



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, 7th February 2025

Chinese Lunar New Year Celebrations



Please [click here](#) to see a video of last week's Chinese Lunar New Year Celebration

Opening of New Building at AIS Bali

I was fortunate enough to be invited to attend the blessing and official opening of the new building at AIS Bali this week. The new building is the first of two that will be opened this semester to support further student growth and increased subject offerings at the other AIS campus.



Staying Healthy in Jakarta

Dr Steven Graaf and his team from Good Practice will be attending AIS on Tuesday 11th February from 0815 in the staffroom to share information about Keeping Healthy in Jakarta which will be of great benefit to our new parents and teachers



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Staying Healthy in Jakarta

Information Session

Open to the new teachers and parents.
Speaker: Dr Steven Graaff from Good Practice

DATE & TIME

- Tuesday, 11 February
- at 08:15 AM
- at AIS Jakarta Campus Staffroom

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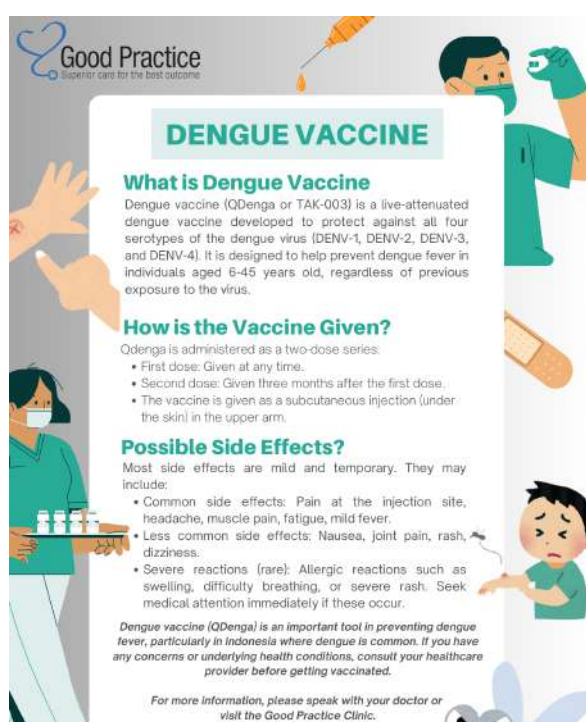
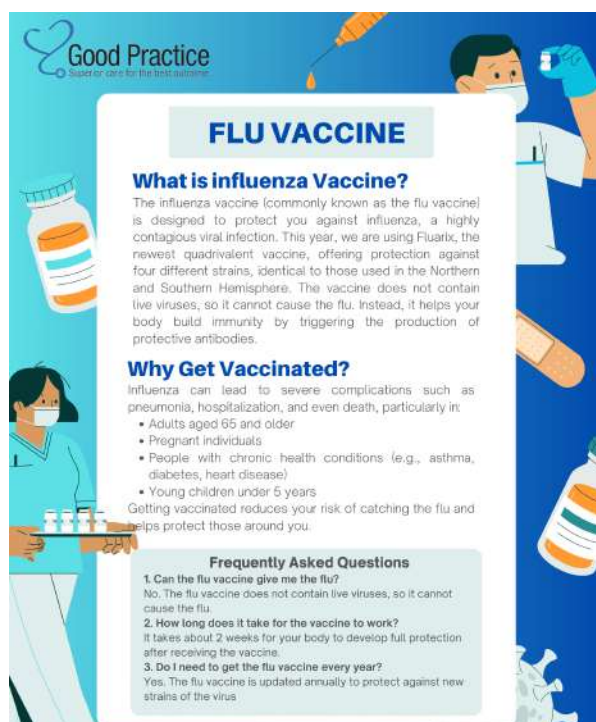
Flu & Dengue Vaccinations

Good Practice is also offering flu and dengue vaccinations. Further information on these can be found on the flyers below or the pdf files attached to the Jakarta Bytes email. If you would like to register for either or both of these vaccinations, please [follow this link](#). Consent forms will be provided and this price includes meeting with the doctor. Payment can be made on the spot by card.

Flu vaccination. 375,000 IDR

Dengue vaccination 750,000 IDR

Price for both 1,000,000 IDR



PnF Meeting & AGM

Our Parents and Friends (PnF) Association will hold their first meeting at 8:00am on Thursday 20th February. This will be a chance for our new and returning parents to receive updates from our PnF Executive and Principal. We will also explain the process for voting for our PnF Annual General Meeting (AGM) which will take place on Thursday 13th March

Canteen Ordering

Please follow [this link](#) for 2025 Term 1 Week 3 (10 Feb - 14 Feb) lunch orders from Jungle Toppings

Healthy Lunch Boxes

I have been discussing school lunches with a number of parents over the past few weeks and thought I would share a few resources from the Cancer Council of Australia, their [Healthy Lunch Boxes](#) website resource. This great resource has a range of lunch box ideas including healthy recipes.

I've also been looking at other great lunch box tips from the [Taste website](#).



