



Loving to Learn, Learning to Live, Living to Love”

BCS Team link November 2019

Prayer and Financial Support for Jair Munoz

Jair Munoz, a BCS student in Year 5, has been in the hospital since Monday, 21st October. He had an operation to remove his appendix and then experienced complications. He had another surgery on Saturday, 26th October to fix an obstruction in his intestine. His condition did not improve after that and he was moved to intensive care. He has not been able to eat or drink anything and had been vomiting to relieve the pressure in his stomach. He had a gastric tube to drain the fluid that has been building in his stomach and that helped him feel a bit better. They did another scan and tests and determined that part of his intestine is necrotic. They wanted to do surgery right away, but the family decided to go to Portugal to have this done. They were able to get a loan in order to pay for the private medical flight to Portugal. They left Friday morning, 1st November.



Prayer:

Please pray for Jair and for his family. Pray for wisdom for the doctors to know what the problem is and how to help. Please pray for wisdom for Jairo and Leila to make wise decisions for him. Pray for Rebeca, to have God’s peace during this difficult time as she is staying with us at BCS. Pray for complete healing of Jair’s body.

Collection:

As you can imagine the two surgeries and the long hospital stay and the medical flight to Portugal, is quite expensive for the family. We as a BCS community are trying to help the family as much as possible. We have taken up a collection amongst the staff and parents. And now I feel led to include you in this opportunity to help the family. If you feel God is leading you to contribute to this collection you can give directly to the Munoz’s mission organization. The following is the information for the transfer:

Urgent request

Jair, 9 years old is the son of Leila and Jairo, brazilian missionaries to Senegal. He had complications from an appendix surgery and needs to be evacuated.



Please, donate some amount to:

KAIROS Associação para Treinamento Transcultural
Bank: Itaú Unibanco S.A.

IBAN: BR8760701190007380000101740C1

SWIFT: ITAUBRSP

That is their mission agency account.

Please, send the receipt to: +551198588-6503 (WhatsApp)
or to contato@missaokairos.org.br

Lift Team 2019

We had the help of four guys from Northern Ireland as part of the LIFT Team (Labouring in Faith and Trust). They worked with David and Abasse to renovate one of our staff houses and even had time to repair the bridge wall that fell down near Falcon dorm. They enjoyed their time and some members of the team even said 'next year when we come back...' There has been a team approved for next year so we will see who will come back. We are very thankful for the work that they did.



Languages at BCS!

At BCS there are many languages spoken. We try to teach our students their Mother Tongue. This is not always easy. Right now we teach Dutch, Portuguese, Korean and French as Mother Tongue Languages. Especially teaching MT French is quite interesting since we also teach French as a foreign language for all our students. Because we had enough French teachers this year we organized the students a bit differently. Our year

7, 8 & 9 students are grouped according to ability. They are in 4 different groups; we have 3 levels of French as a foreign language and 1 group of native French speakers. This last group is the most diverse and Anne-Cathy is teaching them at 3-4 different levels.

Our oldest students are being taught in 3 groups, 2 IGCSE groups and 1 advanced group.

Our youngest students (5-8 years old) had some French already, therefore, we decided that instead of formal French language classes, they will be taught Science in French. That way they learn French indirectly. The older primary students learn French in 2 different groups since some of them are native speakers and others are beginners.

Staff needs for 2020-2021

As with every year, we do not know who of the current staff will stay for another year. We are certain that we will need staff; typically half of the team members leave each year. I have attached our staff needs as we know them at the moment. The recruitment flyer for Directors is attached as well. Please help us in promoting these needs in your churches, mission organizations and communities.

Thank you for your prayers and support for BCS!

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