

## From the BAIS Director's Desk

Dear Parents,

### We Heard You!

Thank you for the feedback we have received from all of you through our many means of communication. We have heard from you through PACE, DAC, DWD, small grade level meetings, surveys, coffees, and numerous informal interactions around campus. We are so appreciative of your feedback.

Based on your feedback here are a few recent and future changes :

#### We would like to see a Full Day Option for Preschool

In 2018-2019 there will be an option for a full-day preschool program. All students will come in the morning with enrichment elements in the afternoon.

#### We would like to see more options available in Mathematics

The 2017-18 school year saw the implementation of the new mathematics pathways program. This resulted in the ability to offer students striving for two AP Calculus classes the track to do so along with the option to travel a less rigorous path.

#### We would like to see discounts available for larger families

Next school year we will be introducing a multiple child discount. 3% for the second child, 5% for the third child, and 10% for the 4th child.

#### We would like to see more students enroll

BAIS is engaging in an aggressive pricing model and structure. There will be **no price increase for 2018-2019**, based on the underlying USD pricing. In fact, because there will be a new tuition structure, the **elementary tuition will actually be decreasing**. Secondly, in an effort to recruit new families, **BAIS will offer a 5% tuition discount for the first year** for new students. Over the next two years, BAIS would like to see an enrollment increase between 20-30 students.. Therefore, if you refer a family to BAIS that enrolls, **you will receive a Rp. 10 juta tuition benefit**. Exclusions apply, details can be obtained from Mr. Boccacio.

Blessings,  
Mr. Karl Nielsen  
BAIS Director

FEBRUARY	
<b>14</b>	Late Start
<b>16</b>	Chinese New Year
<b>23-25</b>	IISSAC Basketball
<b>28</b>	Late Start
MARCH	
<b>9</b>	Music Concert/Third Quarter Ends
<b>12-16</b>	Week Without Walls (No Hot Lunch Provided)
<b>16</b>	Half Day
<b>17</b>	Seclusion Day
<b>19-23</b>	Spring Break
<b>28</b>	Late Start
<b>29</b>	Report Cards Go Home
<b>30</b>	Good Friday National Holiday



ORDERS ARE DUE  
FEBRUARY 9

## VALENTINE'S DAY ORDER

Order gifts for your friends and "special one" for Valentine's day!

Make sure you fill out the form and come with the total amount of money to Heemin or Bethany.

Check out the college bulletin board for information about two summer programs from the [Yale Young Global Scholars Program \(globalscholars.yale.edu\)](http://globalscholars.yale.edu) and [Oxford Royale Academy \(www.oxford-royale.co.uk\)](http://www.oxford-royale.co.uk).

## DRAMA REHEARSAL

Feb 7, 2018 at 4:00 – 6.00

Scene: 2 – 10

All Cast and Crew in these scenes

A new weekly column beginning next week will be found in the BAIS Buzz titled Why Do We.... Realizing that BAIS is a unique school and often we do things that other schools may not, this is an opportunity for you to better learn about BAIS. We have a list of topics we think could use explaining but we also invite you to submit questions if you wonder why we do something. If you let us know, we will address it in one of our up-coming BAIS Buzz articles. Our first topic for next week is in regards to our new all-day preschool pilot. Stay tuned!!

## Athletics & Club News

### IISSAC Basketball

- IISSAC Basketball and Cross Country at Mountainview, Feb. 23-25!
- Games today, Friday (Feb. 2)  
Check the BAIS Public Calendar and BAIS Pep Club Facebook page for game announcements and updates.
- Season's Record: Boys 8-1 / Girls 2-3

### After School Activities

- BAIS Swimming Invitational this past Saturday was a huge success! 136 Swimmers came to compete in the event!  
Thanks to Pak Henry and the IISSAC Swim Committee for all hard work and sacrifice.
- SPECIAL THANKS to the World Racers and all the other volunteers that made the event possible. Y'all are all deeply valued and appreciated.
- MUN Started Last Week!  
Contact Mr. Julian if you are interested. The club is open to high school and meet Tuesdays, 3:45-4:45 (**correction**). Registration for the March 1-2 MUN Conference closes at the end of the month.

### Elementary Clubs/Activities

- Season Three of After School Activities starts in March. If you have any suggestions or ideas about activities or clubs for our students, please contact Mr. Powers, Mrs. Loewen, or Ibu Dias.  
Keep your eyes on the BAIS Buzz for updates, changes, and more information!

## BUSINESS OFFICE

### Reenrollment Reminder

Before the Christmas holiday, we have sent the 2018-2019 reenrollment form. Please complete the reenrollment form and return it with the appropriate fees to the BAIS office on or before **Friday, March 2, 2018**. The reenrollment form can be collected in the school office, on the school website, and is also attached in the email you received for this edition of the BAIS BUZZ. Your child's reenrollment for the **2018-2019** school year is secure when this form and the accompanying payment have been received. Payment can be made by bank transfer or cash to the finance office.

The bank account information is the following:

Bank Name: PT Bank Permata  
Bank Address: Jalan Merdeka No. 66, Bandung  
Account Name: Yayasan Bandung Alliance Intercultural S  
Account #: 809-01-8415  
Swift Code: BBBAIDJA

Please note after March 2, 2018 your child's seat in class is no longer secure. Some classes are close to their student limit, so please reenroll promptly to ensure your student's seat. The 7,000,000 IDR non-refundable reenrollment deposit will be applied towards the student's fall 2016 tuition. After March 2, 2018, only 5,500,000 IDR of the 7,000,000 IDR deposit will be applied towards the student's fall 2018 tuition.

We appreciate your support! If you have any questions, please stop by the office at any time.

BAIS CFO



**What?** Evening Seminar for Parents and Students  
**Who?** Dr. Joosung Lee

- MIT Alumnus
- Professor at KAIST
- Entrepreneur of K-Lab
- Published author

**When?** The evening of February 14  
**Where?** BAIS MPR  
**Topic?** Finalized next week

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## STUDENT DOCUMENTS NEEDED

We would like to inform you that every student at BAIS who is not an Indonesian citizen must present a valid KITAS and Passport copy (students and parents) to BAIS. For Indonesian citizens, you must present the Birth Certificate to BAIS. Please submit an official letter to us if your documents are still in process.

Thank you for your prompt consideration.

Your sincerely  
BAIS OFFICE