Upcoming Dates

Week 3	
Tuesday 11th February	0815. Staying Healthy in Jakarta w Dr Steven for new staff & parents Flu & Dengue Vaccinations (optional) w Good Practice staff
Friday 14th February	0810. PS Assembly
Week 4	
Friday 28th February	0810. PS Assembly 0810. Parents & Friends (PnF) Meeting (TBC)

Friday 21st February	0810. PS Assembly
Week 5	
Friday 28th February	0810. PS Assembly
Saturday 1st March	Expected start of Ramadan
Week 6	
Thursday 6th March	0910. HS Assembly
Friday 7th March	0810. PS Assembly
Week 7	
Tuesday 11th March	Campus Advisory Council (CAC) Meeting (TBC) 0810. PnF Annual General Meeting
Thursday 13th March	0810. PnF Annual General Meeting
Friday 14th March	0810. PS Assembly
Week 8	
Monday 17th March	Three Way Conferences (3WCs)
Wednesday 19th March	Open House
Thursday 20th March	0910. HS Assembly
Friday 21st March	0810. PS Assembly
Week 9	
Mon 24 - Wed 26th March	NAPLAN Assessments (TBC)
Friday 28th March	0810. PS Assembly Last day of Term 1

PS = Primary School. HS = High School

TBC = To be confirmed

2025 AIS Jakarta Calendar

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

Craig Eldred
Principal

PnF Newsletter

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

PnF

PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS

Exciting Beginnings and Warm Welcomes This Term at AIS

Welcome back to all our students and families for what promises to be another vibrant term at AIS! As we kick off the new term, we are thrilled to welcome several new students to our community. Their arrival brings fresh energy and perspectives, and we are excited to see the contributions they will make.

We are also delighted to introduce two new dynamic primary teachers who have already hit the ground running. Their enthusiasm and dedication are evident, and they are eager to make a positive impact in their classrooms. Welcome to Mr Dan and Ms Jordan!

Yesterday, we hosted our 'Meet the Teacher' event, providing an excellent opportunity for parents to connect with teachers and discuss expectations and goals for the term ahead. Events like these are crucial in strengthening our school community and ensuring a collaborative approach to education.

Today featured a fabulous assembly led by Year 5, where students shared engaging stories about their holiday adventures as well as a wonderful team-building performance about a man named Jo! The assembly was a wonderful way to catch up on all the exciting experiences our students had during the break.

And lastly, the moment everyone has been eagerly anticipating—the big musical reveal for this year! We are excited to announce that this year's production will be none other than Mary Poppins Jr. This promises to be a spectacular show, showcasing the talents of our students in what is sure to be a memorable performance.

Thank you to everyone for such a positive start to the term. Let's keep up the great energy and make this term one of the best yet at AIS!

Ms. Sinead Smith
Deputy Principal Primary

Preschool 3/4

Hello from P3/4!

Our first and second week in Preschool went smoothly. All students enjoyed exploring all of the new corners in our class, as well as building friendship with one another. There are 9 students in Ms Tia's class and 10 students in Ms Linda's class in the beginning of this school year. We are getting ready for a year filled with exciting adventures.

Play is the way we learn. In Preschool, we believe in the power of play to ignite curiosity and foster a love of learning. We have Learning Centre Time, Playground Time, Story Time, Perceptual Motor Programme (PMP) by our Occupational Therapist and we also go to different specialist classes, which are Art, Bahasa Indonesia, Music, PE and Art. The Library Time once a week encourage the students to have a meaningful reading. This is not to mention singing and dancing in every transition routine during the day. We enjoy the diversity in our classroom as we have friends from different nationalities and we learn a lot about the similarities and differences among us.

Preschool 3/4



This week, we were getting more familiar with our class routines and rules. We learned how to share toys, takes turns when playing and talking as well as listening to our friends and teachers. We cannot wait to experience more in the days ahead, with plans for Messy Day, a Cooking Project and a Guest Visit.

Ms. Tia and Ms. Linda

Merit Certificate

Class	Teacher
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Preschool 3/4L	Aurelia	Ms Linda
Preschool 3/4T	Oscar	Ms Tia
Foundation E	Rumi	Ms Elizabeth
Foundation E	Layla	Ms Elizabeth
Foundation J	Jenny	Ms Joan
Foundation J	Zachary	Ms Joan
Year 1E	Dam Lee	Ms Ellis
Year 1E	Matthew	Ms Ellis
Year 1E	Adam	Mr Yohan
Year 1S	Noah	Ms Sehrish
Year 1S	Finlay	Ms Sehrish
Year 2J	Daniel	Ms Jordan
Year 2K	Alex	Ms Karlina
Year 2K	Seoyeon (Sophia)	Ms Tetty
Year 3A	Yui	Ms Aditi
Year 3LM	Nadine	Ms Mo
Year 4C	Luke W	Mr Cosi
Year 4C	Anais	Ms Nada
Year 4K	Rosie	Mr Kessell
Year 4K	Eric	Mr Kessell
Year 5D	Samantha	Mr David
Year 5F	Hadi	Mr Dan
Year 6J	Madison	Ms Jeandri
Year 6J	Bianca	Mr Yohan
Year 6J	Kanaiya	Ms Nada
Year 6S	Baylenesh	Ms Susan

