SECONDARY SCHOOL STUDENT ACTIVITIES 2022-23

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Activity Name	Description	Room	Meeting Times After School unless mentioned	Places Available	
G6-11 Concert Band G6-11	Instrumentalists who play traditional Western instruments (strings, woodwinds, and brass) and who would like to improve their ensemble team skills are invited to join our Concert Band. Students wanting to improve their percussion skills (timpani, conga, tambourines, etc) are welcome to come and learn as beginners. Students will perform in the NIS Christmas Concert, Music Evening, Winter Concert, Summer Concert, Winter Assembly, etc.	M251	Monday		
G6-11 Student-Led Baseball Learning Club	It is open to everyone who is interested in baseball, wants to learn, or wants to play baseball games. You can learn even if you don't know the rules, so just sign it right away.	Grass Pitch	Monday	16	
G6-12 Homework Club	For students who want a quiet space to complete homework with support.	LS Room	Monday		
G6-12 Lunch Monday Secondary Student Council	Secondary Student Council is a student-led organization, with the aim of amplifying student voice and student choice among the student body. Representatives from grades 6-12 meet weekly to problem solve and address important issues of concern raised by their classmates. Student Council also advocates on behalf of students and organizes social events and gatherings throughout the year, including the Haunted House at the Autumn Festival, movie afternoons and a Talent Show.	D215	Monday Lunch		
G9-12 Debate & Speech Club	Based on National Speech and Debate Association the club will focus on the Public Forum Debate allowing interested students the opportunity to compete in the NHSDLC. Depending on student interest in other debate formats (i.e. Policy Debate, Lincoln-Douglas Debate) and speach formats (i.e. Information Speaking, Extemporaneous Speaking) will also be organized.	D213	Monday		
G11-12 Student-Led Chemistry Study Club	This chemistry study club was created to support more students to survive IB DP Chemistry. You are free to join in anytime during the club and ask questions or grind together, especially for exams, IAs, or labs.	D201	Monday		
G9-12 Lunch Tuesday Global Citizen Diploma Student Steering Committee	The Steering Committee is responsible for promoting the Global Citizen Diploma by organizing the Grade 9 Launch and listening to students' stories.	D229	Tuesday Lunch	12	
G9-11 Lunch Tuesday Student-Led Website making Club - Jaeyoung	In this club, we will learn how to make websites.	D346	Tuesday Lunch	8	
G6-12 Ukulele	Ukulele Club begins cycle 2 and runs for the rest of the school year. Bring your own ukulele if you can. We will learn 4 basic chords which can be used to play lots of songs! Grades 1-12, including absolute beginners are welcome.	C140	Tuesday (Lunch 2)		
G9-12 Video Review	Video Review enjoys a well-earned reputation as a group of professional videographers. As film and videography enthusiasts the Video Review is often charged with filming and editing school events such as Performing Arts productions, sports days and school ceremonies. As well as this, Video Review is a place for film buffs to find like-minded people to discuss and create with. Video Review is open to grades 9 through 12 by application and meets every Tuesday afternoon in the Design Lab.	Design Centre	Tuesday		
G10-12 Volleyball for experienced players	Volleyball training and practice for experienced players.	Blue Gym	Tuesday	12	

G9-12 Lunch Wednesday Gundam	Come build Gundam/Gunpla models. Building model can be a really calming activity. It's a great way to escape from the stresses of daily life. You can develop and strengthen essential cognitive skills such as visual-spatial coordination and problem-solving. You will build hand-eye coordination and be better able to control your fine motor skills. The Club offers the opportunity to participate in the Gunpla World Competitions which test creativity, innovation and ingenuity expressed through designs. Students will be able to incorporate electrical engineering, robotics, 3D modelling and printing skills into their designs. This club will only accept those who are active in participation and have an interest.	D206	Wednesday Lunch	10
G9-12 Lunch Wednesday Nanjing International School Student Activities Committee (NISSAC)	Students in grades 9-12 are invited to participate in this committee. The purpose is to have student input and voice in the NIS programmes. NISSAC also organizes the Sports Celebration Evenings and supports the Activities Office when NIS hosts events such as tournaments or conferences.	D218	Wednesday Lunch	
G10-12 Lunch Wednesday NIS Student Community Bank	A student-run service group that aims to enrich all students of the NIS community, the NSCB offers business loans, and grants for service or class projects. The NISSCB, like other service initiatives at NIS, works at a deeper level by basing its activities in research-based, sustainable economic and social development.	D213	Wednesday Lunch	
G10-12 Lunch Wednesday Poet Laureate	On recomendation by teachers, students write and read poems at school assemblies and at Graduation.	D342	Wednesday Lunch	
G9-12 Lunch Wednesday Student-Led Investment Club - Jim	This is a good opportunity for students to choose and buy their favorite stocks. Students will use a website to conduct stock trading of virtual currency. In the process, they will learn a lot about stocks, such as how to obtain the maximum profit and so on. There will also be a competition where students can choose their own stocks and compare who has the highest return at the end of the day.	D213	Wednesday Lunch	10
G6-11 Advanced Orchestra Auditions are required.*	This is a prestigious ensemble for students who are already highly skilled on woodwinds, strings, and brass instruments. There will be weekend rehearsals and extended rehearsals after school. All performances are for high profile events such as Awards Assembly, graduation, etc.	M251	Wednesday	
G6-12	For students who want a quiet space to complete	LS Room	Wednesday	
G6-12 Magic, the Gathering Club	homework with support. "Magic - The Gathering" is an action-fantasy card game. A player in MTG or Magic takes the role of a Planeswalker, doing battle with other players as Planeswalkers by casting spells, using artifacts, and summoning creatures as depicted on individual cards drawn from their individual decks. You will learn how to build your own deck of special "Magic - The Gathering" cards and play against other players. NOTE: This is not learning how to do magic tricks with cards.	D247	Wednesday	8
G6-12 Spanish Club	Learn about the Spanish culture through music, food, festivals and traditions.	D217	Wednesday	
G6-12 TEDx	Do you have an idea worth sharing? Join TEDx Youth@NIS.	D240	Wednesday	6
G7-11 Student-Led Baseball Learning Club	It is open to everyone who is interested in baseball, wants to learn, or wants to play baseball games. You can learn even if you don't know the rules, so just sign it right away.	Grass Pitch	Wednesday	16
G9-11 Yearbook	Work with a team to create the school's favorite publication.	D241	Wednesday	5
G9-12 Business & Economics Club	Depending on student interest activities could include an economics book club, discussing academic journal articles, discussion groups on current business and economic news, preparation for various competitions, exploring topics of special interest, or helping students with various special interest projects such as conducting economic and business research.	D213	Wednesday	
G10-12 Academic Writing Club	Improve your academic writing skills, learn how to build your argument, brainstorm and develop your ideas in a friendly and supportive environment. Get help with your university application essays. There will be an opportunity to become a peer mentor supporting other students.	D229	Wednesday	

