

Minutes of Meeting		
Date:	27/05/2025	
Subject :	OIS Participation Council	
Chair :	Kevin Lobbezoo	
Attendees :	Anne Marie van Holst	Kevin Lobbezoo
	Cheryl Embleton	Denisa Stoican
	Bethan Chewter	Arnaud Meunier
	Andrea Hoffman	
	Angelique Podstavnychy	
Absent with Apologies :		

Meeting Notes:

1	Update on new building Teachers are very pleased with the new building and have noticed a positive impact on the students. The new atmosphere is proving beneficial, with children adapting well to the environment. The classrooms are L-shaped, which appears to create a more comfortable and welcoming space for the students. In addition to the indoor improvements, the new playgrounds are already a hit among the children. At this time, no decisions have been made regarding the transition of other classes. The move to the new building will happen in phases, though the exact timing is still being determined. Communication will be sent out soon to the parents of children who will be relocating to the new building in the next school year.
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2	Update on IGVO License Several teams are currently involved in the process of securing the new IGVO license. The school is also working on updated communication to inform parents about the developments. A detailed project plan is in the works and will be shared with the Parent Committee in the near future.
3	Year Plan and Year Report There were no additional questions raised regarding the year plan or year report. Both documents were approved.
4	World Citizenship and Sustainability The new policy document on World Citizenship and Sustainability was discussed. Everyone present agreed with the content and supported the direction outlined in the policy.
5	Family Walk There was a great deal of excitement about the upcoming Family Walk event, which is being organized by a group of parents. The Parent Committee emphasized that it is important to clearly communicate to all participants that parents are responsible for supervising their own children during the event, particularly around the water. Kevin will follow up by sharing this message with the event organizers.
6	Any Other Items Swimming Due to the current class sizes, the school is able to reduce the number of swimming groups from two to one. This change is expected to make the swimming sessions more efficient and easier to manage overall.
Next Forum :	
July 9th	Onsite at OIS