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BEACONHOUSE Malaysia held a groundbreaking ceremony recently for its second international school in Malaysia, Beaconhouse Newlands International School (BNIS), located in Cheras.

The school joins a portfolio of 12 schools and come July 2014, the company will be marking its 10th year anniversary in the Malaysian market.

“The children cannot wait to see the finished product,” BNIS principal Michael Chappell said as he introduced the students who presented a short skit on their hopes and thoughts for the new school building.

The BNIS system provides students with a learning experience where technology blends seamlessly into a modern broad-based curriculum facilitated by fully equipped classrooms and IT suite.

“Built over three acres, the new building will see state-of-the-art facilities.

“The four storeys will house more than 33

classrooms, fully-equipped laboratories, and an ICT room that carries the latest e-learning tools that will give students an added advantage,” Beaconhouse Malaysia regional director Zarina Mobarak said.

Priding themselves on the development of well-rounded students in academic and sports, the expansion will see sporting facilities in multiple disciplines such as squash courts, basketball court, a swimming pool as well as a futsal pitch.

The RM42mil expansion plans which also include part of the national Sri Murni School is scheduled to be completed in July 2014.

Beaconhouse Malaysia has further plans to expand Sri Inai International and to begin groundwork for another International within the Klang Valley area in the beginning of January 2014.

The Beaconhouse School System has over 226,000 students worldwide.



Coming soon: (From left) Beaconhouse Schools System business development and finance director Jehanzeb Shah, Chappell, Zarina, Beaconhouse Schools System chief executive officer Kasim Kasuri, Cambridge Senior Schools development manager Ng Kim Huat and Beaconhouse Malaysia schools director Simon Testa at the groundbreaking event.