

# IB PYP NEWSLETTER

## AMERICAN LAKES MISSION STATEMENT

American Lakes School is dedicated to providing a rigorous educational experience for ALL scholars by fostering the academic and social/emotional tools necessary to become life-long learners. Through the International Baccalaureate Programme, American Lakes prepares scholars while motivating them to take action and ownership of their learning as they develop the skills necessary to compete in a globally minded society.

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## MISSION STATEMENTS

American Lakes' updated mission statement incorporates the International Baccalaureate (IB) framework and beliefs. Our mission statement is centered around the goal of preparing our scholars to become lifelong learners in a globally-minded society.

In summary, our mission statement reflects our commitment to academic excellence, global citizenship, and social responsibility. We believe that our mission statement is more than just a set of words; it is a reflection of our core values and beliefs. We are proud to be part of an institution that is dedicated to shaping the future leaders of our society.

## FEBRUARY LEARNER PROFILE ATTRIBUTE: OPEN-MINDED

The IB Learner profile aims to develop students who are open-minded. Students who are open-minded know that all people are different. They listen to the points of view of others and consider many possibilities before making a decision. They celebrate the differences that make people unique.

### How can parents support being knowledgeable at home?

- Encourage them to try new things - new foods, new games, and new activities.
- Expose your child to different festivals, celebrations and traditions.
- Encourage your child to really listen to others when they speak.

## WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND OUR SCHOOL



I am pleased to inform you that American Lakes has been recently recognized for our exceptional achievement of being the most recently authorized IB school in Natomas Unified. At the board meeting, our teachers' hard work and dedication to the IB framework and Programme was highly appreciated and applauded. It is an honor to have such a dedicated team of educators who strive to provide our students with the best possible education and opportunities to succeed. We are proud of our achievement and will continue to work hard to maintain the highest standards of quality education.