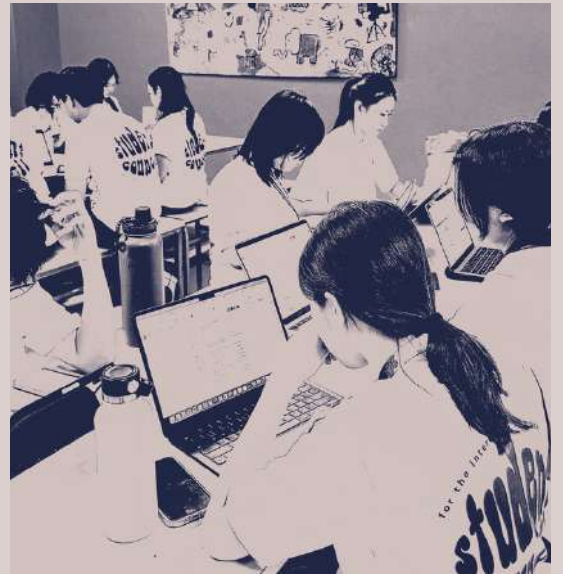




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# Student Mentor's Message

Written by Sarah Tanuyanti, Denzel Mardjuki, Callista Gandha

This is truly a bittersweet moment as we will no longer be your President, Vice President, and Secretary, but are now your student mentors. Before anything else, we would first of all like to express our infinite gratitude to everyone who made this an amazing year for the 15th Batch of Student Council. Our loyal SC members who worked tireless hours inside and outside of school for events, SC mentors who have led us through all the ups and downs, all the teachers and staff who have given us their gracious help and cooperation, and of course, our friends and fellow students who have participated and volunteered in support of SC's events. You guys showed us so much love and support through all of our days in SC. We would also like to apologize for any shortcomings in our leadership this past year.

Presented with such an amazing chance to lead others, we are grateful for the learning opportunities that we have been afforded to become better students, friends, and leaders. While the challenge of leading the new 15th batch came with high expectations and lots of uncertainty, especially with its many new members, our worries were quickly washed away. This batch, one of many amazing members who have shown their immense hardwork and dedication, have bore good fruit of teamwork, lessons and inspiration for the next batch. So it has been a privilege to work alongside all of you. Once again, we would like to show our immense appreciation towards the Student Council members, committee heads and of course, the amazing student body that have supported us throughout the year.



Closing off, we are so proud of what our batch has achieved, not only through what we have done for the community, but also in the growth that we have witnessed in everyone. Thank you to our Student Council and NHJS community for being part of an amazing year that Callista, Denzel, and myself will definitely remember as part of our time at NH for years to come.

# President's Message

Written by Maddison Kurniawan



Have you ever asked yourself what exactly makes a school community flourish? Is it because of the ever-growing school community? Or what if it may be because of the improvement and expansion of our school facilities? Candidly speaking, I feel like it is because of the school's spirit. And isn't it peculiarly interesting to know that the Student Council is one of the root causes of the mighty fire we spark?

The Student Council stands with an abiding grail, and that is to speak out on behalf of the hundreds of people in this school, all for the interest of the school and the wellbeing of the students. You can feel the alacrity within the hearts of our members of the Student Council, and the adversities we had to face to raise the school spirit.

In the Student Council, we consign to sacrifice what we have for the betterment of others; that was something our members knew the moment they submitted their application forms. When they say want to make school life more amusing and they want to foster new bonds between other students, they mean it.

The 16th batch of the Student Council is undoubtedly primed to end as one of the blueprints of the entire Student Council's history. We are not just here to prove that the hardships we face are something we can fully conquer but to burgeon our school's radiant essence.

**“ To handle yourself, use your head; to handle others, use your heart.”**

**Eleanor Roosevelt**

# Dean of CDSA's Message

Written by Ms Nela

Dear NationalHigh Jakarta Community,

I'm Ms. Nela, and I am excited to join NationalHigh Jakarta School for the 2024-2025 academic year. It's a promising start, particularly as I look forward to working closely with the Student Council, providing guidance and support to its members.



