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Growing Together: Supporting Every Step of Their Journey

Dear Parents,

Time goes by very fast, and we are now entering Term 2 of AY2025/2026, a new chapter filled with discovery, growth, and meaningful experiences. Each day, we are excited to see our students explore new ideas, face challenges, and build the skills that help them flourish inside and beyond the classroom walls.

Grade 7 is an important milestone as children transition from Primary to Middle School. Parents may notice changes in their behaviour from being energetic and talkative to becoming more reserved, selective with friends, or enjoying quiet time pursuing personal interests. Each child adapts to this stage in their own unique way. BINUS SCHOOL Surabaya provides an excellent environment for students who are moving up from primary to middle school.

As a school community, we are committed to supporting our students throughout their journey. On November 22nd 2025, BINUS SCHOOL

Surabaya will host a students' and parents' special session on managing the emotional transition from childhood to teenager together. A famous Psychiatrist dr. Aimee Nugroho Sp.KJ. will share strategies and unvaluable advice on how to continue nurturing children with care and understanding during this important period.

Finally, we warmly welcome all Binusian parents to join the **BINUS SCHOOL Surabaya PSG (Parents Support Group)**, which will allow for parents to strengthen the bond and collaboration between the families and the school.



Mr. Alexandre Nenes
Principal of BINUS SCHOOL Surabaya

Later, similarly, the school will launch the **Student Council**, which will foster the spirit of compassionate leadership and contribute in creating meaningful activities.

Let us continue to be positive role models for our children and walk alongside them in their journey of growth.

Warm regards,

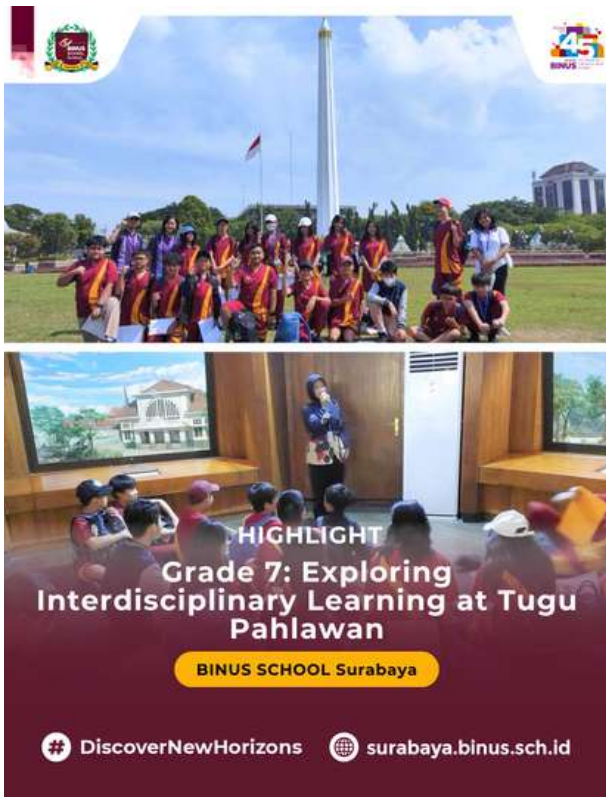
Alexandre T. Nenes
Principal
BINUS SCHOOL Surabaya

A Milestone Celebration

Learning Friendship Beyond the Classroom

To deepen their understanding of friendship in the Unit of Inquiry “Who We Are,” our Early Years 3 students spent a joyful day learning through hands-on experiences beyond the classroom walls. Through various activities, they **discovered the importance of teamwork and caring for one another**, realizing how shared experiences become more meaningful when done together.

This field trip also provided a wonderful opportunity for our young learners to live out one of the BINUS values, S.P.I.R.I.T, particularly T for Teamwork. It was a memorable day filled with laughter, collaboration, and valuable lessons about friendship and community.



Interdisciplinary Adventure: Exploring Maths, Art, PPKN, and English at Tugu Pahlawan!

Grade 7 students had a memorable field trip to Tugu Pahlawan, combining lessons from Mathematics, Art, PPKN, and English. They measured and sketched the monument, bringing math and art to life, while learning about its historical significance. Students also reflected through writing, sharing their thoughts and discoveries. This hands-on experience showed **how subjects connect in real life, inspiring curiosity, creativity, and a deeper appreciation for Surabaya's history**, a truly enriching day beyond the classroom!

