



Upcoming Events

August 25

Student Council Voting

August 25 & 27

Boys & Girls
Soccer Try outs

August 27

First day of Extra
Curricular Activities

September

Dalton Cup

September 4th

PTA meeting

September 24th

Author Visit
Chibundu Onuzo



“The function of education is to teach one to think intensively and to think critically... intelligence plus character –that is the goal of true education.

-Martin Luther King Jr.

Back to School Night

The CDS Middle School would like to thank all parents who attended our Back to School Night event this year. Teachers appreciated the opportunity to share their curriculum and passion for their subjects with all of you. We're all looking forward to a fantastic new school year! If you were unable to attend the event, please visit the CDS Middle School website at www.cdsmiddleschool.weebly.com where you can review the presentation.



New Faculty members and Staff



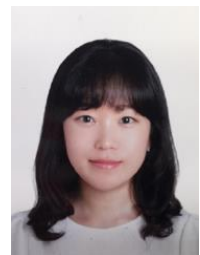
Daniel Cavin (English 5th & 8th)

Hi everyone! I'm Mr.Cavin and I'll be teaching 5th and 8th grade English in the Middle School this year! I hail from Canada, a.k.a. the "Great White North", so naturally, I love the cold, which also explains why my room (207) is kept at the lowest temperature possible (for the time being). So, if you ever want to drop by and say hi, or feel like "chillin' out", you're always welcome!



David Brennan (ELL)

I am from Denver, Colorado, but I lived in Korea for five years from 2006 to 2010. I have taught for about ten years, and have taught every grade from K-12. I want to get to know my students really well by doing projects to help people in Korea and around the world and by coaching sports. Here's to a great year!



Sena Lim (Math 6th & 8th)

Howdy y'all! I'm Sena Lim from Austin, Texas. I am excited to teach 6th grade Math and Geometry at CDS. Math is not only for mathematicians or math teachers. Along with being an interesting subject to study, a degree in Mathematics can lead to many excellent career opportunities in the future and I can't wait to share my thoughts and experience with students at CDS.



Soobin Jeon (Math 5th & 7th)

Hello! My name is Soobin Jeon and teach 5th and 7th grade math at CDS. After living my recent few years in Massachusetts, I am excited to be back in Korea and join CDS this year. I look forward to meeting and getting to know many of you!



Samuel Tolley (Music 5th, 6th & 7th)

Hello! My name is Mr.Tolley and I am from the state of New Hampshire in the U.S.A. I've sincerely enjoyed meeting all your students in my music class this past week and I hope to make a lot of music with them throughout the year.



Alice Kim (Visual Art 5th)

Hello Everyone! My name is Ms. Kim and I will be teaching Visual Arts for their fifth graders! I am very excited to explore the arts with everyone in the classroom. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at alicekim@daltonschool.kr.

New Faculty members and Staff



Lei Guo (Chinese)

Hi, everyone, I am Mr. Gary and I am teaching middle school Chinese Level 2 this year. This is my first year here, but I have taught Chinese for many years in Singapore. Wish all of students enjoy Chinese with me and have a wonderful year ahead!



Yan Liu (Chinese)

Hello, everyone. My name is Liu Yan and I am from Qingdao, China. I am excited to join the outstanding team of teachers at CDS. I am passionate about teaching and teaching is not only a translation of knowledge, but having effective communication with students. I am confident in my ability to create a “love of learning” environment for CDS students and I am excited to bring dedication, love and motivation to my students.



Erika Lee (Middle School Assistant)

Hello, everyone! My name is Erika Lee. I'm the new assistant for Middle School. I'm very pleased to be part of CDS, and willing to support in every way I can. I hope we have all have a wonderful time in CDS Middle School!



Soccer Try-outs

Although it is only the first week of term, after school sports trial is in full flow. Mr. Musselman will coach Boy Soccer Team again this year. He is pleased to coach Boys Soccer Team again and really looking forward to meeting soccer enthusiasts. Boys Soccer team try-out is going to be held from 4:10 to 5:25 on 25th and 27th August.

Ms. Laders will be coaching the girls' Soccer Team this year. She hopes to have a great team and a great time with girls. Girls Soccer team try-out is going to be held from 4:10 to 5:25 on 25th and 27th



Student Council elections have been very exciting this year with 15 candidates running for only 8 positions. On Thursday contenders delivered their campaign speeches to the Middle School in the Small Theater. Although candidates only had one day to prepare, their speeches were incredibly thoughtful and well delivered. The candidates are:

President

Andrew Lee Sue Shin

Gloria Yoon

Vice-President

Eva Kim Kate Kim

Tammy Lee

Treasurer

Jasmine Kwon Hyunji Lee

Secretary

Yerin Park Eugene Kang

Grade Representative

G5

Amy Yoon Shaylee Yoon

G6

Jaehong Park

G7

Kevin Lee

G8

Grace Cho



8th Grader, Kate Kim, Wins WFUNA Award for Essay



Last May (now) 8th Grade, Kate Kim submitted her English essay about sustainable soil management to Global Leadership Excellence Challenge. During summer vacation, Kate received an award from the competition showing her incredible quality in composing essays.

The event was hosted by 'Hope to the Future Association' and sponsored by 'World Federation of United Nations Associations', 'Microsoft Korea', 'Language Education Institute, Seoul National University', and 'The Korean Federation of Teachers' Association'.

This was a large-scale competition featuring entries on the Elementary, Middle, High School and Collegiate level and Kate was one of only eight to receive the Secretary General of WFUNA Award (2nd Place).

CDS Middle School is very proud of her fantastic work and well

Student Council Campaign Posters

