



# BAHASA INDONESIA AT THS

## SOCIAL STRATEGIES

Language learning strategies are used by all students as they learn a second language. Research indicates that successful language learners use a wide range of strategies and change their strategy use to fit the tasks required of them. Indonesian students (year 7-10) are assessed on how they manage, organize, reflect on and evaluate their language learning. Here are some social strategies that students can use. Parents can help their child learn Indonesian by discussing these strategies (what they mean and how to use them in class).

### 1. Asking questions

Ask others (teachers or friends) to repeat, paraphrase or explain a word, phrase or grammar rule.

Ask a friend to correct your work before you hand it in for marking.

### 2. Cooperating with others

Cooperate with your peers: control competitiveness and rivalry to improve pair and group work.

Practise with classmates and students from a higher year level.

### 3. Empathizing with others.

Develop a cultural understanding of how and when to use certain phrases. E.g. Are you using the right level of formality?

## Easter in Indonesia (Hari Paskah di



### Did you Know....?

Indonesia has the largest Muslim population in the world yet it also has a large Christian population [approx. 24 million] and therefore Good Friday and Easter Sunday are National public holidays. Occasionally plays, representing the crucifixion, are shown.

This picture shows Easter eggs created by Petra Christian University which were displayed at Grand City Mall on April 2, 2015 in Surabaya, Indonesia.



Es telur

## Mixed Fruit Drink (Es Teler)

Es teler is a very simple dish to make, as long as you have an Asian grocery nearby. Most of the ingredients for making es teler are found in the canned fruit aisle. It is sweet and refreshing on a hot day.

### Ingredients

- 1 avocado, spooned out**
- 5 jack fruit, sliced in small pieces**
- ¼ young coconut meat**
- ¼ lb. sugar palm fruit**
- Condensed milk**

### Instructions

**In a glass or a bowl, place all the fruity ingredients.**

**On top of the fruits, put the shaved ice and thepour the condensed milk as much as you want.**

**Makes 2-3 servings.**

**Note: Some people like to also pour a little bit of light coconut milk.**



### Try 3 before me!

**To help students become more independent learners, they could try:**

**Looking in a dictionary.**

**Asking a friend.**

**Checking their kata-kata baru**

**Looking in their workbook.**

**Reading their notes.**

**Looking in the textbook.**

**Checking the posters in the room.**

**Reading the white board.**



# Guru

## Interview with a Travelling



**Bu Graham went to Indonesia over the summer holidays. Let's find out how she went.**

**Ibu McCarthy: How long were you in Indonesia over the summer break?**

**Bu Graham: 2 weeks (dua minggu)**

**Ibu McCarthy: Why did you decide to go to Jakarta?**

**Bu Graham: To visit our new sister school in Malang which is in East Java.**

**Ibu McCarthy: What did you do while you were there?**

**Bu Graham: I travelled around Jakarta. I visited the Australian embassy to meet people who work in the government within the Australian Indonesia relationship of commerce, trading and education. I also visited Bogor Botanical Gardens and then I went to SMAK CorJesu for a week.**

**Ibu McCarthy: How will Trafalgar High School students have contact with students from SMAK COR JESU students?**

**Bu Graham: through skype and also Google apps—it is a work in progress.**

**Ibu McCarthy: Describe your accommodation.**

**Bu Graham: In the first four days I was in ALILA Hotel in Jakarta then during my time at the sister school I stayed in the Nunnery at the school. I was able to speak with the Nuns that lived there and also experience a traditional Indonesian bathroom. This includes a BAK MANDI which is a tub of water which you scoop the water out of it with a GAYUNG and pour it over your body until you are completely wet.**

**Ibu McCarthy: What was the most delicious thing that you ate?**

**Bu Graham: Ikan Gurami and Sate ayam. Ikan gurami is a fish dish (whole fish) and sate ayam is satay chicken**