to school. The form will be sent during the week.

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WELCOME GENIES!

Yesterday, HS students filled the Sala Magna with excitement to kick off the new semester and celebrate our new senior class, the Genies. Good luck in your last year!

COLLEGE AND CAREER PREPARATION AND INFORMATION

Information about college fairs, summer programs, scholarship opportunities, information sessions, university updates, and events related to university admissions are posted here: [Blue Valley School / College Prep Facebook page](#).

SPORTS



CLUBS AND TEAMS

Tryouts 2019: click [here](#) for the schedule.

A participation form will be sent during the week.

Trainings begin Monday, February 18th.



SPORTS UNIFORMS

First, make sure to confirm the player's number with Mr. Acuña, as it may be either a new one or the same as in 2018.

First order of uniforms: February 18th-25th in ASEBVS. If the student needs to wait for a new one, he/she can wear BVS physical education uniform or a sports attire.