



## 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.

Quick link to:

[PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS](#)

[HIGH SCHOOL NEWS](#)

**Jakarta News, 14<sup>th</sup> November 2025**

### Year 12 IB Diploma & School Based Exams Finished

Our Year 12 students will finish their final school exams today. It has been great to see how confidently they have approached their exams and supportive they were of each other. A special thank you must go to our IB Diploma Coordinator, Mr Dave Brundage who has organised the exams and to all of our teacher invigilators who supervised the students during their exams.



### Year 12 Graduation

Next Friday, 21st November we will celebrate our Year 12 students' end of school with their Graduation Ceremony which will be held at AYANA Midplaza Hotel. This night will be a chance for our Year 12 students to celebrate the end of high school with their friends, classmates, teachers and families.

### High School Arts Night



Tuesday night's High School Arts Night was a huge success with our very talented High School Artists, Musicians & Film Makers showcasing their work from the year. Thank you to Mr Tal, Mr Anand, Mr Rob, Ibu Aldevi, Ibu Michelle and Ibu Puji.



Our teachers have clearly done a tremendous job with their students. The confidence with which they performed—whether on stage or on film—and the quality of their art and media work showed that they are deeply engaged in their learning and proud of their achievements. I noticed several students performing who, a year or two ago, would not have had that same level of confidence—further testament to the wonderful work we are doing at AIS to build them up.

### Parent & Student Thank You Morning Tea

AIS would like to invite parents and students who have supported the school throughout the year to a **Thank You Morning Tea at 8:30am on Monday 8th December**. This is a chance for us to thank parents who have supported us by leading or supporting our PnF, helping out at school events, and leading workshops in the classrooms for our students. We will also have our Student Ambassadors join to thank them for their support of the school throughout the year.

If you would like to attend, please complete the form linked below so we can plan catering accordingly.

[Parent & Student Thank You Morning Tea](#)



### Mother Tongue Book Drive

Our Teacher Librarian, Ms Lorraine, and Librarian, Mr Fakri, have worked tirelessly over the past two years to update and refresh our library collection. This has included removing old or damaged titles and ordering a wide range of new books from Australia, many of which have been shortlisted by the Children's Book Council of Australia.

We have also been steadily expanding our Mother Tongue Language Collection, which currently includes books from Korea, Germany, China, Japan, India, France and Spain.

As many families will be travelling over the Christmas/Summer holidays, we invite you to consider purchasing books from your home country to donate to our Mother Tongue section. Families travelling to English-speaking countries are also welcome to purchase books to donate to the AIS Library when you return in January. We are also happy to accept any second hand books from your home that are still in good condition.

All donated books will include a library plate inside the front cover acknowledging the students who donated them.



### AIS Parent Survey

Thank you to the parents who have completed the AIS Parent Survey. If you haven't yet completed the survey, please follow [this link](#). It will remain open until Friday 28 November.

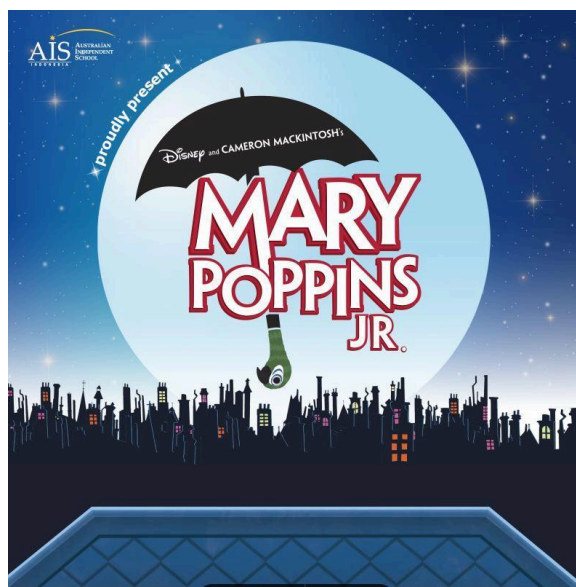
### Jungle Toppings Lunch Orders

Please [click here](#) to order your child's lunch for next week, Monday 17th - Friday 21st November.

