

AIS SCHOOL VISION

For our students to become confident, capable and socially aware global citizens who contribute meaningfully to the communities in which they choose to live and work.

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Jakarta News, 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2024

#### PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

#### **AISA Games**

Next Wednesday, 39 students from AIS Jakarta, 28 students from AIS Bali and 11 staff will travel to Singapore for the Australian International Schools (AISA) Games. This year's AISA Games will be hosted at AIS Singapore from Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> - Saturday 30th November. The AIS Indonesia teams will spend Wednesday afternoon training so the players from both campuses can get to know each other and their coaches before an Opening Ceremony on Thursday evening. We will be fielding a swimming team, a girls netball team, a mixed touch rugby team, a boys soccer team, a girls soccer team, a boys basketball team and a girls basketball team. Our athletes and coaches have put in a tremendous amount of work preparing for the matches. Special mention to Mr Hector, Ms Nicola (AIS Bali), Ms Remy & Ms Fiona for all of the behind the scenes work to make the trip possible. Thank you also to the Yayasan Board who sponsored the traveling and playing kits for all team members.



### **Year 12 Graduation**

Yesterday our Year 12 students led a fun Year 12 Final Assembly where they could celebrate the end of their schooling with all of the high school students. We enjoyed a number of musical performances, poetry recitation, student speeches and presentation of merit awards and AIS Kangaroos. Tonight, they will have their Graduation Ceremony at the AYANA Midplaza Jakarta where they will celebrate with their families and teachers. I know that a lot of preparation has gone into the event so I am sure it will be a huge success that our graduates remember fondly for years to come.



## **Parents Thank You Coffee Morning**

I will host a Parents Thank You Coffee Morning at 0815 on Monday 9th December for all parents who have supported the school throughout the year. Instead of sending invites and possibly missing people out, I would like to ask parents to RSVP by completing this form, and let us know the ways you've supported us—whether it's presenting to students, assisting with PnF events, participating in CIS meetings, or contributing in any other capacity.

## **School Closed - Wednesday 27th November**

AIS will be closed on Wednesday 27th November due to the regional election that will happen simultaneously across Indonesia to elect 37 Provincial Governors and 508 Mayors or Heads of Districts. The AISA Games trip will continue as planned with staff and students meeting at school at 4:00am

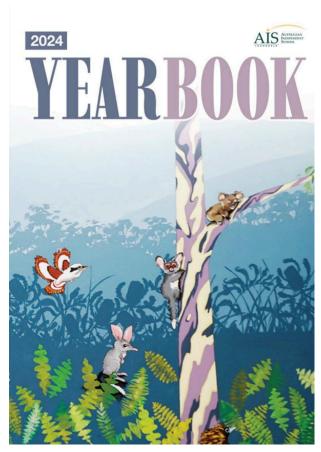
### **Upcoming Dates**

Week 7	
Wednesday 27th November School Closed. Election Day	
Wed 27 - Sat 30th November	AISA Games @ AIS Singapore
Friday 29th November	PS Assembly
Saturday 30th November	Yr 3 & 4 Drama Rehearsal
Week 8	
Monday 2nd December	Yr 3 & 4 Drama Show
Tuesday 3rd December	5-8 Ball Sports Day
Thursday 5th December	HS Assembly
Friday 6th December	PS Assembly Yr 6 Graduation
Saturday 7th December	PnF Christmas Market
Week 9	
Monday 9th December	Parents Thank You Coffee Morning
Tuesday 10th December	9-12 Ball Sports Day
Thursday 12th December	End of Year Assembly. 1230 Dismissal

PS = Primary School. HS = High School

Please click here to access a pdf version of the 2025 AIS Jakarta School Calendar

#### AIS 2024 Yearbook



We are pleased to announce that the AIS 2024 Yearbook is currently in the printing process and will be ready for distribution in early December, before December 12, 2024.

We will provide you and your family with a link to the 2024 AIS Yearbook starting 6 December 2024. Please note that access to the link will remain available until 12:00 pm on Thursday, December 12, 2024. We strongly encourage you to save and download the file. However, if you prefer a printed copy of the 2024 Yearbook, they are available for purchase.

