

Dear CIS Community:

As I sit here on the last day of school for students, I am so proud to be with CIS. This morning we honoured the many sporting contributions for the school year, saw magnificent performances, and celebrated the diversity of friends at our school. The successful school year comes through a team effort of students, parents and staff. Thank you for making CIS Rock!!! Next year will be even better 😊!

Throughout the school year our IB students have been working at a local school with the students. Yesterday shoes, socks, ties and belts were delivered. Today the students received backpacks containing stationary and a filled pencil case. Your sponsorship throughout the year has made everything possible. Please read the article below for an update.

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As the year draws to an end, it is a great privilege for me to be the one to tell all of you about what the Sponsorship Committee has achieved throughout this year. As part of the International Baccalaureate programme here at CIS, giving back to the community has been something that all of us students have strived for. With the help of our very generous school community that supported us not only with financial support but also their faith in our efforts, we at the sponsorship committee have been able to bring smiles onto the faces of the wonderful kids of the local government school here in Venkatala. After a lot of effort, on the 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> June, we were finally able to give a fitting end to this academic year's Sponsorship Programme by providing the students of the Venkatala Government school with things like socks and shoes, school bags, ties and belts to go along with their uniform. The smile on the faces of the students is something we will never be able to forget. To further facilitate the habit of constructive reading in the children, CIS' Sponsorship Committee, on behalf of the school community in general also donated a small library consisted of about 300 Kannada books.

On a concluding note, this year was only the beginning, and after all the hurdles and obstacles that we faced, it is really satisfying to see that our efforts did bring about some happiness in a few children's lives. We are grateful to Ms.Anand and Mr. Regis for their constant motivations in the sponsorship programme. We have many more goals for the coming year, and I can assure you that it will be the Sponsorship Committee's primary goal to bring about good social change in our community and the less fortunate people around us.

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***Once again CIS goes that extra mile to make things happen.***

***Be proud of what we do!***

***Enjoy your break and we look forward to a great new year!***

Yours in Education  
Lynda Gigg  
Head of School/Principal