



# TLA BLAZE

TORCH OF LIFE ACADEMY PRESCHOOL—HIGH SCHOOL



**IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER**

- **REVIEW/MT WEEK**  
-13-17
- **AT WEEK**  
-21-24
- **FIELD TRIP**  
-28 and 29
- **CHINESE NEW YEAR**  
- 31



**JANUARY**

- Kuya Maui** 1
- Mimi** 17
- Sir Ean** 21
- Ms. Monette** 22

## Here's to New Beginnings

People spend a great deal of time preparing for the New Year's eve celebration. Finding 12 round fruits, preparing fireworks, cooking delicious food, wearing polka dotted clothes and jumping high at the strike of midnight are but some of the traditional practices of Filipinos every New Year. Some say the fruits represent 12 months of prosperity, as well as the polka dotted clothes and the feast prepared to be shared by the entire family. Fireworks and firecrackers are believed to be used to ward off evil spirits.

All of these things, however, would mean



nothing if we do not do things to make our lives better. We play a great part in writing our story but as Jonathan Anthony

Burkett aptly puts it, **"Faith is why I'm here today and faith is why I made it through."**

We are all given the opportunity to live a life full of challenges. How we handle these challenges would define our true character. Helen Keller said, **"Your success and happiness lies in you. Resolve to keep happy, and your joy and you shall form an invincible host against difficulties."** Therefore, let us welcome the new year with much positivity, hope and faith that there is going to be a bright future ahead.

A Blessed New Year to everyone! -TLA FAMILY.

## EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING

Experiential learning is a process through which students develop knowledge, skills, and values from direct experiences outside a traditional academic setting. (<http://www.ucdenver.edu/>)

This is the reason why schools offer different activities that foster learning and enhance the skills they have learned in school. TLA believes in the value of

experiential learning and has included this in the school's program ever since it has opened its doors to the community.

In this light, we would like to announce the scheduled field trip for this school year. Kindly fill-out the form and submit to your child's adviser on or before January 22.

January 28 - Gr.4-3rd Year (students only)

Intramuros, The Mind Museum, The Museum with packed lunch from Jollibee.

January 29 - PS-Primary (PS students with 1 companion)

Crocodile Park and Crocoseum, Seri Fantasy World, Phil. Air Force Aerospace Museum with packed lunch from Wendy's MOP.



# KEEP CALM AND STUDY FOR EXAMS

## REVIEW /MT WEEK

- PRESCHOOL - Jan. 13-17 (review)
- GS - Jan. 13-14 (review)
- Jan. 15-17 (MT)
- HS - Jan. 13-17 (review and MT)

## AT WEEK

- PS - HS - Jan. 20-24

## REMINDERS:

- \*Wear your **complete uniform**.  
(Know when to wear your GALA or PE uniform.)
- \***No ID, No Exam** policy will be observed.
- \*Boys should comply with the **prescribed haircut**.
- \*Settle your accounts to secure your **Exam Permit**
- \*Observe **UNPLUGGED WEEKS**
- \***Dismissal Time** - indicated in the Exam Schedule giv-

## ACTIVITIES FOR THE MONTHS OF JANUARY and FEBRUARY



Gr.4 -3rd yr. Jan. 28 PS-Gr. 3 Jan. 29



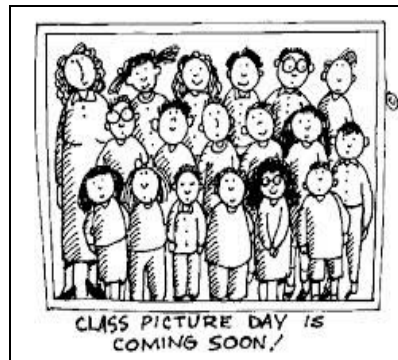
Seniors - Feb. 1 / PS-HS Feb. 4-5



HS Intrams-Feb.7 / GS Sportsfest Feb.8  
PS Family Day-Feb. 15



February 1



PS-HS Feb. 4-5 Class Picture Taking /  
Gr. 6 Grad Picture



Feb. 14 Teacher's Day / Mr. & Ms. TLA