

Dear Parents,

Welcome to issue 12 of the NAS Jakarta Newsletter 2020-21.

Also, welcome to a new term of learning at NAS Jakarta and to the final term of this academic year. I hope your children have settled back into school routines but that you all continue to feel refreshed from the spring break holiday.

Inevitably, thoughts are beginning to turn to next academic year now and so this week we have begun to offer campus visits to families who are interested in enrolling their child(ren) at our school. Up until now our Admissions Officer, Ms Pinky, has been delivering virtual tours and meetings so it was with great pleasure that both Pinky and I welcomed some new families to NAS in person this week.

In this newsletter you can read about the talented staff and children at NAS and also how our children have been demonstrating the caring element of our Learner Profile as part of Nord Anglia Education's support for the children of the British School of Yangon.

Finally, please be reminded that if your children are participating in our swimming programme (Monday – Wednesday afternoon lessons), football coaching (Sunday mornings) or outdoor play sessions (Thursday afternoons and Saturday mornings), all adults and children must wear masks. We know this is challenging with young children, but it is mandatory so we must all try our very best to help the children to keep their masks on. Thank you!

Rosy Clark
Principal

What's New!

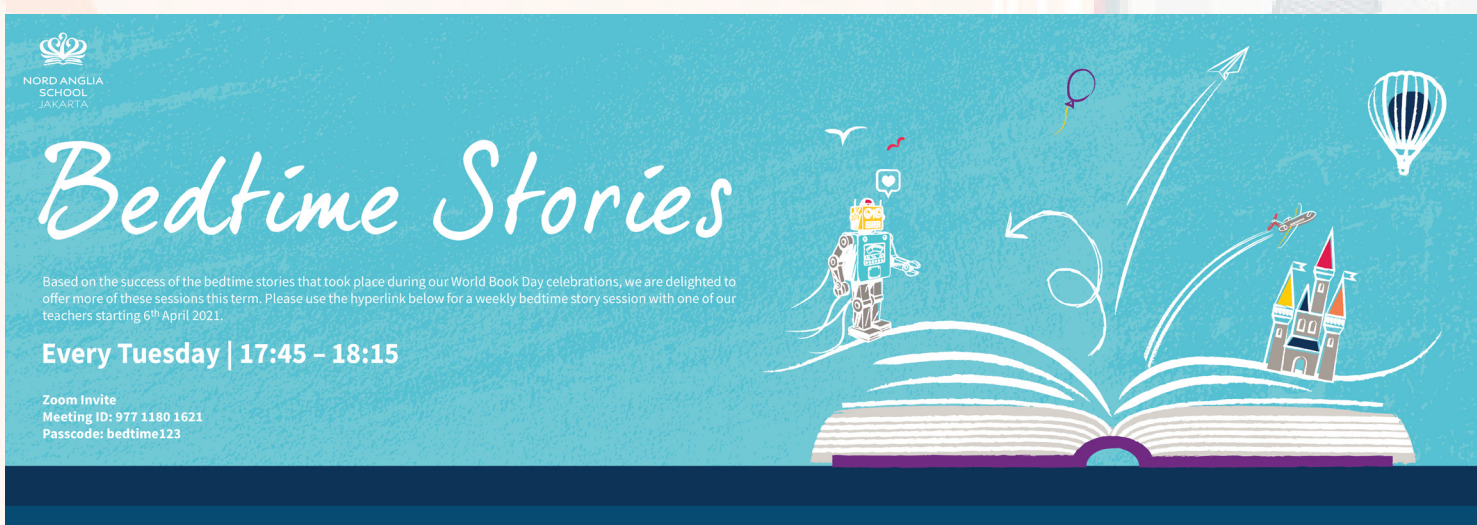



Many of you have visited the campus for outdoor play sessions, football coaching or swimming lessons so will have used our smart handwashing area next to the school lobby.

Alongside this area, we also have a newly paved parking area for bikes, complete with bicycle racks for both child and adult sized bicycles. Both areas have been designed and built by our NAS support staff – they have even made the bicycle racks themselves!

We are very lucky to have such a talented team at NAS as we have been able to use their skills to enhance the school's facilities during the closure of the campus.

Bedtime Stories at NAS




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Bedtime Stories

Based on the success of the bedtime stories that took place during our World Book Day celebrations, we are delighted to offer more of these sessions this term. Please use the hyperlink below for a weekly bedtime story session with one of our teachers starting 6th April 2021.

Every Tuesday | 17:45 – 18:15

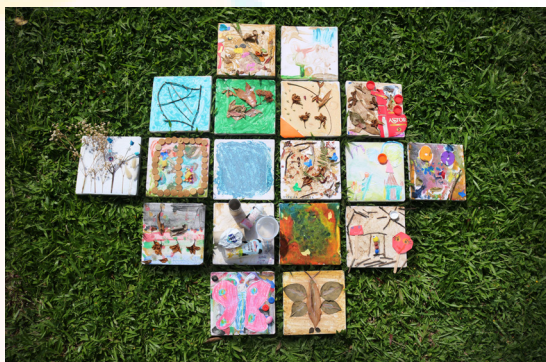
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Virtual School Experience Focus

2020-21 Visual Arts Competition

In February, we invited your children to participate in Nord Anglia Education's annual Visual Arts Competition. The theme this year is 'Climate Change' and children could use any medium they liked to illustrate their thinking about this.

Ms Esther has been working with the Early Years children and together they have produced this fantastic mural:



A child's perspective on global warming

Through this collaborative artwork the Early Years children were trying to find a solution to climate change. They visualised the challenges of a warming planet and discovered opportunities to overcome them through innovation and resilience. For example, the background paint is made up of natural materials: flour, salt, and spices.

Ms Sophie, assisted by Ms Lou, has led a programme of art sessions on Thursday afternoons to help the Primary Years children develop their skills in preparation for a final piece of artwork to submit to the competition.

Below are some of the beautiful pieces our children have made. Congratulations to all our children who have taken part in this competition!



Priyanka Jackson - Year 4



Juyeong Lee - Year 6



Sadie Hose - Year 2



Samara Agrawal - Foundation 2

A Look at Learning

NAS Learner Profile

During Tuesday's Primary Years' assembly, we focus on the school's Learner Profile. This helps to deepen the children's understanding of the keywords contained within the profile and provides concrete examples of each learner characteristic.

Recently, we have responded to the appeal by Nord Anglia Education to show our support for the children at the British School of Yangon (BSY) as they try to learn during the most challenging of circumstances. This is one way our children have learned what it is to be **caring**.



Across the NAE family of schools, teachers have posted pictures and messages for BSY and here is what our Y6/7 class sent to encourage their peers to persevere. Please click the image below to watch the video.



Diary Dates

Bedtime stories on Tuesdays at 17:45 – 18:15 on:

13th April 2021

20th April 2021

27th April 2021

4th May 2021

