

MAPLE CONNECT

MAPLE LEAF INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

PROMOTING LITERACY AT MLIS

Our MLIS Librarian has organized to have two visitors to our library over the next couple of weeks. Stacey Alfonso-Mills, a local author of picture books, will be doing a read aloud to Grades 1, 2 and 3 on Thursday 12th October between 8:00 am—9:00 am.

Debbie Jacobs, did a writing workshop with Alix Hobday's Grade 10 English class on Thursday 27th September and will return in October to do the workshop with Alix's other Grade 10 English class. Ms. Jacob works at ISPS and is a very experienced teacher who started off her professional life as a journalist. She writes a regular by-line article in the Guardian Newspaper and runs their teen supplement that is published every Monday.

ART COMPETITION



The art competition recently held by The Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Communication honoured the winners of the Secondary Schools Art Competition "Bridging Borders through Art." [Read more...](#)

Student Council

The students have voted and the winners selected! To see your new Student Council representatives [click here.](#)

PARENT REMINDERS



If a parent needs to bring anything to school for their child, please leave it at the guard booth with Oliver. If you have a message for your child, please call the school's office and the message will be relayed to their child.

PROMOTING SCHOOL SPIRIT



On September 30th, MLIS had a dress down day for the students to dress in their house colours. The student that represented their house with honours, dressing in as much red as he could, was Christian Lauderth Smith. Congratulations Christian!

SECURITY AT MLIS



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IMPORTANT DATES

- Oct. 6th**—PTA AGM, 6:00 pm, Building B
- Oct. 28th**— MLIS University/ College Fair, 12:30 pm to 2:00 pm for students, 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm for parents/community
- Nov 5th**- SAT Tests
- Jan. 28th**-SAT Tests
- Mar. 29th**—OSSLT
- May 5th**- SAT Tests

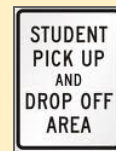
SPECIAL POINTS

- MLIS is an approved testing centre for SAT
- The football teams' doubles sale went well Friday, raising funds to support the programme.
- Congrats to all those students who continue to practise and compete on our Rugby and Football teams.
- After school cricket football for under U8 is on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFO, PLEASE CLICK BELOW

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PRIMARY STUDENTS DROP OFF



"Life affords no greater responsibility, no greater privilege, than the raising of the next generation."

Mission
To be recognized as the premier elementary and secondary school in

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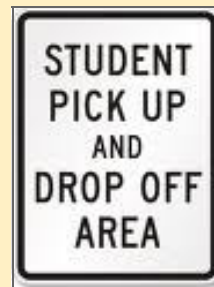
A CANADIAN INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMME

STUDENT COUNCIL

This year's student council is as follows:

- Co-Presidents: Kirstyn Church & Brandon Lankester
- Vice-President Snr: Adam Lazzari
- Vice-President Jnr: Sinead Camps
- Treasurer: Jabrille Kabli
- Co-Treasurer: Christopher Hettgen
- Secretary: Charles Reid
- Athletics Rep: Yannick de Freitas
- Social Rep: Achshah Henry
- Promotion Reps: Laura Perreira & Jessika Welch
- Communications Reps: Dominic Carvalho & Jackie de Verteuil

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Primary parents are encouraged to drop off their children and allow them to walk into school. This creates independence, which encourages maturity, learning and readiness.



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A new security procedure has been put in place for all visitors to MLIS. On entry to the school's premises, all visitors must now log in at Security. Visitors, including parents are asked to visit the office and **not** go directly to your child's class when school is in session. If parents have anything to deliver to their children they can leave items with security, who will bring them to the office. Please ensure items are properly labeled, or sealed in an envelope if it contains money.

ART COMPETITION

The art competition recently held by The Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Communication honoured the winners of the "Bridging Borders through Art." Entries were received from 56 participating schools throughout Trinidad and Tobago. The judges were extremely impressed by the standard of work done by most students and that the winning entries reflected a high level of rendering and the use of imagination.

The Ministry was pleased to award Certificates of Participation and a gift voucher to the MLIS students who took part in the completion:



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| Timothy Haskell | Andrew Valdez | Ellis Cunningham | Sam Roffey |
| Josephine Mendes | Samantha Maingot | Graham Carvalho | Ashley Aleong |
| Cavan Byrne | Jade Asiu | | |

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