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Dear Parents,

This term in Indonesian, the Kinders will be starting a unit called “**Rumah Saya**” (My House). Each week we’ll open a new “**jendela**” (window) on my big cardboard house and learn some new words associated with that particular room. Some of our vocab will be revision from last term. I’ve found that the three most important secrets to learning a second language are: revision, revision, revision!

The first **jendela** we’ll open will actually be the **pintu depan** (front door), revealing the **keluarga** (family). We’ll review **bapak**, **ibu**, **kakak**, and **adik**. I’ll also teach **kakek** (grandpa), **nenek** (grandma), **laki-laki** (boy) and **perempuan** (girl). The kinders will learn how to say “This is my ..... his/her name is....” Eg. **Ini adik perempuan saya, namanya Beryl.** (This is my little sister, her name is Beryl). Adding the suffix **nya** to a noun indicates *his/her*, Eg. **bukunya** = his/her book.

Don’t forget to send your child’s flashcard pack to school so that we can add new cards for them to practise at home.

Yesus memberkati,

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