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

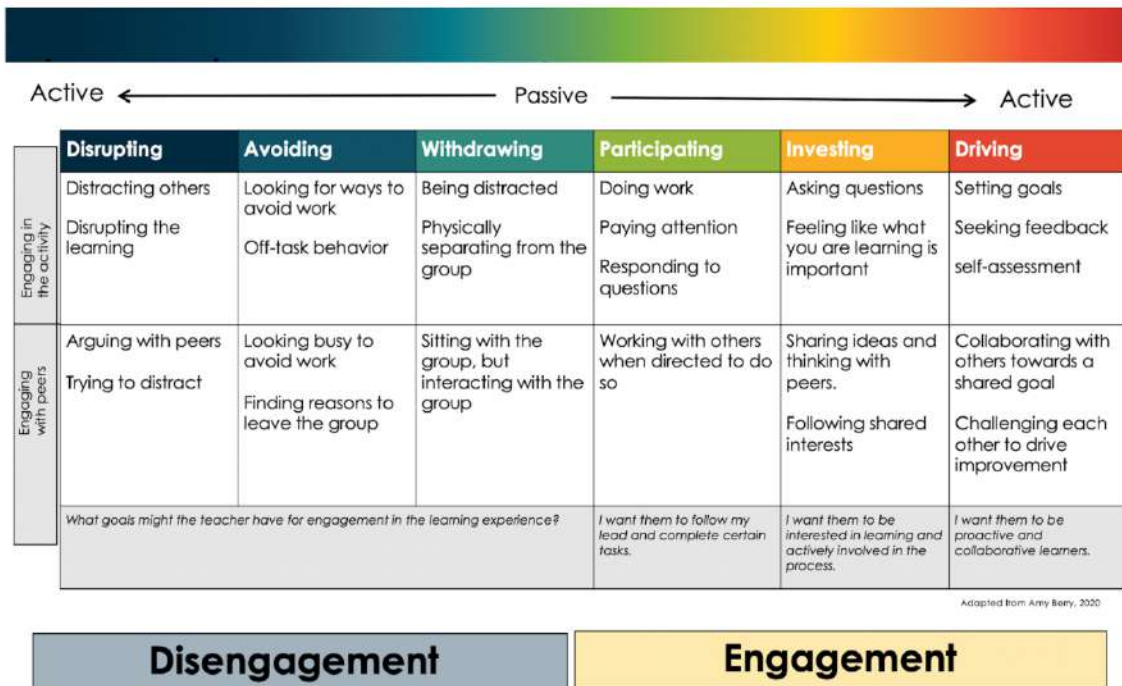
Welcome to High School News

I have enjoyed seeing all of our students and staff back in school and it has been lovely to welcome so many new families to our community. Our students have settled quickly into the High School and the routine of school life has gotten underway quickly.

We have been a smaller school this week as Year 11 have been visiting Cikananga for their Year 11 Orientation with Mr Dave, our new IBDP Coordinator, Mr Lachlan, Mr Hector, Ms Sri and Ms Dwi. The students have been working with the rescued and endangered animals and learning more about the expectations of the Senior School. Many thanks to the teachers and staff who have given up their time to organise the trip and take the students. We're looking forward to welcoming them back to Jakarta after school today.

Our first High School assembly took place this week. We discussed the importance of being engaged in class, sharing this guide to reflecting on your level of engagement with the students:

What's my level of engagement?



High School students are encouraged to reflect on their approach to learning and behaviour in classes and to recognise when they are engaged so that they can moderate their approach.

During this week, students in Years 7 to 10 have taken the ACER PAT tests in Reading, Maths and Science. Staff will now have time to analyse the results of these baseline tests so that we can review our teaching to best support the progress of the students.

Our SRC has started the year with the enthusiasm that we have grown to expect of them and will be organising a Valentine's Day delivery for the students next week. I'd like to take this opportunity to invite you to the first SRC assembly of the year on Thursday 20th February.

Careers & University Information

Visit from Downing College, University of Cambridge

We are thrilled to announce that a representative from Downing College, University of Cambridge, will be visiting our school on Wednesday, February 12, 2025, from 2:00 to 3:00 PM. This visit will provide an excellent opportunity for our Year 11 and Year 12 students to learn more about one of the world's most prestigious universities.

The session will include an informative presentation about the programs, opportunities, and life at Downing College, followed by a question and answer where students can ask specific questions they may have regarding admissions, student life, scholarships, and more.

We encourage students to come prepared with any questions they may have about the application process or the life of a student at a world-renowned institution like Cambridge.

Should you have any questions about the event, please feel free to contact our University & Careers Counsellor at jeremias.sampang@ais-indonesia.com.

Mr. Jeremias Sampang

University & Careers Counsellor

