

# Parent Volunteer Organizations



When you choose a school for your children, you are really choosing a community. For parents and students alike, JIS is where strong friendships are built and countless memories happen.

Parent engagement takes many forms. You could run a cooking class, contribute in UN day by sharing cultures and costumes from your home country, read a book at Story Hour, chaperone a field trip or be a room parent in the Elementary.

If you have older children, be present at a parent-run facility, organize a luncheon, support a home game or enjoy one of our weekly student concerts or performances.

You can also get involved in a more structured way through specific parent organizations at the school.

Here at JIS, we have several branches of parent volunteer organizations to choose from: Parent Teacher Association (PTA), D'toko, Parents' Booster Club, and Parent Welcome.

If you like being active, come enjoy sports facilities unparalleled in Indonesia. Participate in community sports for parents and faculty, from baseball to volleyball. You can also just enjoy the green, open spaces of our 36- acre campus, surrounded by century-old tropical trees and blooming flowers.

*At JIS we don't just welcome you on campus, we value and encourage your presence. Volunteering however, is not mandatory as there are countless ways to be immersed in the JIS community; we are sure you will find your niche here. We have hundreds of volunteer positions, and we are grateful for your contribution and participation.*

*Our doors are open. You are welcome. You are wanted.*

**Dahlia Soeleiman Asmat**  
JIS School-Wide PTA President

**For general information on parent volunteering opportunities at JIS or to give feedback, suggestions and recommendations, please contact the respective organizations here below.**

## Parent Teacher Association



PTA has the largest membership in the whole volunteer organizations at JIS: parents/ guardians of a JIS student, and faculty members at JIS are automatically members of the JIS PTA. You are warmly invited to live this membership by attending any PTA meetings, events, and to participate in all that the PTA has to offer. The PTA contributes to JIS the little extras that are part of life at an international school such as family events, bazaars,

teachers' appreciations and the like. All these events are enjoyable ways to bring JIS parents and families together, while also bringing opportunities to raise funds for fun, academic and service projects linked to the school community. Some of the school-wide events organized by the PTA are the JIS PTA Holiday Bazaar, the JIS PTA Family Fun Fair and the JIS PTA Golf Tournament. The PTA consists of an umbrella called School-Wide PTA (SW PTA) and overarches the four Campus PTAs – Pattimura Elementary School (PEL PTA), Pondok Indah Elementary (PIE PTA), Middle School (MS PTA), and High School (HS PTA). The SW PTA is the governing

body of the four campus PTAs. The PTA publishes the PTA Newsletter, a digital bulletin published every Thursday available via the digital parent bulletins and circulated among the PTA grade-level group-chats. The PTA Newsletter contains information about PTA events, volunteer opportunities and other events throughout Jakarta that might be of interest to the JIS community. All are welcome to volunteer at the PTA; there are many positions that might suit your interests and availability. Parents are suggested to volunteer at the Campus PTAs where their child(ren) attend, while School-Wide PTA welcomes and encourages parent

volunteers from all grade-levels. To learn more about the PTA, please contact us at [pta@jisedu.or.id](mailto:pta@jisedu.or.id). Alternatively, you can also contact the Campus PTA directly, at: Pondok Indah Elementary Campus: [pta-pie@jisedu.or.id](mailto:pta-pie@jisedu.or.id). Pattimura Elementary Campus: [pta-pel@jisedu.or.id](mailto:pta-pel@jisedu.or.id). Middle School Campus: [pta-ms@jisedu.or.id](mailto:pta-ms@jisedu.or.id). High School Campus: [pta-hs@jisedu.or.id](mailto:pta-hs@jisedu.or.id). We look forward to making a difference together with you and providing a more rewarding and enjoyable experience to our beloved JIS Community!

## D'Toko



Staying true to its motto of “From Moms to Kids,” D'Toko is a 100% parent-run community store that has been serving middle and high school dragons hot meals, snacks and healthy beverages, and supplying them with stationery since 2005. With over 100 moms on its team of volunteers, D'Toko has grown to become a staple spot for dragons of all ages on campus. Always serving food made with love in a timely and efficient manner, D'Toko truly exuberates the aura of home in the midst of a bustling campus.

