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PRINCIPAL'S ARTICLE

Dear all,

Welcome to the new academic year!

This academic year, our foci will be on community building, improvement in the quality of PIAGET education experience and nurturing good sons and daughters through mentorship.

In preparation for this academic year, we had done extensive work to repair and maintain the swimming pool. The school interior had a fresh look with new interior colours for the classroom block. The Reading Corner had major renovation done and is ready to welcome our readers and users.

The school by week 3, will be mask free. However, anyone who chooses to continue to wear the mask is encouraged to do so. Hand sanitisation and washing will continue as the first line of defence for hygiene and safety.

Community Building

As PIAGET, we embrace the importance of the community in the education of the whole person. Education is not the sole responsibility of schools, but a collaboration with parents and other stakeholders to nurture and grow every child.

With a slight deviation from previous years, this year kicked off with meeting sessions with parents by management and mentors. We saw a substantial number of parents turning up for the sessions and their active participation in the briefing as well as the class meetings.

For the students, we had the Kick-start event with many team bonding games as well as class discussions to ease everyone back to school. It is important for us to recognise that sacrificing the day to bond the lasting bond and friendship for the year surpasses the good of jump-starting the year by going straight into academics.

The fraternity's leadership renewal saw the appointment of new colleagues to the position and a realignment of the role of Dean for Academics to Dean for Curriculum. The obvious difference is the oversight on all matters related to learning for all our young PIAGETians and overseeing the rigour and meaningfulness of assessment. Ms Hannia will oversee the Secondary and Junior College divisions while Mr Jorge Alcantara will oversee specifically the Primary Division. Ms Aileen on the other hand, will oversees our V2 effort from Years 7 to 12.







PRINCIPAL'S ARTICLE

The middle managers' renewal came in the appointment of new subject specialists for numerous departments and also Ms Martha standing in as the Acting Subject Specialist for Religion Studies. We look forward to their drive to level up their departments and colleagues.

At the Board level, the PIAGET Board of Governors welcomed two new members, namely Dr Lim Lai Cheng and Mr Oliver Yiu. Mr Tan Yap Kwang, a long-serving member is officially retired from service.

Enhancing the quality of PIAGET Education Experience

Last year was our first foray into face-to-face learning and activities for the school. This academic year, we will be expecting a full resumption of face-to-face activities as Indonesia moves towards greater normalcy.

We will be expecting the resumption of all milestone programmes and activities. Overseas travel for the programmes will resume and Year 12 students who have missed out on key milestone programmes, such as the Meaning and Purpose Milestone programme in Bhutan may apply to join the programme. Planning is underway for the signature 25-days Coming of Age Milestone in China and we look forward to the strong support of our Year 8 students and parents to proceed with it.

School immersion in Singapore will resume. In addition to the usual primary division's iPSLE class/school immersion, we will continue with the school immersion in Tanjong Katong Secondary School for our lower secondary students. Several schools will be visiting our school this academic year to discuss immersion in our school and we hope our collaboration with them will further enhance the learning network for our students and staff.

V2 will be extended up till Year 10 this year and Ms Aileen has kick-start the whitespace with a quick run through of V2 in AY 2023/2024. More cooperative learning strategies will be deployed in the classes and the habits of mind will continue to form the anchor for habits and character formation amongst the students.

We are excited to collaborate with Quest 4 Excellence (Q4 Excellence) on 19 July 2023 for our Years 5 to 8 students who signed up to join the STEM and Space activity. Students will be taught block coding and do a simple project which will be sent into orbit via the International Space Station (ISS) to test their program in outer space. It is a first for our school and Indonesia to participate and work with the ISS. Negotiation with Mr Danny Kim, the CEO Q4 Excellence, for a long-term collaboration is underway.







PRINCIPAL'S ARTICLE

Nurturing Good Sons and Daughters through Mentorship

A key point shared with the students in my opening remarks for the school year is for them to embrace a disciplined mind for learning. To get the most out of our daily learning, we need to come to school with a disciplined mind for learning and have a high standard for discipline to add value to the students' overall personal learning. Students need to come to school with their learning tools and minimise the use and distractions of devices and social media.

