KTJ PRIMARY SECONDARY

KOLEJ TUANKU JA'AFAR

Nadzimuddin House

2026-27

Message from Head of Houses, Mr Hamish Farquharson



The inspiration for KTJ stemmed from the Founders' experience attending British boarding schools. Their vision of creating a school that encapsulated the strengths and values of a British boarding education, infused with the vitality of Malaysian culture, remains as strong today as it was in 1989. Boarding and the house system are the jewels in Kolej Tuanku Ja'afar's crown, the "secret sauce" that helps our students grow and flourish, and allows the school to provide a truly holistic education.

Our dedicated and experienced Houseparents are devoted to creating a safe, harmonious space that is warm, homely, and nurturing. They, along with their teams, serve as role models for the young men and women in their care. Our houses, both day and boarding, are essential settings to manifest the three key ideals from our school song: loyalty, learning, and leadership. Through the house system, students build a deep loyalty to one another and to their house—a loyalty that's manifested through sport and competition and endures well into adulthood. The house is also a place of learning, where students study and collaborate daily, with support from seniors and house staff. And through the house system comes leadership, with the independence and resilience fostered by boarding life providing a multitude of opportunities for our boys and girls to transform into young men and women who lead their peers with confidence, élan, and pride.

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House Parent:
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I am Andrew Price and I am very honoured to have been the Houseparent of Nadzimuddin House for the past five years.

As well as a Houseparent, I am a History teacher and EPQ Coordinator. I also run a number of CCAs, particularly football which I really enjoy.

Leading Nadzimuddin is an extremely rewarding experience and I love meeting so many talented young people and watching them develop into very successful students ready to take on the world. We have a very strong academic tradition in the House and both our IGCSE and A Level students achieve excellent results. Indeed, most of our A Level students get accepted into world-class universities and go on to achieve great things in their chosen field of study. In recent years, our boys have been offered places to study at Oxbridge, Ivy League, as well as other prestigious universities, such is the calibre of students we have here. I really enjoy creating an atmosphere in which everyone can thrive and reach their full academic potential.

I also really value the holistic education which we offer at KTJ. We organise a number of in-house activities like the House Quiz, movie evenings, and of course, regular makans. This is an opportunity for the students to integrate and to have fun so that the House spirit is always buoyant, especially in House events and competitions. It is very important to me that the boys see Nadzimuddin as a happy home where they are comfortable and fully supported so they can really thrive.

Finally, my aim is to ensure that the boys are prepared for the challenges and opportunities which lay beyond life at KTJ. I want them to become confident, able, resilient and respectful as they move on to the next stage of their lives.

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Resident Tutor: Mr Ang Kwi Shin

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I have been at Kolej Tuanku Ja'afar since 1996 and joined Nadzimuddin boarding family in 1998, and I teach Physics. I see boarding as a wonderful experience in which students grow, mature and develop their independence. My role as House Tutor at Nadzimuddin House is important to me as it offers the chance to have a positive impact on wider aspects of the school and to work more intensely in an area where I'm passionate about: pastoral care.



House Tutor: Mr Sathiya Murthy

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I have been at the Kolej Tuanku Ja'afar since 2001 as a Fleet, Health and Safety Manager, and I became a House Tutor in 2017. My role is to ensure the students follow the house rules, do prep in the evening and ensure they are going to bed on time for the next day's classes. I provide the students with help and guidance when required, helping to create a comfortable and supportive learning environment where the students can push themselves to their full potential.

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House Coordinator: Ms Irena De Filippou

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Hello! My name is Irena De Filippou, and I am absolutely thrilled to be the House Coordinator for Nadzimuddin House. I'm an alumna returning to the fold, and it's a full-circle moment for me. I had the privilege of being part of Irinah House during my school years here, and it's safe to say I'm excited to be back and ready to make some more unforgettable memories! I am incredibly passionate about child and adolescent psychology and am dedicated to fostering an environment where every student feels safe, supported, and inspired. As the House Coordinator, I aim to blend a bit of fun with a lot of care, ensuring our students not only succeed academically but also enjoy a well-rounded and happy school life.

House Captains: Chae



Welcome to Nazimuddin!
I'm Chae, your House Captain for 2026/2027. I'll be helping and guiding you throughout the process of settling into boarding life and balancing the busy KTJ schedule.
I joined KTJ in Year 9 and have been a member of Nadzimuddin ever since, so I know just about everything there is to know about our house.
Nadzimuddin has always been a pivotal part of my journey at KTJ. The welcoming environment created by both the house staff and seniors made me feel at home from the very beginning. Seeing everyone come together to compete, cheer, and support one another during house events truly represents the very best of the KTJ boarding experience.
Whether you want to have a serious conversation, ask for advice, or simply share an achievement you're proud of, my room is always free for you to burst right in. I'll do my best to help with any challenges you may face, and for the things I can't help with, there are plenty of capable and welcoming seniors who are always willing to help you out.
Think of Nadzimuddin as your second home. We will always support you, encourage you, and have your back. I am incredibly excited to see each and every one of you strive in KTJ, and I'll make sure to be alongside you every step of the way!



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