

In order for us to contact you quickly and easily, your child needs to have an **Emergency Contact Form** completed by his/her parent/guardian and kept on file in the school office. Please keep this information updated throughout the year.

[Student Emergency Contact Form](#)

Dear Parents,

## Welcome to issue 9 of the NAS Jakarta Newsletter 2021-22



The health, safety and wellbeing of your children is of the utmost importance to us here at NAS. Since the students have returned to face-to-face

learning, we have been carrying out emergency drills with them. For some children this may be the first time they have ever carried out an emergency evacuation drill, whilst for others it will be 18 months since their last experience of this. Some information about this week's earthquake drill is included in this newsletter for you.

Engagement is key for successful learning, so this newsletter also includes a few examples of how our teachers ensure that their students are enjoying and fully participating in their learning.

Finally, I have included some reminders about the events taking place next week for the end of term.

Wishing you a healthy and restful weekend before the last week of term!

Kind regards,

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**Rosy Clark**

Principal

## What's New!

### Emergency drills



Having already rehearsed the procedure for evacuation in case of fire with all students this term, this week we practised the procedure in case of an earthquake with all of our Primary Years classes. (We will include the Early Years children in a second drill after the school holidays).

There is a significant risk of an earthquake in Jakarta, so it is important that the children as well as the staff are familiar with the procedure to follow.

We follow the "Stop Drop Cover" procedure at the first indication of an earthquake followed by an evacuation of the building as soon as possible.

The children have shown themselves to be sensible and responsive, with excellent listening skills so we are delighted with the way they have met our expectations during these rehearsals in case of emergencies.

## A Look at Learning

### Learning is fun at NAS!

#### Self portraits in Foundation 2 Owa Class

The F2 Owa Class have been drawing self portraits titled "This is Me." We have been learning similarities and differences between us and others and celebrating our uniqueness. The Owa's did a tremendous job of representing themselves on paper, paying close attention to some of the features that make them...them.





## Y4's Skeleton Hunt



gather all the bones and put them together to find three whole human skeletons! We're lucky to have such amazing human body experts at NAS Jakarta!



Year 4 became detectives for the morning when they heard a rumour that some bones had been found around campus. They worked in teams to

## What is STEAM?



Uploaded to our website this week is a new article from Mr Alf about STEAM learning at NAS featuring photos and a brief overview of the learning recently carried out as well as explanations about what exactly STEAM learning means. [link to blog](#).

## Diary Dates

### Reminders for the final week of Term 1

#### Thursday 16th December

- 1. Festive assembly** Parents are welcome to join us via Zoom for our final assembly of the term at 11:15 on Thursday. This will end outdoors with all classes singing (with their masks on) a couple of festive songs. You are welcome to join in online from home!
- 2. NAS Festive Virtual Disco** at 17:45 – 18:15

**Friday 17th December** is a non-uniform morning for festive parties. No food/drink to be shared.

**Term 1 ends at 12:00 on Friday 17th December.**