Parents need to work with us to enforce a sense of responsibility and discipline for the children. When children forget their homework or books for the day, or their lunch or snacks for their breaks, we should all give them the opportunity to learn from their mistakes and not be fast to jump into rushing their stuff to school. By doing it, we are assuming their responsibilities and the learned behaviour of the children is not to be more responsible, but to be assured that someone else has them covered. It is fine for them to learn from mistakes and failures. The school is a safe environment for this and together, we can grow their sense of responsibility and into good sons and daughters.

In the effort to augment mentoring for all students, this year, all GROW lessons will be facilitated by the respective mentors and supported by the GROW team. GROW session booklets for Years 7 to 10 have been produced to support and structure the learning for the students. Mentoring is an ongoing process, and leveraging the opportunity for mentors to reach out to the students will afford them the understanding to better cater to the needs and learning of the individual students. We will look forward to the establishment of relationships between mentors and students to allow the holistic growth and the care for the well-being of every child.

We look forward to an awesome year, and it can only be possible if and only if everyone, parents/guardians, students and staff work together.

Stay safe and healthy.

Mr Ang Hwee Khoon

Principal







TEE-OFF ACTIVITIES: WELCOMING ALL PARENTS, GUARDIANS, AND STUDENTS ON A HIGH NOTE

The new school year started off differently but meaningfully and with fun. The first two days of Week 1 of Term 1 were devoted to getting everyone in the right mentality while setting the norm and tone of the new school year.

The first day was meant for our parents and teachers to have their first meeting and talk about issues pertaining to their child's/children's learning. The first day was dubbed as "Meet and Greet with Parents." This event served as the first touch point with the mentors and parents to forge a year-long partnership in educating your children. During the interactions with parents, teachers shared information regarding classroom expectations, rules and policies, mode of assessments, and other pertinent matters. It was also emphasised how the school will partner with parents in taking care of their children's well-being as well as giving them an idea of the various platforms for mentoring and character development.





The second day was dedicated to the students. It was planned in such a way that while essential information such as school policies and the code of conduct for students were tackled, it was not devoid of fun. The latter part of the students' first reporting day was spent participating in various team-building games and fun activities. Students also met their mentors to be oriented with various classroom expectations and to have a good time with their classmates.

There were also some discussions of goal setting for the school year and a briefing on time-management and developing good study habits. Overall, the day was filled with informative presentations and action-packed, making it one of the more memorable and satisfying openings of the school year post-COVID time. It was indeed a great welcome and celebration of a new beginning for everyone for the Academic Year 2023-2024!

Shared by :

Ms Aileen Acabado, Dean for Primary Division

Mr Dexter Canicula, Dean for Secondary/Junior College

















WELCOME MESSAGE FROM STUDENT WELL-BEING COMMITTEE

Greetings!

Welcome back to a new school year in NationalHigh Jakarta School!

As we navigate through this AY 2023 - 2024, the Student Well-being committee would like to put a few reminders to all our parents and students.

All students must follow the prescribed uniform as stated in the student handbook. They must wear all black shoes and socks that are clearly seen, not ankle socks. School ID must be worn at all times while inside the school premises. All these basic rules are clearly stated in the student organiser provided to the students. Kindly read for your guidance. We will remind the students and parents to observe these rules stated in the organiser.

May we also request that you not send anything that your child forgets to bring (e.g. homework, project, ID, school uniform, binders, etc.) with the exception of food and/or medicine? Through this, we aim to foster a sense of responsibility and accountability in your child.

The SWB committee together with all the teachers and staff of the school, is committed in promoting and looking after the overall well-being of our students as it has been proven in various researches that there is a positive correlation between well-being and academic achievement (Kaya and Erdem 2021) (Hogberg et al 2019). We would like to ask your support, our dear parents, to communicate with us at:

<u>hermanplacer@nh.piagetacademy.org</u> (Secondary) <u>larsenpbuccahan@nh.piagetacademy.org</u> (Primary)

If you have any concerns regarding your children and you need our support, we will be happy to serve you. Have a wonderful school year!