The Student Council at NationalHigh is a true reflection of our commitment to the PIAGET values. Seeing these principles come to life through their initiatives is truly inspiring. Working with these motivated students invigorates me and pushes me to explore innovative and creative methods to support their growth. My aim is to help them develop into responsible, dynamic leaders who think globally and act locally to advance the development of Indonesia.

Moreover, fostering their emotional intelligence to become servant leaders will be essential in equipping them to effectively navigate interpersonal relationships, resolve conflicts, and lead with empathy and understanding. By extending their reach to other young people, including those in more remote areas, the Student Council has the potential to make a meaningful impact on our wider community.

All the best to the 16th batch of NationalHigh's Student Council AY 24-25. May your leadership inspire and positively shape our school community.

Warm regards,

Yosuanela Putri Maristya, S.E., B.Ed, M.Pd, M.M  
Dean of Character Development and Student Affairs

# SC Mentors' Message

Ms Mansha, Ms Michelle, and Mr Indra



As we embark on another school year, I want to take a moment to acknowledge the incredible journey ahead of us. Each of you has been chosen to be part of the Student Council not just because of your talents, but because of the heart and dedication that you bring to this role. It's essential to remember the profound responsibility that SC Members carry and also as the students of NationalHigh Jakarta School.

SC role extends far beyond planning events and managing day-to-day activities but also to ensure that every action SC take aligns with the best interests of the school and the welfare of all students.

SC influence shapes the culture of our school. The choices SC make, the initiatives SC spearhead, and the examples SC set will resonate throughout the student body. By leading with integrity, we create an environment where every student feels valued and supported. It is in our hands to foster an inclusive community, where diverse ideas are celebrated, and each individual's voice is heard.

Leadership isn't always easy. Balancing your academic responsibilities with your SC duties will be a challenge, but it's one that you're more than capable of handling, ensuring that neither is compromised. So now, lead with empathy, act with wisdom, and always keep the welfare of your peers at the heart of your decisions! We can't wait to see the positive change SC will bring to our school. In doing so, SC will leave a legacy that future batches will admire and aspire to continue.

Remember our SC pledge "For the interest of the school and the welfare of the students!" Here's to a year of growth, leadership, and unforgettable moments!

**"A life of significance is about serving those who need your gifts,  
your leadership, your purpose." – Kevin Hall**

# Young Leaders' Convention

Written By: Callista Gandha

The Student Council hosted the Young Leaders Convention (YLC) from July 18–20. YLC is a particularly unique occasion since it is the final event for the 15th Batch of Student Council. It signifies the start of a new secondary life where Y7 students are given the chance to grow as leaders and people.



In order to set up and test out some of the events before the Y7 kids arrive, the organizing committee must get to the accommodation one day before the scheduled D-Day. Despite the short duration of the event, it was packed with events that many students and OC were exhausted at the end of the trip. However, despite being tired, so many memories were created that everyone will cherish forever.

Nonetheless, we think most individuals would concur that the trip was both highly successful and educational.

Participants were greeted with cheers and icebreakers on their first day and split up into four families, each led by a different pair of family leaders. Following getting to know each other, the Governing Committee gave a presentation on this year's YLC theme: Igniting Independence, highlighting the importance of personal growth and being independent. They will have to cooperate with one another in their families to complete the tasks during the event. Students then participate in a creative tie-dye project where they design their clothing.



The dance committee presents the first YLC dance to the kids in preparation for their ultimate performance on Finale Night. They played their first team-designed games (TDG) later in the day, which consisted of several field games including relay games such as marble and water balloon passes. Now, using the surprise materials supplied, students must collaborate as a team in their families to create original games for TDG 2, which will be played by the other families. The evening concluded with a low-key campfire gathering where students and the organizing committee (OC) met to share memories and indulge in a ton of delicious food, including roasted corn and smores.

To get everyone ready for the day, the OCs led morning stretching on the second day. Students participated in a scavenger hunt organized by the Student Council in their families, after which we had a master chef cooking competition, followed by playing the TDG 2 games they prepared the day before. Following a brief intermission, the kids engaged in an extremely exciting game of TDG 3, and water games, and proceeded to learn their second mass dance. These activities included a slip & slide, which was the most entertaining, and a water relay in which families competed to earn the most points for a food auction.