If your child is absent on a given day, please email [cancel-canteen@ais-indonesia.com](mailto:cancel-canteen@ais-indonesia.com) before 9am to cancel your orders. A credit will be noted and may be used against future orders.

### Mary Poppins

Please [click here](#) to access our Mary Poppins Jr video. Please do not share this video outside of the AIS School Community or on any social media platforms. I hope that all of our students and parents enjoy watching the video



## Glitz Productions Presents 'Dreamgirls The Musical'



Glitz is bringing a new relaxed and immersive theatre experience to Jakarta. Experience a professionally produced show while enjoying drinks and some finger food. *Dreamgirls* tells the dazzling story of ambition, fame, and dreams and is coming to life at Glitz Inclusive, Kuningan City, P3 Water Lobby.

Glitz is a socially inclusive business that intentionally hires staff with disabilities and hearing challenges, creating opportunities for everyone to contribute to the performing arts community.

**Show Dates:** 27 November – 7 December 2025

**Showtimes:** 1:00 PM & 6:30 PM

Get tickets now: [here](#)

More info: [@glitzprods on Instagram](#)

Limited tables — secure your spot now.

Need more info or promos? DM them on Instagram.

## Upcoming Events

Week 7	
Monday 17th - Friday 21st November	Y7 - 10 Assessment Week Yr 12 TKA-Test Kemampuan Akademik
Tuesday 18th November	Primary Swimming Carnival
Thursday 20th November	Preschool Excursion to Pizza Hut
Friday 21st November	0805. PS Assembly Yr 12 Graduation
Week 8	
Wednesday 26 - Saturday 29th November	AISA Games @ AIS Hong Kong
Thursday 27th November	0910. HS Assembly
Friday 28th November	0805. PS Assembly
Saturday 29th November	PnF Christmas Bazaar
Week 9	
Tuesday 2nd December	Parent Morning Tea to meet Dean Cummins IB Diploma Core Fair
Friday 5th December	Y6 Graduation
Week 10	
Monday 8th December	Parent & Student Thank You Morning Tea Y6 - 7 Transition Day 1800. Instrumental Lessons Recital
Tuesday 9th December	PS Ball Sports Day
Wednesday 10th December	HS Ball Sports Day
Thursday 11th December	1145. End of Year Assembly 1230. Student Dismissal
Friday 12th December	Teacher Planning Day
<b>Friday 12th December to 26th January 2026 School Holidays</b>	

Monday 26 January 2026	New Student Orientation
Tuesday 27th January 2026	First day for all students

PS = Primary School. HS = High School

## 2025 AIS Jakarta Calendar

Please [click here](#) to access a pdf version of the 2025 AIS Jakarta School Calendar


## 2026 AIS Jakarta Calendar

Please [click here](#) to access a pdf version of the 2026 AIS Jakarta School Calendar

**Craig Eldred**

**Principal**

**Seminar with Ren Wenas**



# INVITATION

## Seminar With Mr Ren Wenas

- **What to expect after High School for children with Learning Support needs**
- **A session for parents having a child with Special Needs**

Wen, an Indonesian, living and working in Australia is a Lecturer at the University of Victoria in Melbourne, Australia where he works in the Faculty of Teacher Education. His area of expertise is Inclusive practices and Inclusive support and he has delivered many seminars in this area in Indonesia and in Australia. There will be an opportunity to ask questions.

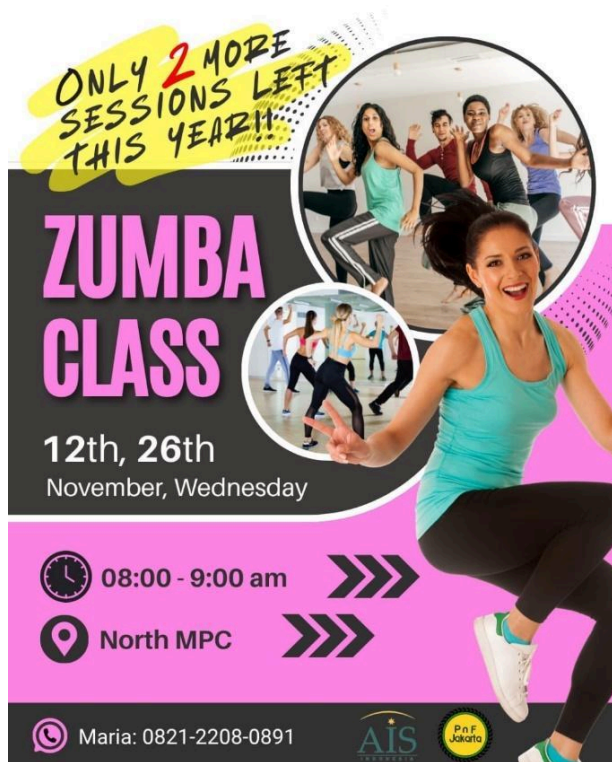
**WHEN:**  
**Monday, November 17th at 8.30am**