Sincerely,

Mr Herman L. Placer Jr. Ms Larsen P. Buccahan





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NH STUDENTS CHAMPS TEENEAGLE LONDON GLOBAL FINALS 2023

London, UK—The TeenEagle London Global Finals 2023, organised by TeenEagle, Oscar Education and Brunel University, concluded with an Awards Ceremony on 23rd June 2023. The ceremony took place at the esteemed West Road Concert Hall, College of Music, located at the University of Cambridge, UK. The event celebrated the exceptional achievements of the participants from across the globe, including students from NationalHigh Jakarta School (NHJS).

Thirteen outstanding NHJS students were recognised for their remarkable performance throughout four competitive events: knowledge quiz, spelling, creative writing and two rounds of persuasive speaking. Students need to earn outstanding marks in each of these events to secure a high general average and bag a medal during the Awards Ceremony.

The Silver Medal recipients who earned a general average of 75%-89.9% were Axton Budiman (Y6G), Naiara Wijono (Y8I) and Calvin Abdullah (Y10E).

Meanwhile, the students who garnered a general average of 90%-100% were Alessi Shamsuri (Y5E), Abramando Susiarjo (Y5E), Connor Winata (Y5E), Vara Taniwan (Y5G), Asher Hardjadinata (Y8I), Axel Hardjadinata, Ken Huang (Y8I), Clarisse Huang (Y10E), Ashley Budiman (Y11P) and Chelsea Sianandar (Y11P).

Furthermore, the overall Global Finals Winners were announced, bringing great pride to NHJS. In TeenEagle 1, Vara Taniwan (Y5G) emerged as the Overall Top 1 worldwide, showcasing exceptional talent and securing a well-deserved victory. In TeenEagle 2, Ken Huang (Y8I) claimed the position of Overall Top 2 worldwide, displaying remarkable skill and determination. Finally, in TeenEagle 3, Clarisse Huang (Y10E) triumphed as the Overall Top 1 worldwide, captivating the audience with her exceptional achievement.

The NHJS students also had the opportunity to visit prestigious and top universities like Oxford University, Cambridge University, Imperial College and University College London. These visits served as a source of inspiration and motivation for the students, as they got a firsthand glimpse into the world of higher education and the academic possibilities that await them.

Additionally, the NHJS students had the chance to explore iconic landmarks in London, including the Harry Potter Warner Bros. Studio, London Eye, Buckingham Palace, Big Ben, Madame Tussauds, Trafalgar Square and the British Museum. These visits allowed them to witness the grandeur of these renowned sites and also immerse themselves in the rich culture and history of the city.

Congratulations once again to all the NHJS students for their outstanding achievements and for excellently representing the country on a global stage.

Shared by:

Mr Ryan Riconalla & Ms Jaspreet Kaur PICs of TeenEagle







NH STUDENTS CHAMPS TEENEAGLE LONDON GLOBAL FINALS 2023

Student Testimony:

Competing internationally may seem intimidating and frightening at first, but having the opportunity to make new friends from different countries has boosted my confidence and communication skills. - Clarisse Huang, Y10E

TeenEagle also gave me a chance at independence which can really help when you struggled with depending on someone for your entire life by living in a dorm room. - Calvin Abdullah, Y10E

Apart from the competition, I also enjoyed the daily excursions, particularly the Warner Bros Tour, which was a dream come true for Harry Potter fans such as myself. With the broad variety of competitors from various countries, I was also able to broaden my friend group, interacting with people of different ethnicities and cultures. - Chelsea Sianandar, Y11P

The TeenEagle competition allowed me to increase my confidence in public speaking and improve my analytical skills. The tour was a bit tiring but very enjoyable as I got to visit places with so much history and culture. - Ashley Budiman, Y11P

It was interesting to compete with students around the world. This trip made my confidence better as well as my communicating skills, this gave me an experience that I will never forget. - Naiara Wijono, Y8I