The **price of the yearbook** is **IDR 350,000 per copy**. You must pay in full for the quantity of copies ordered. Payment can be made by bank transfer to the following bank account by **Monday 2nd December 2024.** 

If you wish to order a copy, please fill out this form and upload a receipt of payment or submit it to the Front Desk before the deadline.

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Beneficiary Name	: Yayasan Sekolah International Australia	
Account IDR	: 286.155.8811	
	: KCP Kemang	
Bank Address	Jl. Raya Kemang No.60,	
	Jakarta Selatan 12060	
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#### AIS 2024 Yearbook Purchase Order Form



Craig Eldred Principal

#### **PnF Newsletter**

Please CLICK HERE to read the Parents n Friends (PnF) Association News.





#### PnF

## **PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS**

### **Celebrating Achievements and Looking Forward to Exciting Events**

A warm thank you to the Year 2 EAL students for their delightful performance this morning. They have been exploring the art of poetry, working creatively with acrostic forms and rhymes. Today, they were thrilled to showcase their poems about nature, demonstrating their growing talents in writing and expression.

We are also thrilled to announce the election results for next year's student leadership. Congratulations to Aisyah La Buya and George Palin, who have been elected as School Captain and Vice Captain, respectively. Your dedication and leadership are inspiring, and we are confident you will both do an excellent job in guiding our student community.

This weekend promises to be busy with our students participating in a swim meet at JIS. Best of luck to all our swimmers—make us proud! Simultaneously, rehearsals are in full swing for the upcoming Year 3 and 4 pantomime in Week 8. The excitement is building, and we can't wait to see our young actors shine on stage.

In further community initiatives, our Vice Captain Angela Kim has organised a Flea Market for Week 8. This event will allow students to sell homemade items or second-hand goods, fostering creativity and entrepreneurial spirit among our students.

Looking ahead, the end of Week 8 will be marked by the Year 6 graduation—a significant milestone for our students as they prepare for new academic challenges. We are excited to celebrate this achievement with them and their families.

Don't miss the PnF Christmas Market on December 7th, which will be a festive occasion for all to enjoy some holiday shopping and community fun.

Lastly, please note that the school will be closed next week due to local elections, so plan accordingly.

Have a great weekend, everyone, and let's make the most of the last few weeks of this year at AIS!

### Ms. Sinead Smith Primary Coordinator

#### **Year 4 EAL Embarked on Persuasive Text**

This term, Year 4 EAL students have ventured into the exciting world of persuasive writing. For all the new students who joined the school at the beginning of Year 4, this marks their first introduction to this compelling form of text genre.

#### Persuasive Text

Persuasive text is a text that shows a writer's opinion about a topic or an issue in order to influence readers' opinion or in order to fulfill the writer's wishes.

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Teks persuasif adalah teks yang menunjukkan pendapat penulis mengenai topik atau isu untuk mempengaruhi pendapat pembaca atau untuk memenuhi keinginan penulis.

설득력 있는 텍스트는 독자의 의견에 영향을 미치거나 작가의 소원을 충족시키기 위해 주제 또는 문제에 대한 작가의의 연경을 보여주는 텍스트입니다.



Firstly, summer is great for spending time outside as the weather is warm and sunny, so it is perfect for visits to the beach or for swimming in a pool. You might also like to go for a bike ride or play outside in the sunshine.

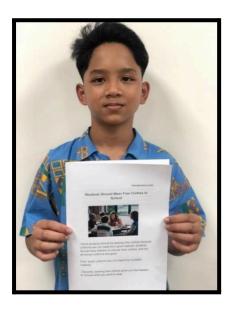
Additionally, summer here in Australia includes Christmas, which means lots of fun time with family and friends. The school holidays are also a great time to get away for a family holiday, to discover new things and new places.

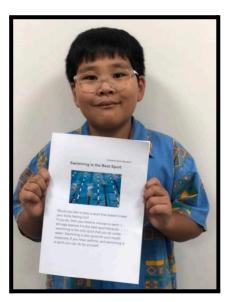
Finally, I am sure you can agree that summertime is the perfect time for delicious treats like ice cream or frozen slushy drinks. These tasty treats are not nearly as enjoyable in the colder seasons.