Key Points Of D'Toko

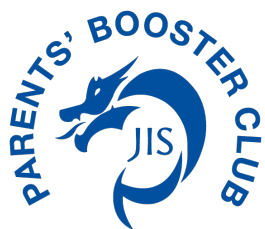
### Operations:

- Middle and high school students are served daily from 7:30 AM - 3:00 PM. Hot breakfast and lunch items are available daily. Our menu ranges from meals, to snacks to home-baked goods. All items on the menu are chosen with the intention of serving healthier food and snacks to the JIS Dragons.
- Most meals in D'Toko are home-cooked by our volunteers, while others are outsourced from trusted vendors.
- Bringing functionality and convenience to the campus, D'Toko serves as JIS' only one-stop shop for stationery supplies. The items sold include notebooks, binders, pencil cases and highlighters.
- D'Toko operates a staggered system of controlled sales throughout the school day, with particular reference to Middle School children.
- D'Toko supports and sponsors Middle and High School activities as well as external causes and charities through ad hoc donations.
- D'Toko shows appreciation to students every semester by hosting “free food” days.
- Ingredients for food sold at D'Toko are sourced from reputable and established stores and outlets in Jakarta.

Over the years, D'Toko has stayed true to our philosophy of giving back to the students as much as possible. All earnings collected through the sale of our products are cycled back into the JIS

community in the form of the co-sponsorship of various Middle School and High School activities. These events are decided upon by the D'Toko Core Members every year, with no precedent set from the last year. In an effort to adapt to the protocols set due to COVID-19, D'Toko is running online this academic year through the form of a website: <https://www.jisdtko.com/> Come join us as a volunteer if you love giving back to the JIS community! If you wish to volunteer, please contact Volunteer Coordinator, [dtokovolunteercoord@gmail.com](mailto:dtokovolunteercoord@gmail.com). For questions, feedback on meals, service or any aspect of D'Toko's operations, please contact us at [dtoko@jisedu.or.id](mailto:dtoko@jisedu.or.id).

## Parents' Booster Club



The JIS Parents' Booster Club, (popularly known as The Booster) supports IASAS and Exchange, Varsity sports and non-academic activities that

promote the JIS Dragon Spirit. The Booster operates the Booster Hut at the Cilandak campus, which is open Monday to Friday, 08:30 – 03:00 PM on most school days. The Booster Hut offers PE / Sport uniforms, Travel Shirts, JIS Spirit wears and various types of merchandise, healthy snacks, grab-and-go meals, home baked treats and drinks. All profits

from the Booster Hut go towards supporting The Booster's mission. Booster Hut volunteers are needed on a bi-weekly basis to help with the running of the store in either the morning or afternoon. We are always looking for volunteers and it is a great way to meet new people and interact with our students. Volunteer opportunities, either regular or ad-hoc by event (such

as; when we host IASAS Games) are open to Middle School and High School parents, and we would love to have you! Please complete ‘Sign-up for a Booster's Volunteers’ form available at Parents' Booster Club webpage or email [booster@jisedu.or.id](mailto:booster@jisedu.or.id) if you have any questions. Go Dragons!

## Parent Welcome



### Parent Welcome

Selamat datang di JIS (Welcome to JIS) from the Parent Welcome team. We are a parent group of diverse cultural backgrounds who have lived in various parts of the world and we are here to

assist you in your transition into JIS and in Jakarta. Parent Welcome organizes various informative sessions and social events which are open to all JIS parents, as well as Weekly Friday Coffee Mornings from 9:00 - 11:00 AM at the Parent Lounge in front of the Fine Arts Theater (FAT) at the Cilandak Campus (enter through Terogong Gate).

Come and join us at PW events and excursions such as: New Parents Welcome Coffee Mornings, Grocery Shopping Trips, Expat Transition Talks, Health Talks, Travel Talks, Discover Jakarta Cultural Excursions, Luncheon & Social Evenings. More information on Parent Welcome and our activities can be found on JISNet (JIS Online

Community Portal) under the tab School-wide/Parent Volunteer Organization/ Parent Welcome. You can find us on Fridays from 9:00- 11:00 AM at the Parent Lounge or write to us, For All campuses: [parentwelcome@jisedu.or.id](mailto:parentwelcome@jisedu.or.id) Looking forward to meeting you, JIS Parent Welcome team.