I personally think that TeenEagle is a very fun and educational experience. Many people from around the world will compete and you can learn different cultures and traditions. I personally think this journey is worth joining and I may plan to join the next global round. - Ken Huang, Y8I

I was greatly astonished by my new goal: receiving a gold award in the competition. Although living in a dorm alone is a new experience for me, I ended up adapting to the environment and was immersed in the experience of the tours in the UK. - Asher Hardjadinata, Y8I

I felt very proud of myself when I won the gold medal. I studied and put in a lot of hard work. I enjoyed participating in TeenEagle because I made many new friends and had an experience competing in a global competition. - Connor Macallan Winata, Y5E

I was really excited when I won first place worldwide. I am grateful for my teachers for training me as well as my parents for supporting and encouraging me. - Vara Taniwan, Y5G







NH STUDENTS CHAMPS TEENEAGLE LONDON GLOBAL FINALS 2023

















SCHOOL CALENDAR AY 2023-2024

JULY	
10/6 - 9/7	Term 4 Holidays for Students
3	iPSLE 2023 Listening Comprehension Examination
4 - 7	iPSLE 2023 Written Examination
10	Start of Term 1 (AY2023-2024)
10	Year 1 Parent and Student Orientation
10	Year 2 - 12 : Meet and Greet (Parents and Teachers)
11	School "Tee-Off" Day (Welcome Back to School Event)
12/7 - 12/8	Student Council Application, Election, and Selection
13/7 - 4/8	Registration and Payment of CCA
13, 18	CCA Open House and Trial (1&2)
19	Muharram (Islamic New Year)
26	Academic Awards Day (AY2022-2023)
26 - 29	Student Council: Year 7 Young Leaders' Convention (YLC)
28	HCI 39th Projects Day 2023 : Semi Finals
*30/7 - 6/8	TeenEagle (Global Finals)
31	Start of Years 1 - 8 Service Learning (end by May 2024)
31	Start of Years 1 - 12 Field Trip (end by 30 April 2024)

AUGUST	
12/7 - 12/8	Student Council Application, Election and Selection
13/7 - 4/8	Registration and Payment Of CCA
30/7 - 6/8	TeenEagle (Global Finals)
3	HCI 39th Projects Day 2023 : Finals
7	Student Council President Election
7 - 11	Prefectorial Board Application
8	Commencement of CCA
12	Student Council Selection Camp
14	Student Council Investiture
14 - 30	Prefectorial Board Selection and Election
17	Independence Day
18	Celebration of Independence Day
18 - 19	Student Council: Training Camp (1)
*23/8 - 23/10	ANU Business Case Study Competition
24 - 26	Year 12 Milestone Programme (Vision to Action)
28 - 29	Year 4: Virtual Immersion Programme with West Spring
	Primary School
28 - 31	Year 11 : ANBK (SMA)
28/8 - 1/9	Year 9 Milestone Programme Part 1 (Habits of Mind @NHJS)
29	Year 1 Milestone Programme (All By Myself)

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SEPTEM	
	LO ANU Business Case Study Competition
28/8 - 1/9	Year 9 Milestone Programme Part 1 (Habits of Mind @ NHJS)
1	Year 6: Annual Sharing on Educational Pathway Beyond Year (for Students)
1	Year 6 : Info Session "Your Journey Continues Here" (for
	Parents)
2 - 9	Year 9 Milestone Programme Part 2 (Habits of Mind @ Inagro
3 - 9	Years 11 - 12 : GALESS Competition in Bali
4	Prefectorial Board Investiture
4 - 19	ICAS Assessments
8	Year 8 : Annual Sharing on Subject Combination and
	Educational Pathway Beyond Year 8 (for Students)
8 - 9	Year 5 Milestone Programme (Awareness of Self)
*11	Sports Day
13	Prefectorial Board Training (1)
13 - 21	Year 11 Milestone Programme (Meaning and Purpose)
15	Year 10 : Annual Sharing on Subject Combination and
	Educational Pathway Beyond Year 10 (for Students)
15	HCI 39th Projects Day 2023 : Grand Finals
16 - 18	Year 6 Milestone Programme (Power of Mindset)
16 - 24	Term 1 Holidays
*17 - 25	The Final Lap
18 - 21	Year 8 : ANBK (SMP)
25	Start of Term 2
25 - 26	Years 1 - 12 Parent-Teacher Meeting (Online : 1:30pm -
	4:30pm)
28	Prophet Muhammad's Birthday

