

SPECIAL EVENT: PARENT LED CONFERENCES



Every student is unique, and brings his or her own talents and interests, thoughts and cares, to school each day.

In recognizing the individuality of each child, during Week 3 we will hold **Parent Led Conferences**. By listening to parents, who know their children best, we will be able to support your children better in their learning journey at NIS.

You will receive an invitation and meeting time from your child's Primary Homeroom Teacher and/or from your child's Middle or Upper School Advisor. Primary meetings may take place Monday through Thursday; most MS/US meetings will take place **Tuesday afternoon August 28th**.

Please note that there will be no lessons on Tuesday afternoon.

LUNCH & BUSES on the day

Lunch will be provided for students as usual on Tuesday. For those families whose children take the **Home Caught bus** in the afternoon, buses will leave NIS at 1:30pm. Otherwise, parents should pick up their children at 1:15pm at the usual pick-up locations. There is no change to the Pre-K schedule on this day.

Should my child attend?

Yes! Your child is the focus of the conference.

What should you expect?

Here are some questions that will guide our meetings:

<p>What do you feel we Need to know:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What especially delights your child? - If overwhelmed, how does your child cope? - What was your experience like in this grade? - How do you remember that year of school? 	<p>What are you Excited about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What are your child's strengths and interests? - What are you and your child looking forward to this year?
<p>What Suggestions do you have in helping me to know your child better:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Is there a question you hope I'll ask you about your child? 	<p>Worried about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What are your fears or concerns about your child in this grade level?

If you have any questions, please contact your child's teacher/advisor, or Adam Dodge, Ruth Clarke, or Katie Ham.

See you then!

Mr. Adam Dodge
Head of Primary

Ms. Ruth Clarke
Head of Middle School

Ms. Katie Ham
Head of Upper School