Building a Safer School Zone Together



A Few Ways We Can Make a Difference



East Area



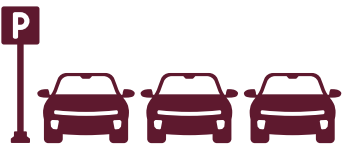
West Area



Drop-Off



Pick-Up



Drive Safely and Attentively

- East Area: max 20 km/h
- West Area: max 10 km/h

Follow the Drop-Off & Pick-Up System

Use designated areas and help your child exit on the pavement side.

Park Responsibly & Be Patient

Use marked spaces and turn off your engine if waiting over a minute. Queues may happen stay calm and sets a great example for our children.



Respect School Staff & Security

They're here to ensure safety for everyone. Let's cooperate and follow their guidance.



Car Sticker

Show your official BINUS SCHOOL Surabaya sticker on the front right window.

⚠ Vehicles without stickers may not be allowed to enter

Middle School Programme

Future Innovators in an AI-Powered World



Our students have started an exciting Science and Technology project that combines creativity, teamwork, and innovation. Using LEGO® Spike kits, **they are designing and building prototypes of an AI-Integrated Trashcan**, a smart bin model that can automatically sort waste by type, such as plastic, paper, or metal.

Although the prototypes are small-scale, the learning is big! Through this hands-on project, students explore how science and technology can work together to solve real-world problems like waste management and environmental protection. This activity is part of our interdisciplinary learning program, where subjects like Science, Technology, Design, and Environmental Studies come together.

Students apply knowledge from different areas while learning about **coding, robotics, and problem-solving in a fun, practical way.**

Working closely with the Science teacher, the students guided step by step, helping them understand how sensors, motors, and coding work. Each group experiments with creative designs and innovative coding ideas to improve their prototypes' performance.

Through this project, students develop valuable **digital literacy skills, learning to use technology safely, responsibly, and purposefully.** More than just building with LEGO, they are building confidence, curiosity, and creativity, learning that technology is not only something to use but a powerful tool to make a positive difference in the world.



Primary Programme

Celebrations Across the Globe with a Special Story from a BINUSIAN Parent!



As part of their final Unit of Inquiry, our Grade 1 students explored the theme “Who We Are” through the topic Family Traditions and Celebrations. This unit encouraged them to reflect on their own family practices while discovering how people around the world celebrate important moments in their lives. Throughout the inquiry, students learned that every tradition, whether it’s a family meal, a holiday celebration, or a special gathering, carries stories, values, and meaning that bring

people together. They explored concepts such as **culture, diversity, and connection**, helping them understand that while families may celebrate differently, the feeling of togetherness is something we all share. To deepen their understanding, **one of our international parents joined the class** as a guest speaker and shared about his home country, Iran. He talked about Iranian customs and celebrations, giving the students a glimpse into the country’s rich culture.



To conclude the unit, students proudly came to school **dressed in their traditional clothing** and **brought along dishes that represented their family’s background**. Each child presented their food to the class, explaining what it was and why it was meaningful to their family. The classroom came alive with colors, stories, and the wonderful aroma of dishes from around the world. The day turned into a joyful celebration of learning, one that reminded students how our differences make our community richer, and how **understanding others helps us build empathy and respect**. It was truly a heartwarming way to wrap up the Unit of Inquiry, celebrating not only cultures but also the spirit of being part of one global family.

Early Years Programme

Building Friendship and Fine Motor Skills One Colourful Link at a Time

Learning in Early Years 3 is always filled with **joy, creativity, and discovery**. This week, our EY3 students engaged in an exciting art activity that brought colors and friendships to life!

As part of their exploration of the concept of color patterns, the children worked together to create beautiful paper chains, transforming simple materials into vibrant works of art.

This engaging activity was closely connected to our ongoing Unit of Inquiry, "Who We Are," where **students are learning that friendship is about caring, cooperating, and helping one another**. Through this hands-on experience, children discovered that teamwork not only makes learning fun but also helps them understand the value of empathy and collaboration.

As they carefully chose and linked colored strips of paper, the students practiced recognizing patterns, sequencing, and fine motor skills. But more importantly, they learned that even the smallest gestures, like sharing materials or holding a paper strip for a classmate, can make a big difference. Each link in their paper chain became a symbol of unity, reminding them that when we work together, we can create something truly beautiful.

