



West Kalimantan Sponsor a Child



INDONESIA

Serving children in the jungles of Borneo

Indonesia is the world's largest Muslim nation, with more than 170 million people following Islam. Kalimantan, formerly known as Borneo, is one of the largest of the 17,000 islands in the Indonesian archipelago. Most of the people of West Kalimantan are sawmill workers, factory hands, or manual laborers. The cost of living is high compared to the rest of Indonesia because almost everything is imported and there is little cultivation of crops.

Christians offer villagers opportunity of education



Many of the sponsored children live in remote jungle villages without access to basic services—including education.

Muslim families in Indonesia receive government assistance to support their children's education. CNEC-Southeast Asia is helping those families who receive no government support—including Christian families. The Sponsor A Child program helps to support the education of needy children throughout West Kalimantan. Nearly 900 children in 36 scattered villages receive sponsorship. Many travel to school by boat.

- Sponsorship helps children stay in school and also provides an opportunity for many children to receive a complete education—first grade through high school—who otherwise may not have the opportunity.
- Sponsorship also provides an opportunity for the children to learn about Jesus. School-sponsored activities for families provide a way for Christian teachers to share the love of Christ with entire families.
- As more and more families come to know Christ in each village, small fellowships are formed where Christians can worship the Lord together.

Partners International brings Canadians into partnership with indigenous Christian ministries to advance the Kingdom of God. Together, through these Extraordinary Partnerships, we share and demonstrate the love of God that transforms people and makes a lasting difference in their communities.

About Indonesia

- Population: 212.9 million
- Capital: Jakarta
- Official language: Indonesian
- Geography: The nation is made up of 17,000 islands
- Religion: Muslim 80%, Christian 16%, Hindu 2%

Our partners

Christian Nationals Evangelism Commission (CNEC)-Southeast Asia serve the physical and spiritual needs of people through church planting, leadership training, youth centres, orphanages, child sponsorship, drug rehabilitation and other creative initiatives.

Investment Opportunity

- Sponsor a child (\$35/month)



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