**WHERE:**  
**AIS Jakarta Campus - Staff Room**

**REGISTER NOW!**

**Mr. Brenton**

**PnF Newsletter**



For any questions email us at [jakarta.pnf@ais-indonesia.com](mailto:jakarta.pnf@ais-indonesia.com)

**PnF**

## PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS

It's been another busy and exciting week here at AIS!

Our Foundation students enjoyed a wonderful day at Taman Mini, exploring and learning in such an engaging environment. We also had a very successful PnF Cake Stall, as always, your generosity (and baking skills!) help make these events such a treat for our community.

This morning, Year 5 EAL led a great assembly, showcasing their learning with confidence and enthusiasm. Well done to all the students and teachers involved.

Looking ahead, next week is shaping up to be just as full. We have our Primary Swim Carnival, which is always a highlight of the term, and Preschool students are heading off to Pizza Hut for a fun and interactive excursion.

It's hard to believe we are already only four weeks away from the end of term, but there is still plenty happening. Please also remember that the Christmas Bazaar, organised by our amazing PnF, will take place on Saturday, 29 November. Be sure to get your tickets early!

Wishing all our families a wonderful weekend.

**Sinead Smith**  
Deputy Principal

### Year 4EAL

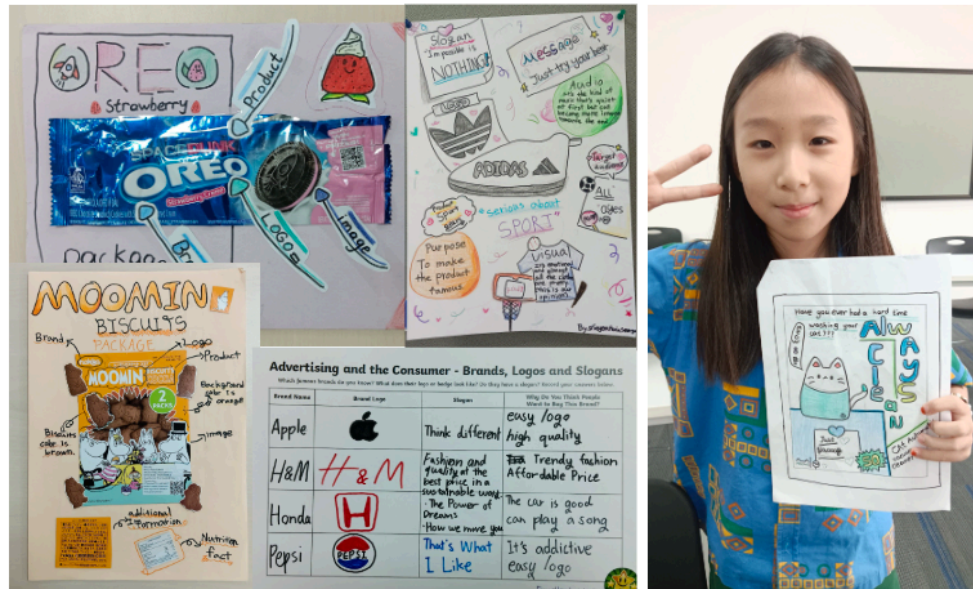
The Year 4 EAL students have had a dynamic and enjoyable term, demonstrating active participation in all English activities. They've covered spelling, grammar, speaking, listening, reading, and writing through fun and engaging methods. The students particularly loved their role-play, English games, and quizzes. Alongside these favorites, they are currently maintaining a strong academic focus as they work on their core unit on Persuasive Text.



