



Enquiring Minds - Brighter Futures

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Friendship Spans across the Seas

Students from, SMA N 1 Kasihan, Bantul, a Senior Secondary College in Yogyakarta, Indonesia will arrive in Glenroy on Saturday 2nd August as part of Glenroy College's Sister School program. This is the third time students from Yogyakarta have come to Glenroy College. They are being hosted by the Glenroy College community and are attending school for 2.5 weeks. Six students and two teachers are being hosted by the school. They will arrive on Saturday the 2nd of August and return to Indonesia on the 16th August.

It is a great opportunity for the students of Glenroy to learn more about Indonesia and also for them to practise their Indonesian skills. Indonesian has been taught at Glenroy College for 4 years now and this is one way we are strengthening our Languages Program. Next year, the friendship will be reciprocated whereby a group of Glenroy College students and teachers will travel to Indonesia and spend time with our Sister School for a Languages Study Tour in 2015.

"It is wonderful hosting an exchange student because it is a great experience to learn about another culture", **Ethan Hood, Year 9 and Host Brother 2011, 2012 & 2014.**

If you would like a photo opportunity please contact **Ms. Rachelle Cole**, Languages Coordinator on 9304 0400 or cole.rachelle.r@edumail.vic.gov.au OR **Jacinta Tse**, Community and Communications on 9304 0400 (but only on Mondays or Thursdays) or anytime on tse.jacinta.f@edumail.vic.gov.au