In conclusion, summer offers the best sunny weather, the perfect opportunity for spending fun time with friends and family as well as super yummy frozen treats for everyone to enjoy. Therefore, summer is most definitely the best season of the year.

To begin, we explored the purpose of persuasive writing: to influence readers' thoughts and actions. We analyzed a sample text, "Summer is the Best Season of the Year," and dissected its structure. Students learned the importance of:

- **A Strong Opening:** Start with a rhetorical question and clearly stating an opinion or point of view with some emotive language, supported by relevant reasons.
- **Subsequent Paragraphs:** Elaborating on each reason with specific examples or evidence.
- A Conclusive Ending: Restating the main point in a new way.







Next, we engaged in a lively brainstorming session to generate their personal interest and topics. Students shared their thoughts on various subjects, including the best pets, favorite sports, and pressing issues like weekend length and the best country in the world. We then guided them in planning their persuasive pieces.



It was truly heartening to witness the enthusiasm and creativity of the students. Despite needing occasional support with phrasing, they confidently selected topics, formulated their opinions, and provided compelling evidence to support their arguments.



After drafting their initial pieces, students diligently worked on editing and refining their work, ultimately producing very personal final drafts.

**Ms. Tetty** (Year 4 EAL)

# **Merit Certificate**

Class		Teacher
Preschool 3/4L	Eli	Ms Linda
Preschool 3/4L	Oscar	Ms Linda
Preschool 3/4T	Layla	Ms Tia
Preschool 3/4T	Riley	Ms Tia
Foundation E	Charlotte	Ms Elizabeth
Foundation E	Lucy	Ms Elizabeth
Foundation E	Charlotte	Ms Nada
Foundation J	Khalish	Ms Joan
Foundation J	Mio	Ms Joan
Year 1L	Hasung	Ms Lorraine
Year 1L	Saein	Ms Lorraine
Year 1M	Ethan	Ms Michelle
Year 2E	Aisar	Ms Ellis
Year 2E	Shuya	Ms Ellis
Year 2K	Nuraz	Ms Karlina
Year 2K	Hyorin	Ms Karlina
Year 2K	Yeonho	Ms Karlina
Year 2K	Daon	Ms Ratih
Year 3MS	Yulchan	Ms Mo
Year 3MS	Evie	Mr Yohan
Year 3S	Jaxx	Ms Sehrish
Year 3S	Darren	Ms Mo

Year 3S	Darren	Ms Nada
Year 4A	Eito	Ms Aditi
Year 4C	Christopher	Mr Cosi
Year 5J	Yuhan	Ms Jeandri
Year 5J	Yejun	Ms Deasy
Year 5J	Summer	Ms Deasy
Year 5K	Adele	Mr Kessell
Year 5K	Clara	Mr Kessell
Year 5K	Aisyah	Mr Yohan
Year 6D	Jasmin	Mr David
Year 6D	Amber	Mr David
Year 6S	Jaewoong	Ms Susan
Year 6S	Priyanka	Ms Susan
Year 6S	Victoria	Ms Nada

### **HIGH SCHOOL NEWS**

### **Welcome to High School News**

We have said our formal good bye to Year 12 this week, celebrating with them at our assembly and looking forward to graduation tonight. The assembly on Thursday gave us the chance to enjoy a sneak preview of the entertainment for graduation, with amazing performances from Lila and Prad and Greene. A particular musical highlight was all of Year 12 performing Night Changes together. I enjoyed Tian's poetry, Prad's film and Kharan's heartfelt speech about his time in school. Special thanks to our MCs, Kevin and Audrey, and Miss Mary and the Year 12 LSAs. Year 12 have really made their mark on our community and will be much missed.

I have been really pleased to see how many of the students have taken their assessments in their stride. The atmosphere on the 4th floor has been calm and purposeful during the assessments. Students will receive their results in lessons in Week 8 and written reports on the Semester will be sent home after the end of term.

I'd like to end by wishing all of our athletes the best of luck for the AISA games next week. We will be thinking of them and hope that they enjoy the experience of the games in Singapore. Remember that there will be no school on Wednesday next week for the election.

