KTJ PRIMARY SECONDARY

KOLEJ TUANKU JA'AFAR



Naquiah Day 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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As an active member of the KTJ community, I'd like to take this opportunity to share a little about my background and the passion I bring to supporting your child in Naquiah Day House – a true Pastel Blue!

With over 20 years of experience in education, leadership, and sports coaching, I am passionate about developing young people both in and beyond the classroom. Originally from the United Kingdom and of Caribbean heritage, I have built an international career spanning the UK, USA, Brazil, Kenya, and now Malaysia, gaining extensive experience working with students from diverse cultural and educational backgrounds.

I come from a strong sporting background and have had the privilege of representing England and Great Britain competing at national and international championships in countries including France, New Zealand, Spain, and South Africa. These experiences instilled in me the values of commitment, resilience, teamwork, and continuous improvement that continue to shape my approach as an educator and pastoral leader.

Currently, I serve as House Parent of Naquiah Day House at Kolej Tuanku Ja'afar, where I am committed to creating a caring and inclusive environment that enables students to flourish academically, socially, and personally.
Our NQHD team strive to ensure that every student feels a strong sense of belonging, purpose, and opportunity within our school community – as we say "The NQHD Way"

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House Tutor: Mr Khairul Hilmi
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Hi everyone, and welcome! My name is Khairul, and I work in the Design & Technology (DT) department. You'll often see me in the DT room helping with tools, machines, and projects. If you ever need help with anything in DT — or even around school — feel free to ask. I'm always happy to help! Last year's NQHD students were a really great group — friendly, fun, and supportive of each other. I hope this year will be the same or even better for all of you. It's a place where you'll make new friends, have fun, and grow together. If you're ever unsure, need something, or just want to chat, there's always someone here to support you. We want you to feel happy, safe, and enjoy your time here. Looking forward to seeing you around — especially in DT!



House Tutor: Mr Muhammad Eddin Missuan
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I'm Mr. Eddin. I am a Secondary PE teacher with 11 years of teaching experience across three schools. Throughout my career, I have taken on a variety of pastoral roles, including working within a boarding house, supporting Key Stage 3 students, and serving as a Year 7 Form Tutor. These experiences have strengthened my passion for supporting students both inside and outside the classroom.

As a Naquiah Day House Tutor, I hope to be a trusted and approachable presence for students, supporting their health, wellbeing, social development, and pastoral needs. I look forward to building positive relationships with students and parents, celebrating their successes, and helping every student feel supported, valued, and part of our community.

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House Tutor: Ms Nur Izzatul Hidayah Rusli

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With over 10 years experience in teaching and now becoming a House Tutor who is passionate about supporting students both academically and personally. With a background in Linguistics and experience in education, I enjoy creating a positive, caring, and inclusive environment where every student feels valued. I believes that boarding life provides unique opportunities for students to develop independence, resilience, and meaningful friendships. Known for her approachable nature, patience, and sense of humour, I am always happy to listen, offer guidance, and celebrate students' achievements. Outside of work, I enjoy spending time with family and friends



House Coordinator: Mr Eizat Firdaus

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Hello, my name is Eizat, and I am the House Coordinator for Naquiah Day House. Returning to KTJ as an alumnus has been a truly rewarding experience, and I am grateful for the opportunity to support and inspire the next generation of students.

After completing my MSc in Sport Psychology at the University of the West of England (UWE) in 2024, I joined KTJ and now lead Sport Psychology workshops as part of our Sport Performance Programme. I also work closely with the House Parent of Naquiah Day House to foster a caring and inclusive community, helping our day students feel supported, connected, and at home throughout their KTJ journey.

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House Captains: Lyssa and Evan



I am incredibly grateful for the opportunity to serve as Naquiah Day House Captain, alongside Evan, for the 2026-2027 academic year. Although I have been at KTJ for around four years, I have only spent one year in Secondary. From the moment I joined, Naquiah Day welcomed me with open arms, and I hope we can continue to extend that same welcome to the new Year 7s, Year 8s, and all the students who join us in the future.
While we may not all be close friends, or even know each other's names, I believe that everyone in Naquiah Day plays an important role in creating a positive and inclusive House community. As House Captain, I hope to help organise events that students are excited to participate in and will remember long after they have taken place. I aim to be a leader who listens, supports others, and represents Naquiah Day with pride.
I will always do my best to help make NQHD the very best it can be: a House where everyone feels welcomed, valued, and proud to belong.



I am incredibly grateful for the opportunity to serve as Naquiah Day House Captain alongside Lyssa for the 2026–2027 academic year. Although I have only been in Secondary for one year, I have already experienced how welcoming and supportive Naquiah Day is. From the moment I joined, I felt accepted, and I hope we can continue to give that same welcome to the new Year 7s, the Year 8s joining us this year, and everyone who becomes part of our house in the future. As House Captain, I want to help strengthen those connections and make sure everyone feels like they belong.I promise to always do my best in this role. I want to be someone people feel comfortable approaching with ideas, suggestions, or concerns. If other members in the Council have an idea that could improve our house, I will do everything I can to help make it happen. While I may not be able to achieve every goal on my own, I am committed to listening to our students and working together to make Naquiah Day the best it can I genuinely enjoy being. I hope to help organise fun and memorable events, encourage greater participation, and continue to create an environment where everyone feels welcomed, valued, and be able to thrive. I want students to be proud showing the NQHD way!



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