The students got ready for finale night after washing up and getting changed. With balloons and LED lights decorating the meeting room for a final celebration before the event finishes, this was the most anticipated night. Singing and dancing all night long, everyone had an amazing and unforgettable time. Before packing up and heading home, the students got together for one last mass dance and time with their families on the last day. The participants' cheeks brightened up as our Governing Committee members, Sarah, Denzel, and Callista, delivered a farewell address and showed a final video recap of the entire trip.



All things considered, the event was a huge success, and we were glad to see so many joyful smiles after the trip was over. This trip taught the OC and the Y7s the value of cooperation and communication, since organizing an event this scale is much harder than one might think. Although there are things that can be improved which will be passed down to the next SC batch, we are so grateful to be allowed to organize this event.

**“Growth is the great separator between those who succeed and those who do not. When I see a person beginning to separate themselves from the pack, it’s almost always due to personal growth.” - John Calvin Maxwell**



# SC Selection

Written By: Callista Gandha

On August 9th and 10th 2024, the NationalHigh Jakarta School Student Council embarked on a pivotal selection process to shape the leadership and operational structure for the upcoming academic year 2024-2025. This process was crucial for setting the tone and direction of the Student Council's activities, ensuring it is well equipped to serve and represent the student body effectively.



The first day of the selection process was dedicated to forming the Executive Committee, which comprises the Governing Committee and the Committee Heads. This initial phase was marked by a comprehensive and systematic approach to ensure that the most capable and visionary individuals were chosen for these leadership roles. Candidates for the Executive Committee underwent a series of evaluations that assessed their leadership skills, strategic thinking, and ability to inspire and manage teams. The Governing Committee, in particular, was selected based on its ability to steer the council with a clear and impactful vision. The Committee Heads were chosen for their expertise in various areas crucial to SC's success, including event planning, outreach, and administration. The deliberations were thorough and collaborative, with input from the outgoing Governing Committee, newly elected President, and mentors. The aim was to ensure a well rounded and dynamic leadership team that could address the diverse needs and aspirations of the student body.

The second day was dedicated to assigning members to four key functional areas vital to SC's operations. These areas are designed to streamline SC activities and enhance its effectiveness across different domains: public relations and marketing, operations, finance and logistics, and human resources. The process began with assessment games and a mock presentation for events, followed by an interview where members were evaluated for their dedication and commitment. The process of assigning these roles was carried out with a keen focus on matching individuals' skills and interests with the needs of each functional area. This approach was intended to maximize the efficiency and effectiveness of the council, ensuring that each member could contribute meaningfully to the council's goals.

Overall, the selection process for the 16th batch of SC set the stage for a productive and dynamic year. With a strong executive team and well defined functional roles, SC is well prepared to undertake its responsibilities and make a positive impact on the school community. The new leadership and team members are eager to begin their roles and are committed to fostering an inclusive and proactive environment throughout the year.



Introducing the 16th batch of the Student Council. First, we have the 16th batch SC President Maddison Kurniawan, Vice President Dylan Michael Jaya, Secretary Kyle Nicholas Hendrasono, and Treasurer Trevor Ng Tan, assisted by Student Mentors Sarah Tanuyanti, Denzel Mardjuki, and Callista Cayleen Gandha. On top of this, we have Ms Nela, Ms Mansha, Ms Michelle and Mr Indra to act as a mentor to all, overlooking the entire SC. Starting with Committee 1, we have the Committee Chair Feyola Giselle Anamori and the Committee Deputy Chair Kief Felizio Kurniawan. And for the members, we have Gwyneth Liyanto, Zachary Ang, Ayana Tirtawisata, Marion Soedijono, Felicia Anabella Siamir, Sara Widjaja, Emily Setiadi, and Luis Reignald Sanchez.

