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# IMMERSION PROGRAM

## English You Actually Use

This month's Immersion Program was a little different from your typical ESL class—and that's what makes it so special! Instead of just practicing everyday conversation, our students learned the kind of English they'll actually see in their academic subjects. For example, the word "matter" in science has a whole different meaning than the one you might use in casual chat, and we made sure they knew the difference. We explored core vocabulary from subjects like science, math, and social studies, then put those words to work in reading, writing, speaking, and even presentations. By the end, students weren't just learning English—they were getting a head start on their school subjects so that when classes officially start, they'll already feel right at home with the language.





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# POLICE SAFETY SEMINAR

## Staying Alert and Prepared

We were lucky to have local police officers visit our school for a really eye-opening safety seminar. They shared practical tips on how to stay alert, react in dangerous situations, and even defend yourself if you need to. The message was clear: being aware of your surroundings can make all the difference. It was a serious topic, but the officers made it a approachable and easy to understand—something everyone walked away thinking about.





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# CPR TRAINING

## Learning to Save a Life

One of the most impactful moments this month was our CPR training session. With guidance from a certified instructor, students learned step-by-step how to respond in an emergency, from chest compressions to rescue breathing. Practicing on mannequins felt a little intense at first, but by the end, everyone left with the feeling that they could actually help if the moment ever came. That's a powerful skill to have.





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## UIS BBQ

A Summer Celebration!

We started the month the best way we know how—good food, good music, and good company! Our annual UIS BBQ brought everyone together under the warm summer sun. The smell of the grill, laughter from the games, and music playing in the background made for the perfect summer vibe. New students, returning students, teachers—everyone had a chance to relax, chat, and enjoy each other's company. Definitely one of those “this is summer” kind of days.





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# LOOKING BACK

A Summer Celebration!

August was the perfect mix of fun, learning, and building skills that last a lifetime. Whether it was laughing over BBQ burgers or practicing CPR, every moment brought us closer as a community. Huge thanks to everyone who joined in and made the month so memorable. Here's to whatever adventures September brings!

