



Our Mission

Providing a balanced and innovative international education that enables students to achieve their individual potential while preparing them to be successful citizens who make positive contributions to society and the world.



Today's Content:

- Head of School Notes
- A Farewell from Mrs. Josephine
- Music Week
- Scholastic Books are here! Please come pick them up

Head of School Notes

Dear Students and Parents,

Now that the end of the school year is just a few days away, I can safely say that the last term has been the most challenging time in my entire career as an educator and school leader. I do, however, feel that as a community we have risen collectively to the challenge and managed this truly unique situation very well indeed. Staff, students and parents have all worked hard to facilitate learning at home, and judging by the feedback I have had from everyone, we are all feeling a sense of relief that we can soon close this chapter.

I have to admit that I am starting to feel a bit nostalgic as well. The end of the school year is also a time of farewells and goodbyes. Families and staff members will be leaving Zanzibar for new shores, leaving a big void behind. This year, we will be saying goodbye to three staff members: Mrs. Josephine Nthuni, Mrs. Gaudensia Mwangi, and Mr. Obadia Somella. We owe a huge debt of gratitude to these wonderful people, and we wish them all safe travels and a prosperous future. Today, I am happy to share some words from Mrs. Josephine who has been a pillar of our early years education program. Her daughters, Melanie and Vanessa, have been incredibly active members of our student body and have made a hugely positive impact on the school. What a wonderful family! We are truly blessed to have had you be part of the ISZ community. You will be greatly missed.

We are still looking for people to join in the music project. If you want to be a part of it, please join our Zoom call on today (Friday) at 1:30 on Zoom. Here is the link...

Topic: Memories meeting

Time: Jun 5, 2020 01:30 PM Africa/Dar_es_Salaam

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<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/4658712366?pwd=YzgyODlvMjB2MFJlQazRTRzdFME9ZQT09>

Meeting ID: 465 871 2366

Password: ISZ2020

I wish everyone a great day.

Dr. James W. Pilton

Saying Farewell to Our Amazing Mrs. Josephine and Her Wonderful Daughters Vanessa and Melanie

We wanted to take a moment to thank everyone in the ISZ community for the wonderful experience that we've had for four and a half years. We will always be grateful to have been a part of this warm and welcoming community.

The uniqueness of ISZ lies in the rich diversity of the students, parents and staff. I've enjoyed teaching at ISZ and feel privileged to have had such an opportunity to serve this community. I thank everyone for the support given. Vanessa and Melanie have had the best learning experience with very supportive, caring and knowledgeable teachers. We will always be thankful for the school's nurturing environment and excellent educational standards. Each, from the very first day to the very last, have contributed to our memorable experience.

As we move to Italy, we take with us only good memories and important life lessons and experiences. We would like to extend our best wishes to the entire ISZ community.



Music Week Activity

Hello students! This week we are giving you a chance to express your musical talents. This could be dancing, singing, or playing an instrument. We will all learn the song Memories (originally sung by Maroon 5).

If you want to be a part of this project, you need to learn the song, make a video of yourself performing the song and send it to me (Ms. Meg) by next Wednesday. Once I get all the videos in, we will try to put them together in a combo video to share with the school community. Please email me if you plan to be involved so we can keep in touch as you practice and prepare for making your video. Here's what you need to get started!

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Memories lyrics: <https://www.azlyrics.com/lyrics/maroon5/memories.html>

Memories sheet music: <https://musescore.com/user/29410427/scores/5726739>

Memories guitar tutorial: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TC48cKtzUho>

Memories video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o2DXt11SMNI>

ISZ Will Reopen Its Doors in August

Here is the link to the draft de-escalation and re-opening document. We will continue to revise this document prior to the August 20th opening date and will inform the community in a timely manner about the details.

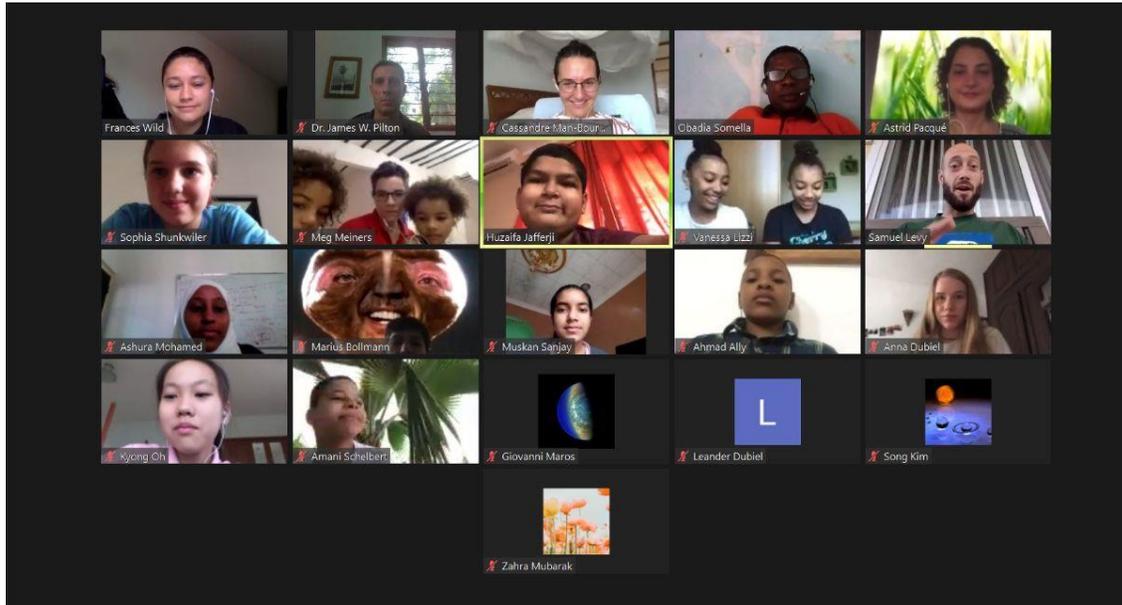
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If you have any questions, please send them to j.pilton@isz.co.tz.

Family Feature: My Study Space

We continue to invite students and parents to share with us the study space you created. Send us a picture and a caption to info@isz.co.tz or share it with your homeroom teacher.

Middle and High School had their weekly Jamii today.



UPCOMING EVENTS

- OFFICE HOURS FROM 9AM TO 3PM MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY
- Last Day of School June 11

Nurture, Empower, Lead