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Report on the 16th March 2016 Island School Council meeting

Council Membership

The Council welcomed Lakshmi Jacobi as a new parent representative. It also welcomed and Noa Horowitz and Rushabh Bohra as new student representatives.

School Accreditation

The February the school was visited by representatives of the Council of International Schools (CIS) and the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC). This resulted in the school being accredited for a further five years and receiving the inspectors report on its performance. The Council reviewed the report and congratulated the Principal and his staff on the excellent performance which the inspectors found. [A summary of the comments can be found here](#)

Feedback from Council Committees

The Council heard feedback from the key committees that have met since the last Council meeting. The key points covered were the following:

- Trips to take staff, students and parents to visit the schools we will use in the relocation have begun. There are more to come.
- The implementation of the IB Middle Years programme in the first two years was discussed. This will not begin until we have relocated.
- Regular surveys indicate the school is well protected and a safe environment for all.
- The staff members felt that the Professional Development Day in January was of excellent quality and very thought provoking.

Principal's Report

The Principal noted how busy it had been with a variety of events taken place including charity week, music concert, pride week, book week, green week and the IB art exhibition. IB and IGCSE exams were about to start, and we look forward to the performance of Dracula and the year 11 Exhibition in June.

J Robert Gibson; Island School Council Chair