Throughout this unit, students engaged with a diverse range of persuasive texts. They explored and analysed everything from billboard and TV advertisements to still images, food packaging, and persuasive letters. Applying this knowledge, they actively identified key elements such as brand, logo, slogan, color and image, and shared their findings in oral presentations. A popular activity involved students bringing in their favorite snack packages to analyse and explain how every element worked together to persuade a young consumer to try the product.



After an in-depth study of persuasive advertisements, all the EAL students began their practical application project. They are currently planning and drafting an original product and designing a still-image ad to promote it. The final stage involves proofreading their drafts before using the digital design platform, Canva, to publish their final advertisements.



Excellent work, everyone!

**Ms. Deasy**

### Merit Certificate

Class		Teacher
Preschool 3/4L	Dogyeong	Ms Linda
Preschool 3/4T	Penelope	Ms Tia
Foundation E	Dayoung	Ms Elizabeth
Foundation E	Hadar	Ms Elizabeth
Foundation E	Rumi	Ms Nada
Foundation J	Kayla	Ms Joan
Foundation J	Jenny	Ms Joan
Year 1E	Gahyeon	Ms Ellis
Year 1E	Alfonso	Ms Ellis
Year 1E	Mio	Mr Jon
Year 1E	Matthew	Ms Nada
Year 1S	Noah	Ms Sehrish
Year 1S	Charlotte	Mr Miftah
Year 2J	Aaron	Ms Jordan
Year 2J	Mikhayla	Mr Yohan
Year 2K	Eunji	Ms Karlina
Year 3A	Michelle	Ms Aditi
Year 3A	Chloe	Mr Jon
Year 3A	Dain	Mr Yohan
Year 3A	Lyla	Mr Miftah
Year 3A	Elora	Mr Johnfischer
Year 3LM	Jaxx	Ms Lorraine
Year 3LM	Imogen	Ms Mo
Year 3LM	Kalia	Ms Mo
Year 4C	Yulchan	Mr Cosi
Year 4C	Seyeon	Ms Michelle
Year 4K	Patar	Mr Kessell
Year 4K	Gaon	Ms Deasy D.

Year 5D	Dzaki	Mr David
Year 5D	Sarima	Mr David
Year 5D	Clara	Mr Johnfischer
Year 5F	Kieran	Mr Dan
Year 5F	Yunso	Mr Jon
Year 5F	Myungjoon	Ms Michelle
Year 5F	Hadi	Mr Miftah
Year 5F	Chris	Mr Johnfischer
Year 6K	Nailah	Ms Kourtney
Year 6K	Aisyah	Ms Nada
Year 6S	Sara	Ms Susan
Year 6S	Durrah	Ms Susan

## HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

### Welcome to High School News

Congratulations to all of the students and staff involved in our excellent Arts Night on Tuesday. It was lovely to see so many students stepping out of their comfort zone to perform on stage, and for their films and Art to have a public viewing. In addition, we managed to raise a significant amount of money for the Orphanage to allow them to buy groceries and supplies.

Next week is our assessment week. Assessments will take place as follows:

<b>Monday 17th November</b>	
Periods 3 & 4	Year 7 English Year 9 Humanities Year 10 Indonesian, Japanese and Korean Year 11 Biology, Physics and General Science
Periods 5 & 6	Year 8 English Year 11 Indonesian, Japanese and Korean
<b>Tuesday 18th November</b>	
Periods 1 & 2	Year 11 English A, English B and General English
Periods 3 & 4	Year 7 Maths Year 8 Indonesian Year 9 Indonesian Year 10 English Year 11 Chemistry and Economics
<b>Wednesday 19th November</b>	
Periods 3 & 4	Year 8 Humanities Year 9 Science Year 10 Maths Year 11 ESS
Periods 5 & 6	Year 7 Science
<b>Thursday 20th November</b>	
Periods 3 & 4	Year 8 Maths Year 9 English Year 10 Humanities