Kidpublish Story Telling Festivals 2023 Mid Autumn Festival Celebration

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OCTOBER	
*23/8 - 23/10	ANU Business Case Study Competition
6 - 7	Year 4 Milestone Programme (Power of Efforts)
*8 - 15	TeenEagle (Global Finals)
9 - 13	Student Council : Friendship Week
9 - 14	Student Council: NH Lions Cup X Ace Cup 2023 - 2024
*12 - 13	Year 5 : Virtual Immersion Programme with West Spring
	Primary School
*14	Kidpublish Annual Writing Competition
14/10 - 23/11	Noble Scholar Competition
20	Year 8 : Coffee and Tea with Parents
20	Years 9 - 12 : NH Career and Education Fair
20 - 22	Year 3 Milestone Programme (On My Own)
*21	JISMO
23 - 26	Year 5 : ANBK (SD) - Phase 1
23 - 27	Mid-Year Review : Years 7 - 9 Listening Examination
27, 30 - 31	Mid-Year Review : Years 7 - 9 Oral Examination
20/10 - 2/11	Voor 5 : ANRY (SD) - Phace 2

1	NOVEMBI	ER
	30/10 - 2/11	Year 5 : ANBK (SD) - Phase 2
	14/10 - 23/11	Noble Scholar Competition
	1 - 7	Mid-Year Review : Years 3 - 6 Listening Examination
	1 - 16	Mid-Year Review : Year 9 Written Papers
	2 - 4	Year 10 Milestone Programme (Power of Bouncing Back)
	*3	iPSLE 2023 : Release of Results, Result Slips and Certificates
	3	Year 10 : Coffee and Tea with Parents
	3, 6	Mid-Year Review : Years 3 - 4 Chinese Oral Examination
		(After School)
	3, 6 - 14	Mid-Year Review : Years 7 - 8 Written Papers
	7 - 8	Mid-Year Review: Years 5 - 6 Oral Examination (After School
	10, 13 - 16	Mid-Year Review : Years 3 - 6 Written Papers
	15	Year 2 Milestone Programme (I Can Succeed)
	17	Mid-Year Review : Marking Day/Make-up Exam Day
	17	American Mathematics Competition (AMC) 10/12B
	17 - 18	Student Council Training Camp (2)
	20 - 22	Mid-Year Review : Years 3 - 9 Discussion and Review of
		Papers
	22	Start of the 8th Chun Sun Cup
	*22 - 24	Primary and Secondary IPW Presentation and Judging Day
	23 - 24, 27 - 28	Lessons Continue
	24	Student Council: Town Hall (1) Years 4 - 12
	25	Student Council: Into Santaland & Movie Night
	27	HumBee (Geography and History Competition for Years 7 - 8)
	28	Science & Math Day
	29	Class Party (Morning)
	29	Last day of school (Term 2) for Students
	29/11 - 01/12	Parent-Teacher Meeting (Offline)

DECEMBER		
	29/11 - 1/12	Parent - Teacher Meeting (Offline)
	2/12 - 7/1	Term 2 Holidays for Students
	*9	TeenEagle (1st Online Round)
	25	Christmas Day
	26 - 28	Cuti Bersama Natal
	29	School Given Holiday

2/12 - 7/1	Term 2 Holidays for Students
1	New Year's Day
8	Start of Term 3
8/1 - 30/4	ISFA Competition
*8 - 12	SUSS-PIAGET ISC (Years 9 - 12)
10	Staff Appreciation
15 - 19	American Mathematics Competition (AMC) AMC 8
19	Student Council : Field Day (Years 1 - 12)
*23/1 - 23/3	Melbourne University Business Competition

