

ENGLISH DAY

THEME: THE GAME OF QUICK MINDS

At Philinter Academy, English comes alive in many ways — through lessons, conversations, and special celebrations where learning turns into fun and confidence takes center stage. This September, our English Day carried the theme “The Game of Quick Minds,” and it was an afternoon filled with energy, teamwork, and moments that showed the true spirit of learning.

The air was charged with excitement as students cheered for their classmates, teachers joined in the laughter, and every segment reminded us that English is more than just rules — it’s about connecting, thinking fast, and enjoying the journey together.

SPELLING WITH STRENGTH

The day opened with the Spelling Contest, where students took on rounds that grew harder with every word. From easy one-pointers to the nerve-racking five-pointers, silence filled the room as participants focused intently, while their classmates quietly cheered them on.

“Every word you spell is a step toward confidence.”



SURVEY SAYS!

Next came Family Feud (Survey Says) — a battle of wits and quick decisions. Each guess drew gasps and cheers from the crowd, especially when teams had just one chance left before another team could steal their points. It was a game of language, logic, and laughter all in one.

Fun Note: Games like Family Feud sharpen quick-thinking and communication — skills that matter in every conversation.



A SPECTACULAR BREAK:

Intermission Show

Before the next contest, the audience was treated to a short but dazzling intermission performance. Inspired by the Filipino TV show "Deal or No Deal," teachers took the stage with graceful choreography, carrying briefcases in an elegant dance number.



MUSIC IN THE AIR

With the crowd energized, the Singing Contest took center stage. Students and teachers had to guess missing lyrics while the audience joined in, creating an atmosphere of playful energy. It was entertaining, unpredictable, and a joyful reminder that music unites voices across cultures.

"Where words fail, music speaks." – Hans Christian Andersen



GENIUS AT PLAY



The spotlight then turned to Philinter Genius (Pinoy Henyo) — a Filipino favorite. Here, Section F impressed with their smart strategy: focusing only on three categories (places, food, and events) and quickly passing on the rest. Their teamwork and quick-thinking crowned them champions of the day.

Cultural Fun Fact: Pinoy Henyo is a traditional Filipino guessing game often played at parties. It's a favorite because it combines fun with fast thinking — much like learning English!

chicken



hotdog



BINGO BONANZA WITH A PURPOSE

Finally, the hall filled with anticipation for the Bingo game. Every call of a number sparked cheers, especially for players just one step away from winning the 4,000 prize. Yet beyond the thrill, Bingo had a bigger purpose — part of the proceeds will go to the December Outreach Program. Win or lose, everyone left knowing they had contributed to something meaningful.

"Sometimes the most fun comes with the biggest purpose."



MORE THAN GAMES, A CELEBRATION OF GROWTH

Beyond the fun and games, this English Day revealed something lasting: the skills and courage our students carry into tomorrow. Whether spelling words, singing songs, or making smart choices under pressure, every experience becomes preparation for the bigger stage of life ahead.

OUTREACH PROGRAM

Philinter students traded classrooms for community as they visited the Little Servant of Christ the King Inc. in Talamban on September 27, 2025. With open hands and open hearts, seven Japanese and two Vietnamese volunteers spent the afternoon with 19 children, turning an ordinary Saturday into something extraordinary.

What unfolded was more than just games, songs, or giveaways. It was laughter echoing across the room, tiny hands reaching out for connection, and the simple joy of being seen and remembered. For the children, it was a moment of delight; for our students, it was a lesson in empathy and the beauty of giving.



