



About StART

The first of its kind, StART is an arts academy setup to serve the underprivileged children’s community. StART provides free music, drama, art, craft, dance, speech, writing and life skills lessons to the underprivileged.

Panel of Teachers – P.O.T.S

StART has a permanent panel of dedicated teachers. Our teachers are selected because of their expertise, reputation and exceptional track record of working with children. This permanency of teachers guarantees continuity and long-term child-mentor relationships, thereby ensuring higher rates of success. Here, the P.O.T.S run the weekly classes and closely monitor the children’s progress. Apart from the P.O.T.S, we also have an entourage of industry pros and celebrities closely tied to StART who will give workshops on various topics.

Facilities at StART

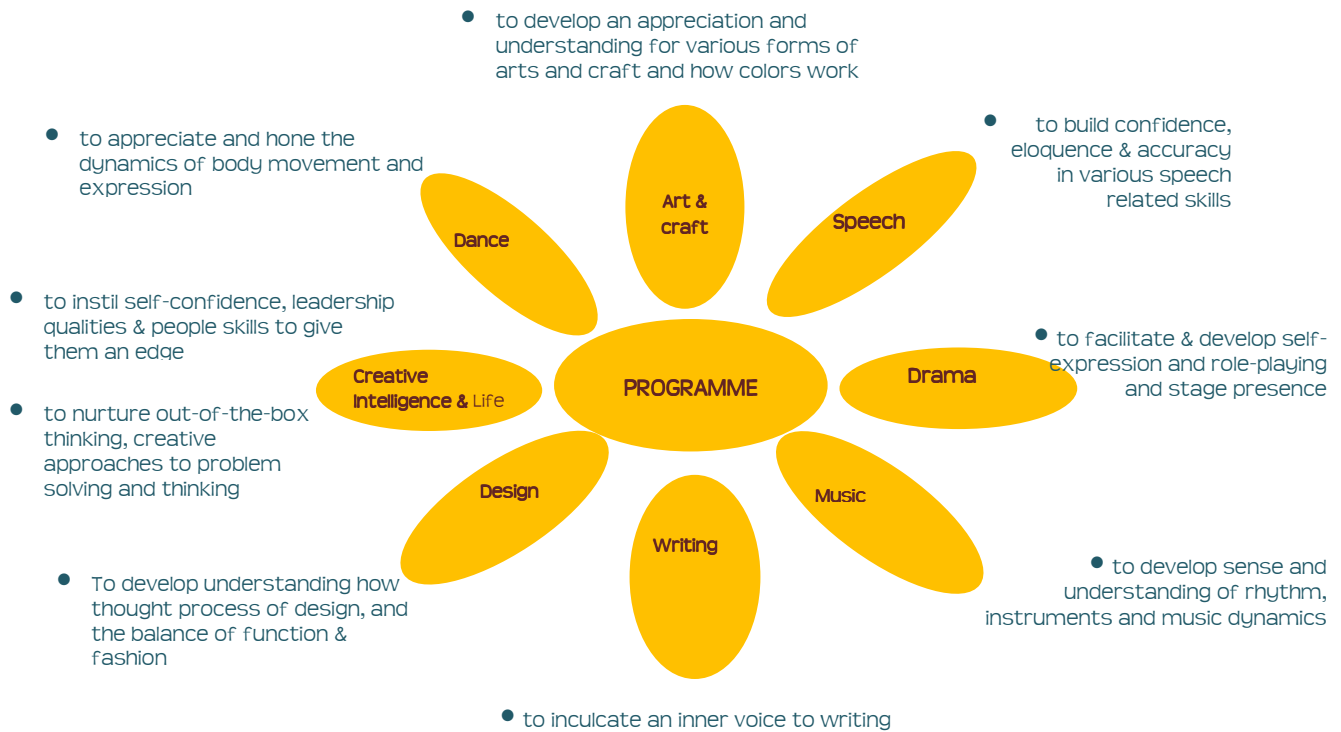
Any child that walks into the StART House will want to come back because of its fun and safe environment. Not only have we designed the environment to be conducive for learning, we have also set up a full-range facility to provide the children with ample hands-on exposure and practice.



