

NEW STAFF AT CYBER JAYA



Ms. Priyanka
Social Sci. Coordinator
IGCSE History
KS3 History

Hello. I am Priyanka. Upon completing my postgraduate degree in Economics, I took up a teaching job at a school in India. After a decade of teaching in my homeland, I left for Indonesia where I worked for 3 years. Thereafter, my next destination was Malaysia where I have now spent 6 years teaching IGCSE History and heading up a department. I hold a Cambridge International Diploma for Teachers and Trainers. I am the Social Sciences Coordinator and IGCSE History Teacher at **elc**. I shall continue to instil in the students a love for History. To understand History is to understand our past so as to understand our present. I am constantly looking for ways to make my lessons more interactive. In my spare time, I also like singing, public speaking as well as exploring new places.



Pn. Hezrin
Ugama Coordinator
Bahasa Malaysia KS2+3

I am Hezrin, Ugama and Bahasa Malaysia teacher. I graduated with a degree from Al-Azhar University in Egypt. I also hold a Master's degree in Islamic Studies. I am a self-directed, action-oriented professional with over 8 years' experience in education and community service at university and secondary level. Fluent in Arabic, Chinese, English and Malay, I thoroughly enjoy working with children and encouraging creative expressions.



Ms. Gajraj
Lead Teacher
IGCSE Geography
KS3 Geography

Greetings! I am Alex or better known to my students as Ms Gajraj. I hold a Bachelor's degree and two Masters' from the University of Georgia USA and University of London. I love cheese, adore Wonder Woman and have a penchant for travelling. Currently I am learning Korean. I pride myself in being open-minded and quick thinking. At **elc**, I am the Lead Teacher for IGCSE and KS3 Geography. Many students do not know the benefits of studying Geography. I intend to, through my lessons, get my students to become better informed and responsible people who can appreciate the importance of learning topics impacting our planet such as global warming and desertification. Having taught in Hong Kong previously, I feel like it is a homecoming.



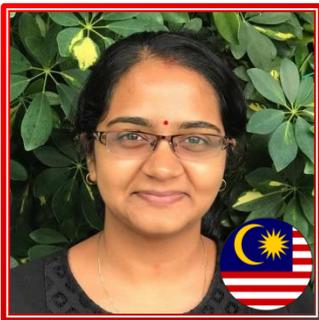
Ms. Jacqi
Lead Teacher
Whole School PE

Hi, I am Jacqi, Lead Teacher, PE. I am Malaysian. I am a Certified swim coach as endorsed by the Malaysia Swimming Association and a life-saving coach certified by the Malaysia Life Saving Society. I am also certified by the World Aquatic Baby Congress as a certified swim instructor for infants. Prior to joining **elc** as a full-time PE Teacher, I was a part-time swim coach. I love food from any origin – be it Western, Chinese or Thai. I am enjoying every moment of my work. I get to indulge in my hobby/ passion, which incidentally is swimming, while teaching the kids to swim and hopefully passing on my passion to them.



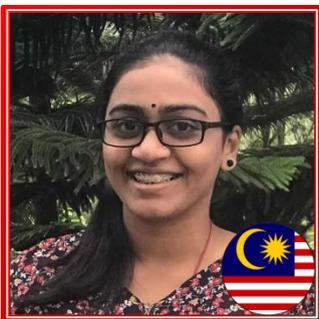
Ms. Nicole
Lead Teacher
Whole School PE

Greetings I am Nicole and I come from South Africa. I graduated with a degree in Sports Science from a university in South Africa. I am also a swim coach. Having taught in South Korea for three-and-a-half years, I noticed some similarity in the food and the students' attitude towards learning in both countries. Food-wise, I can still have my favourite garden salad with lots of tomatoes. However, the weather still needs a little getting used to. I am a Lead Teacher for PE. My best memories as a teacher have been the friends I have made and there has always been something new to learn. Like every new endeavour, I have set myself some goals to achieve in **elc**, one of which is to have each of my students surpass their own expectations.



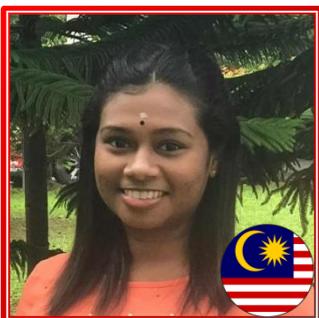
Ms. Nair
Lead Teacher
IGCSE Biology
KS3 Science

My name is Pradheba Nair, or Ms Nair as my students would address me. I am a Malaysian, an honours graduate majoring in Biotechnology. As for hobbies, I sing, do photo galleries but I especially like to make jewellery using silk thread. I might turn my jewellery-making hobby into a business venture one day – most likely when I retire. For the moment, I am the Lead Teacher for IGCSE Biology and KS3 Science. Nothing is more exhilarating than to see my students enjoying their lessons and performing well in their studies. I intend to continue my mission – to help my students enjoy their learning and to be the best they can be, both in and out of the classroom.,



Ms. Gayathiri
Senior Teacher
KS2 Mathematics

I am Gayathiri. I am Malaysian and currently teaching Year 3 and 4 Mathematics. As a believer in life-long learning, I am pursuing a Master in Education (Mathematics) slated for completion in 2018. I hold a Bachelor of Education degree with a major in Mathematics. I love pizzas, am fond of animated movies and songs from Bollywood to Hollywood. I am into active sports such as badminton, going to the gym and dancing. If there is one thing that I like about my job it is the unspeakable joy of sharing and celebrating my students' accomplishments. I love teaching a subject such as Mathematics because it allows me to use my strengths – visualizing, observing and interpreting.



Ms. Kana
Teacher
Reception Class

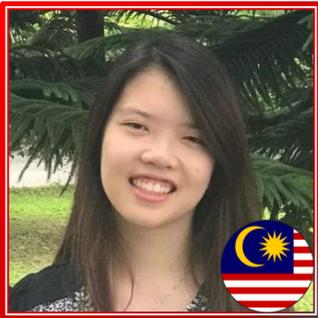
I am Kanageswary, or Ms Kana as my students call me. I am a Malaysian and I hold a Bachelor of Arts in Education. I also have a diploma in Teaching & Learning and had the benefit of having attended the Jolly Phonic & Music workshops. I have a special affinity for the very young children which explains why I have been teaching in the lower primary for the past five years. I like to engross myself in a good book and do voluntary teaching on weekends. I am here to inspire and be inspired.



Ms. Dhiva

Trainee Teacher
Reception Class

Hi, I am Dhivashini, but I am called Ms Dhiva by my students and parents. I am Malaysian. Before joining **elc** Cyberjaya, I was a kindergarten teacher. Like many Malaysians, my favourite food is the ubiquitous fried rice. Occasionally, when time permits, I do a spot of painting. My job has been quite exciting so far - interacting with the little ones and acquiring new skills and experiences. At the moment I am a trainee teacher, but I am really looking forward to the day when I am given my own class.



Ms. Leong

Trainee Teacher
Learning Support

I am Ms Leong, a Malaysian, but Korean food lover and K-pop fan. I am into sports such as badminton and basketball, both of which I represented my secondary school at the district level. I hold a Bachelor's degree in Education (TESL). My passion is in teaching English and I thank **elc** for giving me this opportunity to live my passion. I am a member of the Learning Support Unit whose task is to provide support classes for students in the Primary Division.