## Dr Beth Ashfield Deputy Principal and Head of High School

#### **Arts Night**

Semester 2, featured a creative evening of Visual Arts presentations, Film screenings and Music performances. Each, holding their own space and yet joining forces in showcasing works and performing alongside one another.



The intention for Arts Night this time around, was to lay out a sharper and more contemporary exhibit, especially when it comes to the visual arts showcase. The output of Visual Arts projects in Semester 2 (T3/T4) took on the approach of being more investigative, experimental and open ended.



Likewise, music performances were well orchestrated and entertained, as well as, film shorts were engaging and held our concentration.



Further, one of the highlights of the evening was the "Art Charity Auction", which turned out to be a big success, thanks to the amazing artworks by students and the participation of parents in creating an excitement around a 'bidding war' for selected art pieces. The Art Auction was aligned with the Orphanage Project CCA, and all proceeds are to support <u>Panti Asuhan Yos Sudarso</u>.

Overall, it takes a team effort to carry out an event like this, with so many moving parts.



We are thankful for everyone's attendance and support in helping to make Semester 2, Arts Night 2024 at AIS a successful and memorable one.

# **ARTS Faculty**

**AIS Friendly Swimming Meet** 



Last Friday, November 15th, 2024, AIS hosted a friendly swimming meet against DSJ Jakarta (German School). The event served as valuable preparation for our AISA swimmers as they gear up for the upcoming AISA Games in Singapore.

Through these friendly competitions, our young athletes had the opportunity to gain valuable experience, test their skills, and build confidence. The meet fostered a spirit of sportsmanship and camaraderie among the participants. After the exciting races, swimmers enjoyed a well-deserved pizza party, complete with cinnamon rolls and refreshing drinks, provided by AIS.



I would like to extend my sincere gratitude to Mr. Craig and Mr. Hector for their instrumental role in organizing this event. Their dedication was crucial in preparing our AISA swimming team for success. I hope that these swimming events will continue to inspire our swimmers to strive for excellence.

I am also deeply grateful to Pak Aan, Ms. Tantri, Ms. Atiek, Ms. Remy, Ms. Selvi, Ms. Fiona, Ms. Grace, and Ms. Anti for their commitment and enthusiasm in learning a new skill to serve as timekeepers for the meet.

Additionally, I would like to thank the IT team (Pak Pupung and Pak Anton) and Ms. Caroline for their efforts in setting up the swimming pool and preparing the starter and timesheet for the event.

I would like to acknowledge the support of the Klim Swim coaches (Ajeng, Kirana, Hendra) and Coach Daniel, whose expertise and guidance ensured the smooth running of the event.

Last but not least, a big thank you to all the parents who cheered on our swimmers and provided positive support. Your encouragement truly made a difference

Thank you once again for your support. I look forward to future collaborations and the positive impact we can make together.

#### Ms. Dwi

### **Refugee Action Group**

This term has been a fantastic opportunity to strengthen our connections with our community partners: the HELP for Refugees Learning Centre and the Cisarua Refugee Learning Centre. A huge thank you goes out to our CAS students for organizing the Taipans Cup and inviting the HELP students to form a girls' football team for the event. The girls had an incredible day and were thrilled to be part of such an inclusive experience. Additionally, a group of boys from HELP joined a training session with the AIS boys' football team, creating more opportunities for connection and collaboration.



We were also delighted to welcome a group of HELP students to our Creative Arts Night. They thoroughly enjoyed the evening, especially the performances by our talented AIS students, which made their visit truly memorable.

To support these initiatives, several fundraising events, including a craft stall and drink sales, have helped cover the costs of food and transportation for the refugee students visiting our school.

In other great news, our school has provided much-needed support to the Cisarua Refugee Learning Centre. The school was struggling to find enough chairs and tables for their students, so AIS was able to donate some chairs, transport some tables donated by ACG, and use funds from the Walkathon to purchase additional new furniture. This has made a significant difference to their learning environment.



Thank you to everyone in our community for your generosity and ongoing support. It is really appreciated.

Ms. Katrina