G6-12 Dragon Dance	Learn how to do the Chinese Dragon Dance. Performances include Lunar New Year Celebration and perhaps at local senior citizen care facilities. This is open to everyone (students and faculty) who can run and able to carry the Dragon. The NIS Dragon Dance Team can be a part of an outreach activity that encourages physical activity in the local community.	Gym	Wednesday	
G10-12 Manga - Review Comic and Graphic Novel	A new space to talk about the art of manga, comics, graphic novels and more. Come and share your favorite work, discover new stories and analyze everything behind them.	Fishbowl (across from C136)	Wednesday	12
G10 & 12 PP & EE Support	Focus on support for the G10 Personal Project & the DP Extended Essay but available for any research support.	Library	Thursday	
G6-10 Coding for Fun	Club for students to learn and practise any type of coding. Self-directed tutorials in Python, C++ and a variety of other languages are available. Scripting for games and VisualBasic for Office are other possibilities. If you like coding, this is a place and time to do it.	D212	Thursday	N/A
G6-12 Model United Nations	Model United Nations is a simulation of the United Nations where students play the role of delegates from different countries and attempt to solve real world issues with the policies and perspectives of their assigned country. MUN aims to improve awareness of world problems and solutions, and build public speaking, debate, and collaborative skills through participation in MUN conferences. In addition to our regular weekly meetings, we also participate in Model UN conferences with other schools, so as to build experience working with high level debaters and further improve on members' skills.	D207	Thursday	
G6-12 NIS Art Club	The NIS Art Club is looking for student artists who are interested in organizing various art activities/events around school, such as designing the NIS Calendar, hosting personal or group art exhibitions, leading art auctions, or any other ideas that you may have are welcomed as well. We are also looking for motivated artists who are interested in creating artworks for the end-of-year NIS Art Sale for charity.	Design Centre	Thursday	20
G10-12 Lunch Thursday Student-Led No Base Artificial Intelligence Club - Donggeun	No Base Artificial Intelligence Club is for students interested in learning about artificial intelligence. We'll gather information and study about Al. Our final goal for this club is to create a program using artificial intelligence.	C151	Thursday Lunch	5
G11-12 Lunch Friday Student-Led Science Club - DongHyun	Perform technical and scientific experiments and document the results in a report. For example, if you want to conduct an experiment on a solar array, you would first gather research on the subject, conduct the experiment, and then write a report.	D201	Friday Lunch	8
G9-12 Lunch Friday Debate & Speech Club	Based on National Speech and Debate Association the club will focus on the Public Forum Debate allowing interested students the opportunity to compete in the NHSDLC. Depending on student interest in other debate formats (i.e. Policy Debate, Lincoln-Douglas Debate) and speech formats (i.e. Information Speaking, Extemporaneous Speaking) will also be organized.	D213	Friday Lunch	
G11-12 Student-Led Physics Study Club	A Student Led Physics Study club created to survive IB DP Physics. You are free to join in anytime during the club and ask questions or grind together, especially for exams or assignments.	Library	Friday	
G6-10 Enrichment Maths	If you enjoy being challenged by puzzles, difficult Maths, and new, unusual ideas then this is the club for you. It is a good preparation for Mathematics competitions and a great chance to explore areas of Mathematics that are more often taught at University level.	D212	Friday	
G6-12 Secondary Choir	This group sings in part harmonies on a variety of traditional and modern music for events such as the NIC Christmas concert, CNY assembly, winter assembly, Music Evening, and more.	M252	Friday	