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PYP PARENT CONNECT

International Baccalaureate - Primary Years Programme - Candidacy

Learning from our Students

Students from Grade 2/3, Grade 4 and Kindergarten shared how their STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering/Empathy and Mathematics) creations and robotics helped them learn about the IB Learner Profile attributes. While students from Grade 6 and Grade 6/7 explained how they used literature and robotics as a springboard to reflect upon their IB attribute gifts and areas for growth.

After a Grade 7 student listened to the students from these classrooms share their actions connected to our IB candidacy journey, he reflected, "It was so awesome to hear that all our students are putting our mission in action one by one. We are all focusing on the attributes and how we act...making a good environment for all."





Coffee, Tea and PYP

In order to share the learning opportunities that our classrooms have been engaging in connected to IB candidacy, we held our second 'Coffee Tea and PYP' on Thursday, November 21st in our Library Discovery Centre at 8:35am till 9:00am and 5:30pm till 5:55pm. Thank you to the parents who were able to attend this gathering. After attending, a parent summarized his learning about our journey thus far, "More spice is added for the kids interests and capabilities."

To bring to light the first statement of our mission, "M.D. Bennie Public School is a diverse and inclusive community

that works together to develop a nurturing, compassionate and accepting environment for all", we had the word 'welcome' translated in the seven most prominent languages of our school.

Our next Coffee, Tea and PYP will be held in

the new year with different topics and students being highlighted. More information will be coming soon.

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