



Welcome to Helen O'Grady Drama Summer blog

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Over the summer - Helen O'Grady Drama had a fun-filled five week course at International School Saigon Pearl. Throughout the summer three different age levels of students ranging from Year 1 to Year 7 were involved in weekly drama classes exploring expressive speech and movement, improvisation and scripted performance. These classes culminated to a final performance for



Wow! What a spectacular HOGD Summer Camp at The Vietnam Australia International School. A very energetic, motivated and talented group of 26 students primary students worked extremely hard to create an amazing performance of *The Grasshopper and the Ants* which was presented at the Hoa Binh Theatre, Ho Chi Minh City. The students were very enthusiastic and loved creating all the different characters within the play through highly expressive movement and voice. The audience was wowed by the vibrant costuming and setting but also by the brilliant expression, articulation and characterization of each and every student! - Ms Claire

What a delightful group of young actors!

This summer school season the Lower Primary class at CitySmart in District 3 put on a wonderful show, performing the play "The Deep Blue Sea". Dressed up in colorful costumes, the students charmed their audience using their clear voices



Saigon Star International School had two classes for the summer school program, a Lower Primary and an Upper Primary class. I was impressed by the students' imaginations and expressive voices. These classes were high energy, each one filled with students who were eager to have their ideas included in the whole class improvisations. With every lesson I witnessed these young students grow with confidence as they worked together to explore the world through drama. Ms Sally



The students in the Eclass class were very energetic and full of character. The students were between 9 and 12. The students were great at speech and movement but especially loved practicing and performing plays and scripts. The Cancelled Pop Concert, for two nights at their end of year presentation. The kids had a great time and the parents



Canadian International School's summer camp had 4 classes, with ages ranging from 3 to 16. The kids all really enjoyed improvisation and movement exercises. For the end of summer camp performance the older class performed The Cancelled Pop Concert. The students had a wonderful time and impressed both parents and teachers. Ms Sam.



"Thank you to the HOD teachers for your hard work and to the students at the schools. It was a pleasure to work with you! May we continue to cooperate together and develop with each child through Drama"

Principal: Ms Helen S Cowie

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