Periods 5 & 6	Year 7 Indonesian Year 11 Business Management and History
<b>Friday 21st November</b>	
Periods 1 & 2	Year 8 Science Year 11 Maths AA, Maths AI and General Maths
Periods 3 & 4	Year 7 Humanities Year 9 Maths Year 10 Science

Please ensure that students are on time for the assessments at the beginning of the school day and remain in school throughout the school day. You can help your child to prepare for these assessments by supporting them with their study, giving them a quiet place to work, giving them time to revise and making sure that they continue to eat healthily, to sleep properly and to exercise as they would do normally. Research indicates that children in High School should be getting between 8 and 12 hours of sleep a night and this can best be supported by ensuring that mobile phones, tablets and other devices are removed from their rooms at night and for the hour before they sleep.

Next week we will be saying our formal goodbyes to Year 12, with their final assembly on Thursday and the Graduation ceremony on Friday. You are very welcome to join us for the final assembly.

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

### **Year 12 - The 2025 Graduates!**

It has been a very busy few weeks for Year 12 students as they complete their IB and AIS exams. Next week it will be finally time to celebrate their achievements in two upcoming events



#### **Year 12 Final Assembly**

**When: Thursday 20 November**

**Time: 9.00am-10.00am**

**All high school students and parents are welcome to attend.**

#### **Year 12 Graduation Ceremony**

**When: Friday 21 November**

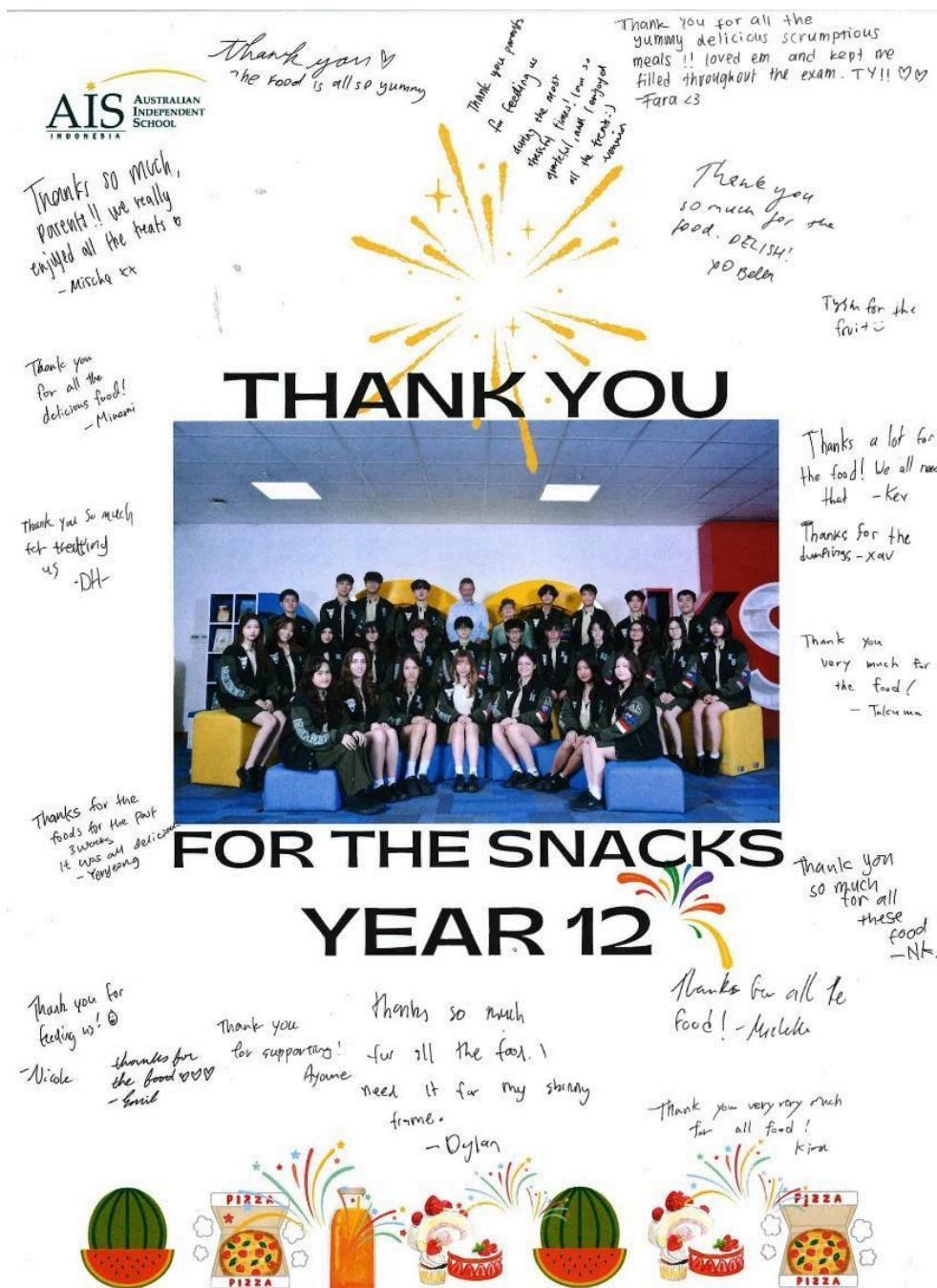
**Students will celebrate this special event with their families at the Mid Ayana Plaza Hotel on Friday 21 November.**