At BINUS SCHOOL Surabaya, we believe that meaningful learning happens through play and exploration. Activities like this not only strengthen academic foundations but also nurture essential life skills such as communication, teamwork, and creative thinking. Our young learners are discovering that friendship and cooperation are the building blocks of a strong, caring community, one link at a time.





News & Updates

Strengthening Our Commitment to Educational Excellence as BINUS SCHOOL Surabaya Joins ANPS



BINUS SCHOOL Surabaya is proud to announce that we are now an **official member of The Association of National and Private Schools (ANPS)**, a vibrant community of educators in Indonesia dedicated to promoting best practices in teaching and learning.

Founded in 2001, ANPS is the first organization in Indonesia focused on **improving teacher competence and supporting educational excellence** in national, private, and SPK schools. Through this membership, BINUS SCHOOL Surabaya joins a network of schools and educators who share a passion for continuous growth, innovation, and collaboration.

As an ANPS member, our educators gain access to high-quality professional development programs, including conferences, workshops, and networking events designed to strengthen pedagogical and leadership skills. This partnership also supports our alignment with national education standards and international best practices, ensuring that our students benefit from a rich and future-ready learning experience.

At BINUS SCHOOL Surabaya, we believe that learning never stops, for both students and teachers. Joining ANPS marks another step forward in our mission to deliver holistic, world-class education for every learner.



Embracing Our Diverse Cultural Community

” Celebrating the unique traditions that bring us together as one community ”



Upcoming Events: Beexplore with the Teachers



Meet Our Educators and Explore How Learning Happens in Our Community.



BINUS SCHOOL Surabaya.

Jalan Citra Utama Lidah Kulon No.20, Lakarsantri, Surabaya.



Saturday, 8 November 2025 | 10:00 AM - 12:00 Noon.



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Upcoming Events: Open House

A promotional banner for BINUS SCHOOL Surabaya's Open House event. The background is dark blue with white and yellow text. On the right, a young boy in a school uniform (blue shirt, red vest, blue shorts) is smiling and holding a tablet. Surrounding him are white line-art icons: a lightbulb, a microscope, a laptop with '1+1=' on it, a graduation cap, and test tubes. The text on the banner reads: 'BINUS SCHOOL Surabaya' in white, 'Empowering the Future with Digital Excellence' in large white and yellow letters, 'Saturday, 22 November 2025 10:00AM - 12:00 Noon' in white, 'BINUS SCHOOL Surabaya Jalan Menganti, Lidah Kulon, Surabaya' in white, 'OPEN HOUSE' in large white letters, and 'SCHOOL TOUR | PERSONALISED SCHOOL CONSULTATION' in smaller white letters. In the bottom right corner, there is a QR code with the text 'Scan to Register' above it and 'bin.us/OH2627' below it.

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Get Ready for an Inspiring Experience!

- Meet our Principal and school representative
- Enjoy a one-on-one consultation and school tour
- Experience into our exciting programmes from Early Years to Middle School.



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Upcoming Events (*Highly Recommended for Internal BINUSIAN Parents of Grade 7 Students*): Nurturing Mental Wellbeing: From Primary to Middle School



Supporting Children's Emotional Growth Through Expert Insights



BINUS SCHOOL Surabaya.

Jalan Citra Utama Lidah Kulon No.20, Lakarsantri, Surabaya.



Saturday, 22 November 2025 | 10:00 - 11:00 AM.



Together with dr. Aimee Nugroho, Sp.KJ.

Let's explore meaningful strategies to support children's mental wellbeing from Primary to Middle School.



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Upcoming Events: BINUS YogaPilates



A Wellness Session for Binusian Parents



BINUS SCHOOL Surabaya.

Jalan Citra Utama Lidah Kulon No.20, Lakarsantri, Surabaya.



Every Wednesday | 9:30 - 10:30AM.



Binusian Parents Wellness Session with Coach Diex Poer

Unwind with expert-led Yoga and Pilates, and embrace a moment of self-care amidst your busy schedule.

Upcoming Events: Open House

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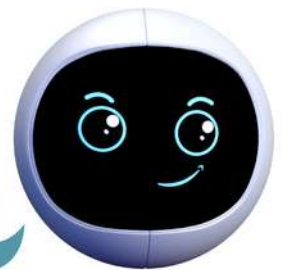
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