Now moving on to Committee 2, we have the Committee Chair Elaine Humato and Committee Deputy Chair Egan Luhur. And for the members, we have Meredith Clare Hendrasono, Sachika Diptisari Suawanda, Catherine Olivia Santoso, Kayla Gunawan, Kathlyn Odelia Basuki, Naomi Rezchild Andriansyah, Morgan Kurniawan, and Xander Nathan Soetomo. Next, we have Committee 3, with Committee Chair Jayden Leo and the Committee Deputy Chair Mu En Yu. And for the members, we have Alicia Lontoh, Clifton Mayer Gandha, Joel Frederick Gunawan, Alessandra Nicole Hendaro, Serena Jeslyn Tanzi, Claire Vivienne Trisnadi, Mikhail Tandinova, and James Putera Markata Haditono. Last but not least, we have Committee 4 with Committee Chair Alika Tirtawisata and Committee Deputy Chair Jasmine Haditono. And for the members, we have Kaelyn Sara Alberta Halim, William Darcy Ongkowidjaja, Jade Theodora Wennas, Naren Theodore Sutanto, Jessica Claire Atmadja, Megan Tjandra, Abraham Susanto and Hiero Hartawan.

**All the best to the 16th batch of NationalHigh's Student Council!**

# Student Council Name List

No.	Committee	Position	Name	Class
1	Governing Committee	President	Maddison Kurniawan	Y11P
2		Vice President	Dylan Michael Jaya	Y11P
3		General Secretary	Kyle Nicholas Hendrasono	Y11P
4		Treasurer	Trevor Ng Tan	Y11I
1	Committee 1	Committee Chair	Feyola Giselle Anamori	Y11I
2		Deputy Chair	Kief Felizio Kurniawan	Y10E
3		Operations	Gwyneth Liyanto	Y10E
4		Operations	Zachary Ang	Y8I
5		Human Resource	Ayana Tirtawisata	Y8P
6		Human Resource	Marion Soedijono	Y8P
7		Finance & Logistics	Emily Setiadi	Y9G
8		Finance & Logistics	Luis Reighnald Ranchez	Y8I
9		Public Relations & Marketing	Felicia Anabella Siamir	Y9E
10		Public Relations & Marketing	Sara Widjaja	Y10G
1	Committee 2	Committee Chair	Elaine Humato	Y10E
2		Deputy Chair	Egan Luhur	Y10G
3		Operations	Meredith Clare Hendrasono	Y8P
4		Operations	Sachika Diptisari Suawanda	Y8I
5		Human Resource	Catherine Olivia Santoso	Y11P
6		Human Resource	Kayla Gunawan	Y9G
7		Finance & Logistics	Morgan Kurniawan	Y9E
8		Finance & Logistics	Xander Nathan Soetomo	Y10E
9		Public Relations & Marketing	Kathlyn Odelia Basuki	Y8P
10		Public Relations & Marketing	Naomi Rezchild Andriansyah	Y8P
1	Committee 3	Committee Chair	Jayden Leo	Y10G
2		Deputy Chair	Mu En Yu	Y10G
3		Operations	Alicia Lontoh	Y9G
4		Operations	Clifton Mayer Gandha	Y8P
5		Human Resource	Joel Frederick Gunawan	Y8P
6		Human Resource	Alessandra Nicole Hendarto	Y8P
7		Finance & Logistics	Mikhail Tandinova	Y9G
8		Finance & Logistics	James Putera Markata Haditono	Y8I
9		Public Relations & Marketing	Serena Jeslyn Tanzil	Y8I
10		Public Relations & Marketing	Claire Vivienne Trisnadi	Y9E
1	Committee 4	Committee Chair	Alika Tirtawisata	Y10G
2		Deputy Chair	Jasmine Haditono	Y10E
3		Operations	Kaelyn Sara Alberta Halim	Y10G
4		Operations	William Darcy Ongkowidjaja	Y8I
5		Human Resource	Jade Theodora Wennas	Y9E
6		Human Resource	Naren Theodore Sutanto	Y8P
7		Finance & Logistics	Abraham Susanto	Y9G
8		Finance & Logistics	Hiero Hartawan	Y8I
9		Public Relations & Marketing	Jessica Claire Atmadja	Y8P
10		Public Relations & Marketing	Megan Tjandra	Y8I

# Independence Day

Written By: Dylan Jaya



On 19 August 2024, NationalHigh celebrated the 79th Independence Day of Indonesia; the celebration was organized by the Bahasa Indonesia Department in collaboration with members of the Student Council.

The unforgettable day was kicked off with a flag-raising ceremony or Upacara, which demonstrated the school community's dedication towards the country. The ceremony reminded us of the values we stand for as Indonesians and showcased the talents of NationalHigh students through three special performances and the marching show.