^{*}to be confirmed





^{*}updated on 18 July 2023







SCHOOL CALENDAR AY 2023-2024

1	FEBRUARY	
	8/1 - 30/4	ISFA Competition
	*23/1 - 23/3	Melbourne University Business Competition
	*3	TeenEagle (2nd online round)
	7	Celebration of Chinese New Year
	8	Ascension of the Prophet (Isra Miraj)
	9	School Given Holiday
	10	Chinese New Year
	14	Indonesia Presidential Election
	19 - 23	Student Council : Be Yourself Week
	*23	PIAGET Project Day 2024 : QnA/Judging
	23 - 24	HIPPO English Competition (Preliminary Round)
	24	Student Council : Fairground
	*26	PIAGET Project Day 2024 : Announcement of results
	*26/2 - 1/3	English Week (Primary and School)

MARCH	
8/1 - 30/4	ISFA Competition
*23/1 - 23/3	Melbourne University Business Competition
*26/2 - 1/3	English Week (Primary and Secondary)
	TEDxYouth @NHJS
1	Years 10 & 11 : "Find Your Way" Coffee and Tea for Y10
	Students and Parents
2	8th Chun Sun Cup Final & Awards Company
*2, 9, 16	JISMO Spring Competition
*3	TeenEagle (3rd online round)
4	Student Council : Town Hall (2) - Mentor Time
4 - 9	Annual Musical Concert (including Rehearsal days)
*8 - 9	HIPPO English Competition (Preliminary Round)
11	Nyepi (Hindu New Year)
*12 - 15	Year 12 : Asesmen Sumatif Sekolah (SMA)
*12 - 19	TeenEagle (Global Final)
*12 - 28	End-of-Year Review : Year 12
*12/13 - 1/4	End-of-Year Review : Year 11
*12/3 - 5/4	End-of-Year Review : Year 10
16 - 18	Year 7 Milestone Programme (Discovering Character
	Strengths)
16 - 24	Term 3 Holidays
*17 - 24	Year 6 : Immersion 2024
25	Start of Term 4
*25 - 28	Year 9 : Asesmen Sumatif Sekolah (SMP)
29	Good Friday

APRIL	
8/1 - 30/4	ISFA Competition
*12/3 - 1/4	End-of-Year Review : Year 11
*12/3 - 5/4	End-of-Year Review : Year 10
*1-3	End-of-Year Review : Year 12 Discussion and Review of
	Papers
*1-5	Year 6 : Asesmen Sumatif Sekolah (SD)
*2 - 4	End-of-Year Review : Year 11 Discussion and Review of
	Papers
*4	APMOPS 2024 : 1st Round
*4	HCI 40th Projects Day 2024 : Preliminary Round
*4 - 5, 15 - 17	Year 12: I/A Study Camp and Finlit
6	Student Council: Prom AY2023-2024
10 - 11	Idul Fitri (PIAGET Academy Lebaran Holidays)
*15 - 17	End-of-Year Review : Year 10 Discussion and Review of
	Papers

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APRIL	
*18 - 20, 22	Year 6 : Asesmen Sumatif Sekolah (SD)
*19	Year 10 : I/A Study Camp
20	APMOPS 2024 : Release of Results
22	Year 12 : Graduation Ceremony AY2023 - 2024
*22/4 - 7/6	Indonesian Culture Day
27	CAIE IGCSE/AS/A Level June Series
*29	Year 10 : Commencement Ceremony AY2023-2024
29	CAIE Chinese Speaking Test

