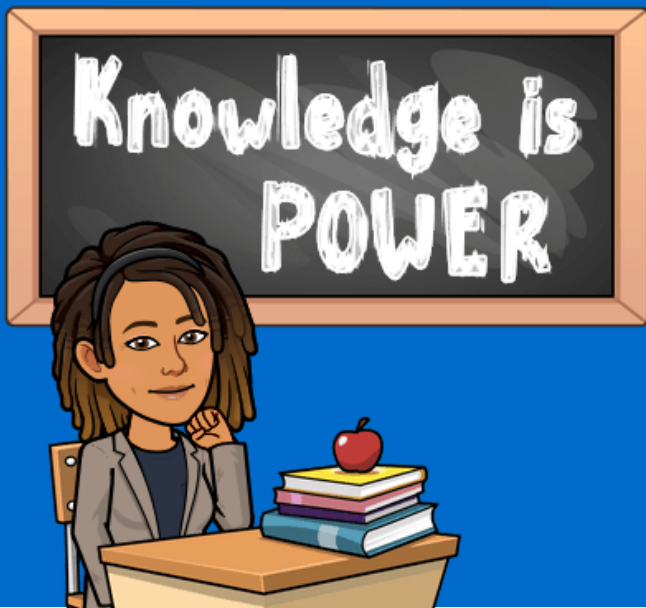


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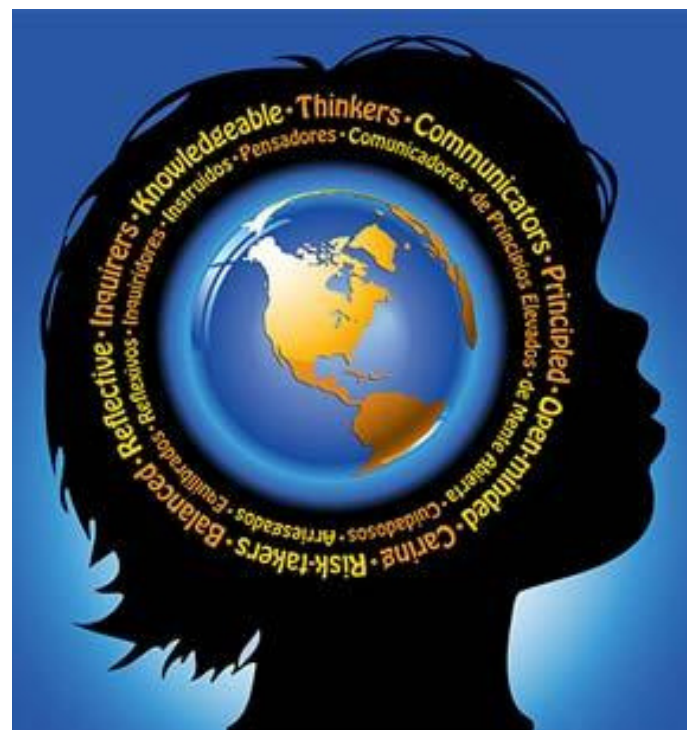
IB Coordinator's Message

Hello Tiger Family! I am so excited to continue our IB journey this school year. As we strive to become an authorized IB PYP school, I will share key information about our learners and the learning community, as well as shout outs and tips for parents to support beyond the classroom. Look for our IB News in this quarterly newsletter, on the school website, Class Dojo, and also on Twitter.

The IB Programme aims to create a better world through education by teaching students to think critically and independently. The **Primary Years Program** prepares students to become active, caring, lifelong learners who demonstrate respect for themselves and others and have the capacity to participate in the world around them. Through an inquiry based approach to learning and teaching, the IB PYP challenges our Tiger Scholars to excel in their academic and personal development. Students are at the center of the program, and work to develop the 10 traits that form the IB Learner Profile.

The IB Learner Profile

IB Learners strive to be Inquirers, Knowledgeable, Communicators, Reflective, Risk-takers, Open-minded, Caring, Principled, Thinkers, and Balanced.



The Learner Profile Attribute of the Month

Communicators

We are confident and creative when talking about ideas. We can express ourselves in many ways. We are learning more than one language and we listen to others.

#ExpressYourself

Congratulations IB Scholars of the Month!

Kudos to the August **Thinkers**! Thinkers think carefully and show initiative. They make good decisions and solve problems.

- Azari Dorsey, Deonte Little, Madison Cobbs, Deanthony Venzen, Elijah Brown, Princess Cauley, Nemiah Nelson, Ayden Drake, Ayvani Meeks, Aiden McNease, Lia Fairley, Uriah Roper, Fatoumata Ducure, Derwin Napier, Madison Smith, Christian Clemmons, Oquon Hill, Caleb Baker, Miracle Whitaker, Ja'Kerra Brooks, Jovon Jones, Saniya Miller

Way to Go **Knowledgeable** September Tigers! Knowledgeable learners know about many things and remember what they have learned.

- Aubree Martin, Harry Smith Jr., Beverly Brown, Jamison Lee, Golla Ducure, Wyatt Boatwright, Jaida Davis, Sterlin Boatwright, O'quavius Lakes, Mateken Sanoh, Mykeria Mathews, Pasley Thompson, Isatou Tunkara, Ja'Riah Artary, Joi Jackson, AhMyri Jackson, Levi James, Ariyah Finley, Jaydah Lebrun, Adarriana Simpson, Ja'Nya Wing, Gregory Hill

IB Transdisciplinary Themes

The Six Transdisciplinary Themes frame our learning in the IB units.

- **Who We Are**
 - An inquiry into cultures, humanity, health, relationships, beliefs and values, families, friends, communities, nature of the self, and rights and responsibilities
- **Where We Are in Place and Time**
 - An inquiry into personal histories, exploration, journeys, migration, civilizations, discoveries, and perspectives
- **How We Express Ourselves**
 - An inquiry into expression, self-discovery, creativity, reflection, ideas and feelings, appreciation, cultures, and beliefs and values
- **How the World Works**
 - An inquiry into human interaction with the natural world, understanding scientific principles, physical science, biology, and scientific laws
- **How We Organize Ourselves**
 - An inquiry into human-made systems, interconnectedness, government, communities, citizenship, economics, and organizations
- **Sharing the Planet**
 - An inquiry into humans and living things, sharing resources, ecosystems, equality, rights and responsibilities, and peace and conflict resolution

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Looking for ways to support the IB Primary Years Programme at home? Check out the International Baccalaureate section on the school's website @ <https://www.atlantapublicschools.us/cascade>



SEL competencies complement the IB PYP Learner Profile attributes.



Scholars learn by using the 5 Approaches to Learning skills throughout the IB Units of Inquiry.



The IB PYP curriculum framework helps students become active, compassionate, and lifelong learners.