

International Schools' Assessment (ISA) Results

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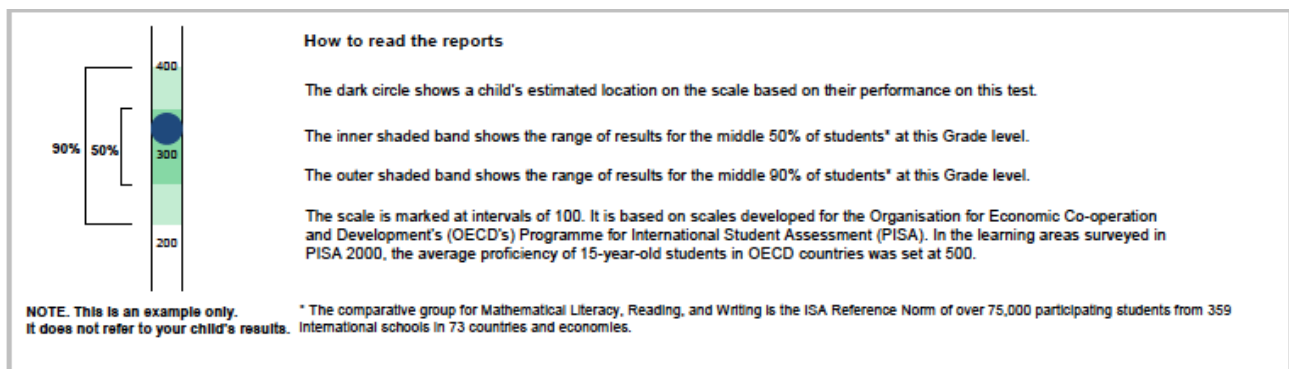
Dear HIS Families

Earlier this year your child participated in the International Schools' Assessments (ISA) at HIS, a standardized testing program developed by the Australian Council for Educational Research (ACER) and designed specifically for international schools.

Your child's results from these assessments are enclosed. The ISA testing assesses students in the learning area of Mathematical Literacy, Reading and Writing in Grades 3 -10 and Scientific Literacy in grades 7-10. Students at HIS sat these assessments in order to provide us with further data that will help us plan our teaching and learning to meet students' needs and inform our educational programs.

To the right of the individual reports, there is a **column with a scale marked at intervals of 100**. This is the "ISA scale". The scale has the same meaning for all grades. The student's achievement in this assessment is shown with a **large circle** on the column. The skills, knowledge and understandings typical of a student at this level of achievement are described in words in the text alongside and below the large circle.

The **shaded band** across each section of the report indicates the proficiency of the middle 60% of all students at this grade level who participated in the ISA testing. Please remember that it is important to consider the results of this assessment in the context of other information about your child's achievement provided by teachers and the school.



You can find more information about the ISA program at www.acer.edu.au/isa.

Students will be able to discuss these ISA results with their teachers in class and should be able to understand and interpret their own scores. For more details about interpreting the report, the ISA program, or to discuss these results, please contact us.

Kind regards

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