**We wish all Year 12 students a joyful week of celebration next week!**



**Ms. Mary**

**Snacks for the Year 12 Exams - Thank you!**



Over the past three weeks, Year 12 students have been writing their final IB Diploma and AIS School Based exams, a very stressful time indeed.

To help support them, parents, school staff and community groups have provided snacks for them every day. This has been a huge hit, and extremely appreciated by the students.

Thank you to all families and groups that have contributed!

**Mr. Dave**

### Wellbeing @ AIS

As a response to requests from parents to re-establish parent sessions, I will be delivering a presentation on:

### Smart Parenting in a Digital World: Navigating Social Media with your Teen and Tween

Come along and equip yourself with an understanding of social media platforms that your teen or tween could be using. We will look at the risks and challenges associated with early social media use and provide strategies and tools to support healthy, responsible digital habits.

**Monday 24th November**  
**8.15 am - 10.00 am**

Looking forward to seeing you there!

**Linzi Band**  
Wellbeing Co-ordinator

## ARTS NIGHT 2025



On behalf of the Art and Specialist Department, I'd like to give a big thank you to all the students, families, staff, and friends who came out to support **Arts Night 2025** on Tuesday evening. This year, we tried a few new things to make the event more enjoyable for everyone, and even though it took a lot of work behind the scenes, it was all worth it.

The **Visual Arts** display was bigger this year, showing student work from both semesters. Choosing and setting up the pieces was a challenge, yet it was great to see such a wide range of creativity on display. The **Year 7 "Wild Life"** animal sculptures added something **fresh and playful** to the back area of the exhibition. We also held our second **Art Auction**, featuring six artworks, four from Years 7–10 and two from our Year 11 and 12 students, which were auctioned off with great enthusiasm by **Mr. David Kessel**. All proceeds from the auction will support the Panti Asuhan Yos Sudarso orphanage, allowing students to extend their creativity into meaningful service beyond the classroom.

A new addition this year was the **art raffle**, where one lucky guest won a free artwork as a small way of saying thank you for the support.

The **Music** performances took on a new format this year, with fewer acts but more time for each performer to connect with the audience. Students performed a mix of genres and showed great confidence on stage. Their teamwork and stage presence reflected the dedication and guidance of **Mr. Anand**, who helped them prepare for weeks leading up to the event. The motion graphics and stage visuals created by **Mr. Rob** (Film teacher) added a professional concert feel, syncing perfectly with the music and creating an engaging atmosphere for the crowd.

The **Film** section was also sharp. Set within the main exhibition space, it featured three large panels filled with student-designed posters showcasing projects from both semesters. Next to it, a large screen played a rotation of short student films and creative video projects. This setup gave visitors a chance to pause, watch, and appreciate the variety of storytelling approaches students explored under **Mr. Rob's** guidance.

Overall, with all these elements coming together, this year's Arts Night truly lived up to its reputation as one of the most anticipated events of the year. With continued teamwork, communication, and creative thinking, events like this will keep growing and getting even better each time.