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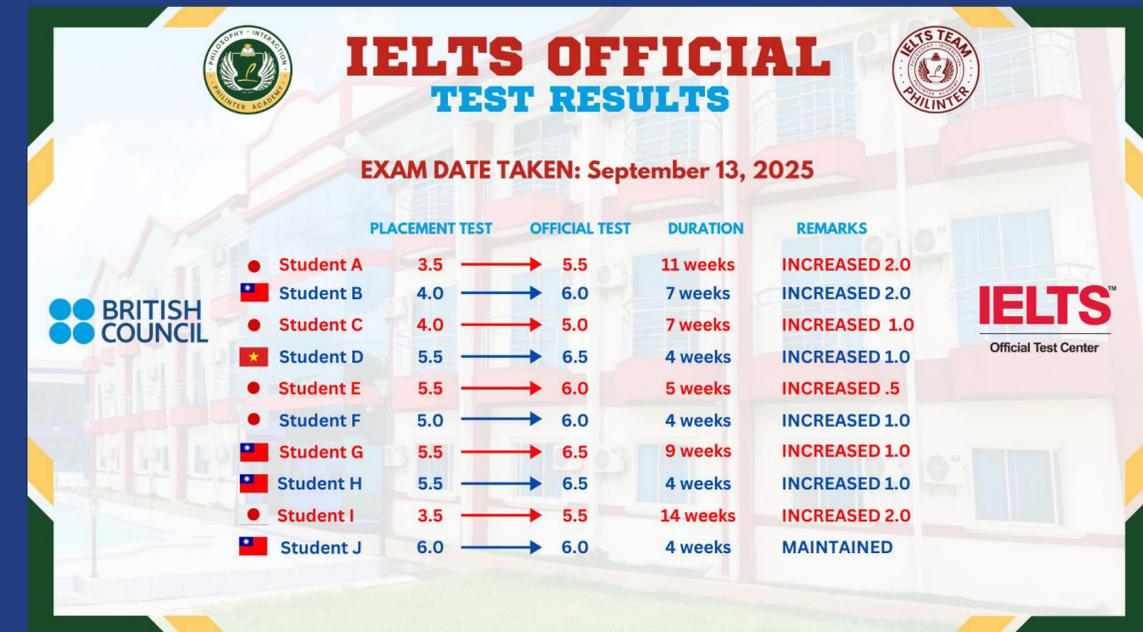
"When we share joy, it doubles. When we share kindness, it multiplies."

IELTS OFFICIAL TEST RESULT

For many Philinter students, test day is more than just a date on the calendar — it's the moment where practice meets possibility. On September 13, 2025, students stepped into the IELTS exam room ready to turn months of preparation into measurable progress. Conducted on campus in partnership with the British Council, the Academic Module Paper-Based Test challenged them across Listening, Reading, Writing, and Speaking.

When the official results arrived on September 26, 2025, the numbers told a story of resilience and growth. Some students achieved remarkable leaps of +2.0 bands, others strengthened consistency — but together, they proved that steady effort always leads to transformation.

Our September test-takers showed what preparation can achieve: sharper confidence, stronger focus, and real results. Each score was more than a number — it was a story of persistence and growth.



Philinter's journey with IELTS continues, with the next Official Test set for November 22, 2025. Each session reaffirms our commitment to helping students unlock academic opportunities and global futures.

Business Trips

GLOBAL CONNECTIONS

This September, Philinter Academy continued its journey of building bridges across Asia through four impactful business trips, each strengthening ties and expanding opportunities for students.

Taiwan

Our visit to Taiwan, highlighted by the CALA Seminar and agency collaborations, centered on building brighter paths for Taiwanese students. Each discussion reinforced Philinter's commitment to making Cebu a gateway for global learning.



Mongolia

In Mongolia, Philinter participated in educational fairs and agent visits that highlighted the growing demand for international English training. The trip strengthened partnerships while connecting with new students eager to study abroad.



Vietnam

The Vietnam trip focused on agency visits, reinforcing ties with trusted partners and exploring fresh opportunities for Vietnamese students to experience Philinter's world-class English programs.



Japan

Closing the month, our team joined the CALA BESA Seminar and met with partner agencies to discuss future collaborations. The seminar opened doors for deeper academic exchange while reaffirming long-standing relationships with Japanese partners.

Each destination this September reflected one vision: connecting cultures through language and creating meaningful opportunities for students across Asia.



Collecting the world through English, one partnership at a time.