



A+ Abacus Center

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Welcome back, everyone! I hope everyone had a nice summer vacation.
Class resumes the week of August 14 (Monday).

A. Please take a look at the class schedule from the link below to double check the class levels and times. <https://aplusabacus.com/Class-Schedule-&-Calendar.html>
Also, I will email your child(ren)'s class times this week. If you would like to change class times, please feel free to contact me.

B. A Plus Abacus Center is pleased to announce **two new beginner classes**.
These classes will begin in September and schedules as follows:

1. **Tuesday, 5:00pm-6:15pm. Instruction begins 9/12/2017**
2. **Saturdays, 2:00pm-3:15pm. Instruction begins 9/16/2017**

**Beginner
Class**

If you have friends or family who are interested, please direct them to A Plus Abacus website to fill out an inquiry form <https://aplusabacus.com/Beginner-Abacus-Class.html>. Once submitted, the applicant will receive an email confirming the details.

C. A few reminders to start the new school year:

1. **Please do not talk when walking up the stairs and when in the hallways.**
2. Parents and students may not wait or linger in the hallways prior to or after class.
3. **Do not to use cell phones in the hallway.** Please **take all phone calls outside of the building.**
4. **No running or yelling up the stairs or anywhere in the halls**, including the restrooms.



Thank you for your cooperation.

D. Over the summer, there were 4 students (Brent Kong, Brandon Kong, Eliza Lin, Elena Yan) from A Plus Abacus Center who participated in the World City Cup. **Out of the 8 champion spots in the whole competition, the A Plus Abacus Center took home 2 of those champion trophies. Congratulations to Brent and Brandon Kong for earning the champion title and for receiving a \$100 scholarship. Congratulations of Eliza for earning the gold award and Elena for earning the silver award.**

E. The Global Cup Competition next year is on January 28, 2018 (Sunday)! However, this is not a long weekend. For students who are interested in entering the competition, please take note now to schedule your plans.

F. On 8/12 we will participate in the **Kids and Fun Festival event** at Memorial Park. Orion Abacus Association and Orion Abacus Youth Organization will host a booth to make small abacuses out of beads. A Plus Abacus parents and students are welcomed to volunteer. This is a great event to spread awareness and abacus culture and a great way to earn community service hours.