A special thank-you goes out to everyone who helped make it happen: **Ms. Devi, Ms. Michelle, Ms. Puji, Ms. Natasha, Ms. Selvia, Ms. Fiona, Ms. Grace, Bluebelle, Mina, Tahlia, our colleagues, PNF, and all supporters.**

Thank You,

**Mr. Tal**

Art/Specialist Dpt.

### Armistice Day Commemoration at the French School, Jakarta

On Tuesday, November 11, 2025, nine students from AIS Indonesia, accompanied by three teachers, attended the Commemoration Ceremony – Armistice of November 11, 1918 hosted by the French School in Jakarta. The program began at 9:00 a.m. with an assembly on the sports field, followed by an opening speech from the principal. A formal military commemoration and addresses by representatives from SEMA and the French Embassy highlighted the importance of remembrance and peace. Students also witnessed the presentation of "defense class" diplomas and the symbolic cornflower ceremony — a touching tribute to those who served during World War I.



After the official proceedings, students from the Australian, Japanese, and French schools took part in a friendly sports competition and orienteering race between 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. The event concluded with a shared meal for students and staff from all participating schools. The program was a great success — our students thoroughly enjoyed the experience, gaining both cultural understanding and new friendships. The AIS delegation returned to campus around 1:25 p.m., grateful for the opportunity to take part in such a meaningful international event.

**Mr. David Wilson**

### JAAC Fixtures

Date	Sport Fixtures	Venue
Saturday 11 October	Girls & Boys Volleyball vs STL & ACS	AIS
	Girls Football vs ACS & STL	AIS

	Boys Football vs ACS	AIS
Wednesday 15 October	Girls & Boys Junior Basketball vs STL	AIS
Saturday 1 November	Girls & Boys Volleyball	Tbd – requires qualifying
Saturday 8 November	Girls & Boys Football	Tbd – requires qualifying

## Careers and University Information

### Invitation to Berklee College of Music Information Session (Online)

As the world's leading institution for contemporary music education, Berklee College of Music is home to approximately 5,000 undergraduate students from over 110 countries, with international students making up 42% of our student body. Our mission is to cultivate creative innovators by using music as a powerful tool, equipping students with the skills needed to build sustainable careers in the music industry and beyond.

### Berklee College of Music Information Session (Online via Zoom)

**Date:** Monday, November 17

**Time:** 7:00 PM Jakarta / 8:00 PM Singapore / 9:00 PM Tokyo / 11:00 PM Sydney

**Event Registration Link:** [bit.ly/BIS2025Asia](https://bit.ly/BIS2025Asia)



**Berklee College of Music**

**Virtual Info Session: ASIA PACIFIC**

**Monday, November 17, 2025**  
 7:00 p.m. Bangkok |  
 8:00 p.m. Singapore |  
 9:00 p.m. Tokyo |  
 11:00 p.m. Sydney

**Registration Link:**  
[bit.ly/BIS2025Asia](https://bit.ly/BIS2025Asia)

**Join Quan Yao Lim, Assistant Director of Admissions from the world-renowned Berklee College of Music to learn about how Berklee's creative education helps students thrive in becoming leaders in the music industry and beyond.**

- Getting into Berklee: Auditions and Interviews
- Careers in Music
- Majors and Programs
- Scholarship Opportunities

**SCAN TO REGISTER:**

**Quan Yao Lim**  
 Assistant Director of Admissions  
[admissions@berklee.edu](mailto:admissions@berklee.edu)

### The Chinese University in Hong Kong (CUHK) Admission Caravan in Jakarta

CUHK is coming to Jakarta on 29 November 2025 (Saturday) for Admission Caravan!

Come meet our faculty professors and alumni to learn more about our 70+ undergraduate programmes, study, career development, and scholarship opportunities!

All are welcome. Places are allocated on a first-come-first-serve basis.

Sign up now: <https://admission.cuhk.edu.hk/news/cuhk-admission-caravan-jakarta-indonesia/>



**香港中文大學**  
 The Chinese University of Hong Kong

**Admission Caravan in Jakarta**

29 November 2025 (Saturday)  
 9:30am - 5:00pm (WIB)

**Jeremias Sampang, Jr.**  
**University and Careers Counsellor**

