



Mt. Auburn International Academy

September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2015

## Seclusion and Restraint

In August, 2015, some staff members from MAIA took part in an all-day training for Nonviolent Crisis Intervention. The entire staff will participate in a 3-hour de-escalation course on September 23, 2015. Through this training, staff are instructed about body language, verbal exchange, and techniques to utilize on the rare occasion a student exhibits aggressive behaviors. Teachers learn techniques to de-escalate a student calmly in order to facilitate an atmosphere whereby the factors involved in the situation can be addressed and resolved.

In the event that a student exhibits aggressive behaviors, staff members at MAIA will utilize these de-escalation techniques to ensure the school environment remains a safe environment.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Susan Moore'.

Susan Moore  
Director