Afterwards, every student had the opportunity to engage in several games that are customary to Indonesia's independence day. Examples include flag races, coin-picking competitions, marble competitions, bentengan, sack races (balap karung), a cracker-eating (makan kerupuk) contest, and many more. Some activities were designed to expand students' knowledge on both our country and the Indonesian language, like the 'berburu huruf & sinonim antonim' game for primary students and a bamboozle game for secondary students.

In addition to these, food stalls were also available in the MPH for everyone to try out Indonesia's delicious cuisine and the secondary students even got to compete against each other in 'designing' the best nasi tumpengs.

**"Jika kita memiliki keinginan yang kuat dari dalam hati, maka seluruh alam semesta akan bahu membahu mewujudkannya."  
- Soekarno, Indonesia's first president**

# SC Trainings

Written By: Kyle Hendrasono

For the interest of the school and the welfare of the students, the Student Council had hosted its trainings for two weeks. Members gathered on 24 August 2024 in the MPR1 and canteen, the committees worked tirelessly on their proposals and presentations consisting of their unique ideas that will come to fruition in future events, along with grooming towards being a good SC member. It was a challenge along the way, but nonetheless a testament to their abilities of collaboration, perseverance and resilience.

Before the big day of the main training, SC members, especially committee heads and deputy heads had two sessions together on 14 and 21 Aug 2024, during which the meeting had been aimed to improve their knowledge on SC expectations and to strengthen their bonds between their committee heads and members. They had played icebreaker games and had personal conversations with each other to ensure a friendly and comfortable environment



together. As they move forward, the student council is more united than ever, ready to tackle the tasks ahead with renewed energy, a collective sense of purpose and a stronger sense of camaraderie among their members.

Starting bright and early into the day was a sharing session by SC Mentors, Mr Indra and Ms Nela, who provided insights on how to make eye-catching presentations and fun icebreakers as the students got to know each other. Once it was time for the first proposal making session, the fuel was on. Whether the members were new or former, there was always such a vibrant and enthusiastic discussion within each other and everyone had their focus at such intensity on respective projects. It is evident that we can see their hard work, leadership and strong commitment to excellence coming together as a whole.



After working for two straight hours was the moment where their dedication will be carefully evaluated by experienced members of the governing committee and mentors. The presenters were spot on, enthusiastic and extremely keen on sharing their own events. After comments and feedback were given to shape it to be acceptable and to be an improvement for the wellbeing of the

school, committee members had quickly responded to the changes. Two sessions of presentation had been made.

Nearing the close of the camp, SC has a tradition where for every salutation mentioned from each member, they will be rewarded with sugarbread and we have finally ended off with our latest addition, the Student Council benediction. With the happy smiles and stronger bonds made after this rewarding event, we are thankful and grateful for all members to successfully finish and persevere together as a team. Through all the struggles and exhaustion, everyone was given a chance to not just earn to be a better member and student of NationalHigh Jakarta School, but a potential leader. We hope to see not just the growth and development of their events, but their character as well flourish under the reflection of our P.I.A.G.E.T values.

**"Education is not the learning of facts, but the training of the mind to think."  
– Albert Einstein**



# Financial Report

## FINANCIAL REPORT

Term 1			
Particulars	Revenue (Rp)	Expenses (Rp)	Event
Balance b/d	476,577,442.00	-	NA
16th Batch Petty Cash Top-Up	-	5,000,000.00	SC Selection
Petty Cash Top-Up	-	5,000,000.00	SC Training
<b>Total</b>	<b>476,577,442.00</b>	<b>10,000,000.00</b>	
<b>Balance (including Nation Building Funds)</b>	<b>466,577,442.00</b>		
<b>Balance (excluding Nation Building Funds)</b>	<b>357,155,957.00</b>		
Nation Building Funds			
Particulars	Revenue (Rp)	Expenses (Rp)	Event
Balance b/d	109,421,485.00	-	NA
<b>Total</b>	<b>109,421,485.00</b>		

# Upcoming Events

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- **Free School**  
(5 October 2024 – 15 March 2025)
- **NH Lions Cup**  
(7–12 October 2024)
- **Friendship Week**  
(14–18 October 2024)
- **Hideaway**  
(16 November 2024)

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