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*22/4 - 7/6	CAIE IGCSE/AS/A Level June Series
1	National Labour Day
2, 3 and 6 - 8	End-of-Year Review : Years 7 - 9 Listening & Oral
	Examination
6 - 22	End-of-Year Review : Year 9 Written Examination
8, 10, 13 - 15	End-of-Year Review : Year 3 - 6 Listening Examination
9	Ascension Day of Jesus Christ
10, 13	End-of-Year Review: Years 3 - 4. Chinese Oral Examination
14 - 15	End-of-Year Review : Years 5 - 6 Oral Examination
15 - 17, 20 - 22	End-of-Year Review : years 3 - 8 Written Examination
*23	Waisak Day
*24	End-of-Year Review : Marking Day/Make-up Exam Day
*24	Years 1 - 2 Student Led Conference
*25	APMOPS 2024 : Invitation Round/Hwa Chong Info
	Communications Challenge
*26 - 31	30th HCI Students Leaders Convention (by invitation, fees
	applicable)
*27 - 29	End-of-Year Review : Years 3 - 9 Discussion and Review of
	Papers

JUNE	
*22/4 - 7/6	CAIE IGCSE/AS/A Level June Series
1	Pancasila Day
2 - 25	Year 8 : Milestone Programme Coming of Age 2024 @ China
4	NHJS: Awards Day (Non - Academic and Academic)
4	Class Party
4	Last day of School (AY2023-2024) for Students
5 - 7	Parent-Teacher Meeting (Offline)
5 - 7	Years 1 & 2 : Student-Led Conference
8	Year 6 Commencement AY2023-2024
8/6 - 7/7	Term 4 Holidays for Students
9 - 23	Term 4 Holidays for Year 6 iPSLE Students
17	Idul Adha (Hari Raya Haji)
*18 - 25	TeenEagle (Global Fans)
*24 - 28	iPSLE 2024 : Conduct of Oral Examinations

Term 4 Holidays for Students (Non Y6 iPSLE Students)
iPSLE 2024 : Conduct of Examination and Listening
Comprehension
HCI 40th Projects Day 2024 : Semi Finals
Muharram (Islamic New Year)
Start of Term 1 (AY2024-2025)
Year 1 Parent and Student Orientation
Years 2 - 12 : Meet and Greet (Parents and Teachers)
School "Tee-Off" Day (Welcome Back to School Event)
Student Council: Year 7 Young Leaders' Convention 2024

^{*}to be confirmed

TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3	TERM 4
10 Jul 2023 Start of Term 1	25 Sep 2023 Start of Term 2	8 Jan 2024 Start of Term 3	25 Mar 2024 Start of Term 4
16 Sep 2023 Term 1 Break	2 Dec 2023 Term 2 Break	16 Mar 2024 Term 3 Break	8 Jun 2024 Term 4 Break

All Indonesian national holiday for 2023-2024 will be confirmed by the Indonesian government. National High Jakarta School, however, reserves the right to make changes to the calendar during the academic year. Please check our school website for the most updated calendar and event information.











New Staff

We are thrilled to announce the addition of several new members to our teaching staff. These educators come with diverse experiences and backgrounds, adding to the multi-faceted nature of our school community. We believe their expertise and unique perspectives will contribute to our collective academic journey. Let's extend a warm welcome to these dedicated teachers as they embark on this new chapter at NationalHigh Jakarta School.



Ms Catherine Gasmen Dayag Subject Facilitator Secondary/JC Physics



Ms Cao Xiu Subject Facilitator Secondary Chinese Language as First Language & Foreign Language



Mr Abdul Waie A Rahman Subject Facilitator Primary & Secondary Music



Mr Thruchelvam Shalawat Kanmany Subject Facilitator Secondary ICT & Economics



Ms Suzanne Marie Jamayo Gerodias Subject Facilitator Secondary English Language & Literature



Mr Muhammad Alfina Prawiro Subject Facilitator Primary & Secondary Physical Education







Update on Health & Safety Measures

The school will be stepping down some COVID Health Protocols given the present situation.

Temperature-taking

Temperature-taking in the morning is optional. The machines will continue to be deployed at the lobby and canteen. Staff and students can continue to check their own body temperature using the devices.

Mask-Wearing

From Monday, 24 July 2023, mask-wearing mandate will no longer be enforced unless the staff or students are:

- (a) suddenly feeling unwell or exhibiting allergic reactions due to poor air quality;
- (b) more comfortable to continue to mask up due to personal health reasons or family requests.

