

SEPTEMBER, 2021 • "GENTLENESS"

IMPORTANT DATES

- ✓ **Sept. 22nd:** Autumn begins
- ✓ **Sept. 24th Holiday:** Día de las Mercedes
- ✓ **Oct. 1st:** Preschool Adaptation Report



Oct. 18th-22nd: Secondary School Students Council and Environment Committee campaign and election week

Dear parents and guardians,

Cathedral International School began its educational journey for the 2021-2022 school year with great joy and enthusiasm.

After almost two years of distance education due to the COVID 19 pandemic, we finally met again with students, teachers, parents, and all the staff of our school community, to resume face-to-face instruction. This change entails the follow-up of a series of norms and regulations expressed in the protocols published by the Dominican Health and Education authorities at the national level. We are counting on you to reinforce the follow-up of these protocols at home.

Our whole school community has worked extra hours to continue to provide an education based on the highest human values and educational principles.



We return to the face-to-face!

Little Cathedral/Preschool

This new building, specially designed to carry out Early Childhood Education, has also started to function after the most arduous task by the workers.



Opening new premises.

Once finished, the preschool teachers transformed every empty room into a magical classroom, for here, our youngest students from kindergarten to the second grade of primary school will be assisted, instructed, guided, and formed.

Our learning community is committed to providing transformative learning experiences that will result in the formation of critical, creative, and futuristic thinking individuals in a framework of respect for others and nature.

Primary School

Our still -growing elementary kids will also enjoy the encouragement and motivation from their teachers and the entire CIS community to continue their learning process. In these stages, the teaching of values takes on a nuance more hand in hand with decision-making skills and the fulfillment of responsibilities.

“Gentleness: the quality of being kind, tender, or mild-mannered.”

We will be starting out our Cloud9 values program, with GENTLENESS as the lifelong value to study for the next few months. Please join us in reinforcing the internalization of this concept at home and in the social interactions of your children.



We will work the value of kindness.

Secondary School

Our big boys and girls will enjoy multiple growth opportunities to broaden learning while forming their character. Pre-teens and teenagers are in a stage where the decisions they make will have repercussions for life. To accompany them we'll be using the "Learning to Dream" program that supports the teaching of a collaborative leadership culture through interesting work guides. Secondary School students will also embrace new opportunities to contribute to take care of our environment through the Eco-Schools program.

This year our seniors, Class of 2022, finish their schooling stage. In this sense, we will be accompanying them so that this process is as friendly as possible within the parameters established by this institution.

CIS Community, we have a great year ahead. Let us unite, and together, do our best to ensure that our students have a treasurable and yet effective learning process so that we all can celebrate together.



Our Seniors, class of 2022 will say good-bye to CIS this school year.



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