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Parent satisfaction survey

You may have noticed on our school calendar that STIP Hilversum will conduct an internal audit at IPS on 23 November. This process is in many ways similar to the IB visits in that it is meant to be viewed as a supportive process designed to help us improve as a school.

The team of four will spend a morning at both campuses of the school. During that time they will meet with the leadership team, observe four classes and meet with a group of teachers. They will be analysing data that we share with them from two surveys, one which the staff will complete and one including data from a parent satisfaction survey. The survey is anonymous, and if you have more than one child attending IPS, you may choose to complete this survey again. Otherwise, just select the year group of one of your children. Your participation in this survey would be greatly appreciated - research shows that only 10-30% of people complete surveys. We hope to buck that trend! [Please click here to access the parent satisfaction survey.](#)

Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, Belonging (DEIB)

Hilversum gets a rainbow touch! From 6 - 15 October, Hilversum will focus on inclusivity and diversity during [Hilversum Rainbow Week](#). In connection to our focus on belonging (have you read the latest blog - [Where do we belong?](#)) we will participate in this on Wednesday 11 October. To help celebrate, we invite all students to come to school dressed in rainbow colours!

Today's parent workshop

Thank you to all the parents who attended today's workshop, which explored the question: *What is an IB education?* It was lovely to see parents engaged in their own learning to find out more about different aspects of the PYP as well as exploring inquiry learning. Feel free to read the [slides](#) from today's session (all the links are live for you). The next workshop, which explains about Rock and Water (our social and emotional skills programme), is on Friday 13 October.

Lice Check

Next week a follow-up lice check will be carried out in the classes where lice/nits were detected.

- Mondrian: Wednesday 4 October
- Rembrandt: Friday 6 October

Please ensure your child's hair is clean and, for long hair, it should be worn loose or in a simple style.



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