Hand sanitisation

The school will continue to enforce proper hand sanitisation and washing to safeguard against transmittable diseases, such as HFMD and Herpangina.

Academic block is out of bounds for visitors

For security and safety of all our students, parents or guardians or visitors will not be permitted to access the academic block that houses the classrooms. Exceptions will be for official visits approved by the Principal.

Make an appointment prior to visit

Visitors to the school will need to make an appointment first before coming. This is to ensure that the person to be met will be available at the appointed time. Visitors need not wear masks when meeting with school staff.

Limit gathering in the school lobby

Crowding and unnecessary gathering in the school lobby by parents, guardians, nannies and drivers is strongly discouraged. This is to help facilitate smooth dropping off and picking up of the students and to provide the necessary space for the children to wait for their pick-up.

Ordering of food from outside is discouraged

The school canteen is in operation thus students are discouraged from ordering food from outside. Please note that this adds unnecessary stress to school staff who are already overloaded to cater to lunch and snack boxes deliveries.







NHJS Competitive Teams Try-Outs

Soccer Boys & Girls (Years 1 - 12					
Day/Date	Times	Levels	Venue		
Thursday, 27 July 2023	13:30-14:30 PM	U8 (Y1-Y2)			
	14:30-15:30 PM	U10 & U12 (Y3-Y6)	NH Stadium		
	15:30-17:30 PM	U14, U16, U18 & Girls (Y7-Y12)			

Basketball Boys& Girls (Years 4 - 6)				
Day/Date	Time	Venue		
Tuesday, 25 July 2023	14:30-15:30 PM	Multi-Purpose Hall (MPH)		

Swimming Boys & Girls (Years 7 - 12)				
Day/Date	Time	Venue		
Tuesday, 25 July 2023	14:15-15:15 PM	Swimming Pool		

Student Council: Year 7 Young Leaders Convention (YLC)

The Year 7 YLC will be held on 27 - 29 July 2023. Year 7 students who will not be participating in this event are advised to stay at home on Thursday, 27 July 2023 and Friday, 28 July 2023 as there will no lessons for the Year 7s during these two days. Lessons will resume on Monday, 31 July 2023.

Arrival & Dismissal (Drop-off/Pick-up Points)

There are two (2) designated drop-off/pick-up locations:

Front Lobby - This is the arrival point (drop-off) for Years 7 - 12 and dismissal point (pick-up) for Years 3, 4, 7 - 12.

Back of School (near canteen) - This is the arrival point (drop-off) for Years 1 - 6 and dismissal point (pick-up) Years 1, 2, 5 and 6.









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HIGHLIGHT:

A NEW CHAPTER UNFOLDS: WELCOME YEAR 1!



















HIGHLIGHT: Q4 EXCELLENCE

On 19 July 2023, an exciting project-based showcase and activity on space, ocean, and robotics was organised by Q4 Excellence Organisation, leaving students in Years 5 - 7 filled with excitement.

Presented by the CEO, Mr Danny Kim, the event showcased a unique chance for our students to use the organisation's block coding application and craft a special message to be sent to space in collaboration with the International Space Station (ISS), USA.

The atmosphere was full of curiosity and enthusiasm as our students embarked on a journey of discovery and engagement with the wonders of space and the ocean. The event was truly an inspirational morning, igniting a passion for exploration among our young learners.

Check out the video of the activity here: https://vimeo.com/showcase/10537100













UPCOMING EVENTS

- STUDENT COUNCIL APPLICATION, ELECTION AND SELECTION 12 JULY 12 AUGUST 2023
- ACADEMIC AWARDS DAY (AY2022-2023) 26 JULY 2023
- STUDENT COUNCIL: YEAR 7 YOUNG LEADERS CONVENTION (YLC) 26 29 JULY 2023
- HCI 39TH PROJECTS DAY: SEMI FINALS 28 JULY 2023
- NATIONALHIGH JAKARTA SCHOOL AT EDUFAIR LIPPO MALL PURI 1 - 6 AUGUST 2023
- HCI 39TH PROJECTS DAY: FINALS 3 AUGUST 2023