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Title

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Circular Number

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Dear Parents / Guardians,

Hope everybody is keeping healthy. Please take note of the following:

Announcements by Senior Minister of Education and Minister of Health on 28 and 27 April 2022 respectively

Effective 1 May 2022, as per the above official announcements, Lodge Group of Schools will abide with the following practices:

- Scanning of MySejahtera and taking of temperature is not required for all upon arrival into our schools.
- It is **compulsory** for all staff and students to wear a face mask properly in the school premises. However, MOE has given flexibility on use of face mask in these environments:
 - when the individual is by oneself (without company);
 - > teachers (of all levels **EXCEPT** kindergarten) when they are conducting lessons in front of their class;
 - > teachers and teaching assistants manning Kindergarten classes are required to adhere to the current guidelines on face mask during teaching and learning time in their classrooms;
 - > children in Kindy A and Kindy B (4 & 5 years old);
 - > during physical education (PE) lessons where group activities are necessary and all sporting activities.
- Physical distancing of 1 meter is not compulsory **ONLY when face mask is put on properly**. It is still mandatory to practice physical distancing when face mask is not put on. Please remind and encourage each other the importance of this SOP and to practice it conscientiously.
- In accordance with announcement by Senior Minister of Education, physical attendance in schools is compulsory effective 1 May 2022. For students who are unable to attend physical lessons, live streaming / recorded lessons will be provided until 30 May 2022.

- Students will continue with the current practice of having their breaks and lunches in the respective classrooms until 30 May 2022.
- Present e-CCA will continue until 30 May 2022.
- Effective 13 June 2022, the following practices will be implemented:
 - Live streaming / recorded lessons will be discontinued.
 - > Students who are unable to be present physically in schools due to medical reasons (parents must submit medical / supporting documents for their absence) will have their lesson materials provided via google classrooms.
 - New timetables will be issued to students via respective class teacher before 13 June 2022. Please refer to attachment for further information.
 - > Our students will be having their breaks and lunch times in the cafeteria, via staggered arrangements.
 - ➤ Uniform bodies, clubs, societies, sports and games will begin their physical activities effective 13 June 2022.
 - ➤ It is compulsory for all students to wear school uniform to school. If they have Physical Education (PE) lessons, they are permitted to wear PE t-shirt directly from home. On co-curriculum days, they can opt to wear their respective uniform bodies / clubs/ societies t-shirt.
 - > Students are required to wear the official blue t-shirt on Fridays. Students from Kindergarten will be wearing the official red t-shirt on Fridays.
- Students who are tested positive for COVID-19 / feeling unwell while still at home, must stay at home and seek medical attention.
- When students are feeling unwell / experiencing COVID-like symptoms while in school:
 - > School authorities will administer saliva self-test **after** prior consent is obtained from parent(s) concerned;
 - ➤ If the test result(s) is positive, student will be placed in isolation room and parent(s) will be notified to bring the student back for medical attention;
 - ➤ If the test result(s) is negative, we will inform the parents and the student is permitted to continue with his lessons in school. Parents can also opt to bring their child for further medical advice.
 - > If consent is not granted by parents for self-test, parent(s) must bring their child back from school.

Yr 13 A-Level Cambridge International Examinations

Above examinations is ongoing and will end on 10 June 2022. We strongly appeal to all students / parents / guardians to be extra cautious and vigilant during these times and not be COVID positive as Cambridge Examination Board does not permit these examinations to be conducted online.

We thank you for your patience, understanding and thoughtfulness during these challenging times. We strongly encourage all parents / guardians to stay vigilant and follow all SOP issued by MOH, NSC & MOE.

We will update as and when we receive new announcement.

For further information, please contact the following:

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Yours Sincerely,

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Attachment

Entity	Level	Lesson Starts	Break Time	Lunch Time	Dismissal Time
Kindy	Kindy A	8am	9.30am - 10am	Only for ASC (After School Care) Immediately after dismissal time	12noon
	Kindy B				12.30pm
	Kindy C				12.45pm
National Primary	Pri. 1 to 3	7.30am	9.30am - 9.50am	11.50am - 12.30pm	3pm
	Pri. 4 to 6				3.30pm
National Secondary	Form 1 to 3	7.30am	10am - 10.30am	12.30pm - 1pm	3.45pm
	Form 4 to 5		10.30am - 11am	1pm – 1.30pm	4pm
Lodge International	Yr 2 to 4	8am	9.30am - 10am	12noon - 12.30pm	3pm
	Yr 5 to 6				3.30pm
	Yr 7 to 9	8am	10am - 10.30am	12.30pm - 1pm	4pm
	Yr 10 to 12	7.30am			