Programme & Classes

Classes are ONCE a week per home. The schedule looks something like this:

	Mon		Tue		Wed		Thurs		Fri	
	Home 1		Home 2		Home 3		Home 4		Home 5	
p.m	Prim	Sec	Prim	Sec	Prim	Sec	Prim	Sec	Prim	Sec
3:00 - 3.50	Music 1	Art 2	Music 1	Art 2	Music 1	Art 2	Music 1	Art 2	Music 1	Art2
	Martha	Siew Fong	Beng Lin	Siew Fong	Martha	Siew Fong	Beng Lin	Siew Fong	Martha	Siew Fong
4:00 - 4.50	Art 1	Music 2	Art 1	Music 2	Art 1	Music 2	Art 1	Music 2	Art 1	Music 2
	Siew Fong	Martha/Leroy	Siew Fong	Lin/Leroy	Siew Fong	Martha/Leroy	Siew Fong	Lin/Leroy	Siew Fong	Martha/Leroy
5:00 - 5.30	Dance	Perc.	Dance	Perc.	Dance	Perc.	Dance	Perc.	Dance	Perc.
	Rachel	Leroy	Rachel	Leroy	Rachel	Leroy	Rachel	Leroy	Rachel	Leroy
5.30	End									



Who's Behind StART

As Malaysia's largest integrated communications group, Foetus International gives back to the underprivileged through StART. StART is Foetus's non-government, non-profit organization and brainchild of Datuk Vincent Lee. StART is overseen by Rosie Hong and run by Josh Lee and Rachel Yeow.



Rachel, S.Fong, Martha, Leroy, Josh, Adrienne, Rosie

Our Mission

"Through the healing and liberating power of arts, Start provides underprivileged and at-risk children a safe format to express and articulate emotions, and for them to learn and grow into confident, responsible Malaysians. Start gives happy ending to all."

Our Vision

- To provide a fun, healthy, safe and educational experience on a weekly basis for these children
- To build long term mentor-mentee relationships and trust
- To impart and nurture skills in music, art, drama, dance
- To see emotional and mental wholeness
- To elevate self-confidence and healthy self-image
- To see these children thrive in the arts
- To see them use the arts as their main source/career or side income (art directors, singers, writers, etc)
- To see them come back to the center to inspire the next generation of underprivileged kids

Beneficiaries

To date, we have 150 children who come to our center, and 60 more at the Myanmar Shelter that we reach to. The beneficiaries include:



Rumah KIDS



Stepping
Stone

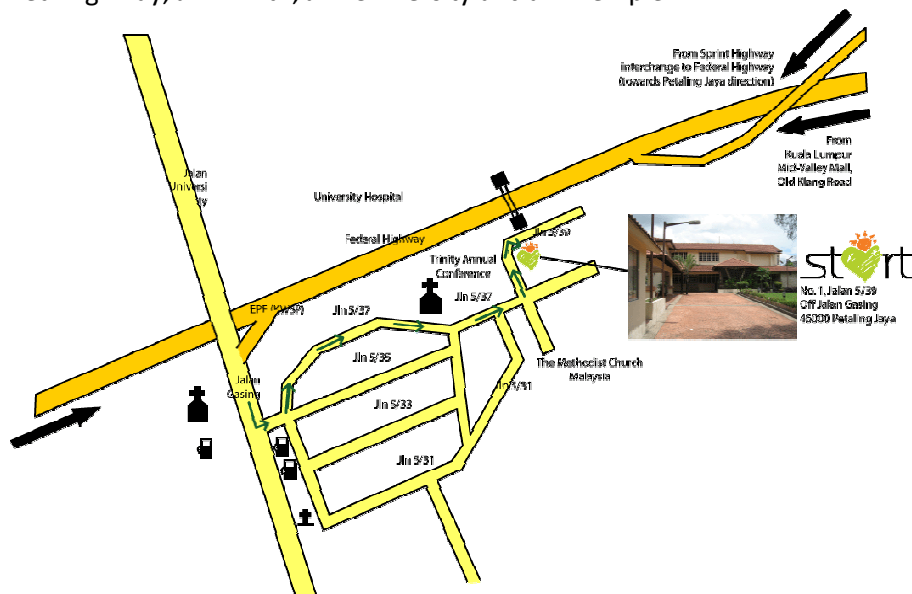


Orang Asli

Negeri

Location & Contact

We're strategically located behind EPF, off Jalan Gasing, near most charity homes and accessible through the Fed Highway, Jln. Timur, Jln. University and Jln. Templer.



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