

ACHIEVING TOGETHER

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Dear Parents,

I hope you and your families are healthy and well.

We have been advised by The Ministry of Education to notify you of the procedure you must take if someone in your family contracts COVID19. I have been asked to pass on the following information.

If the student or a member of the family or someone within the household contracts COVID19, please ensure the following procedure and steps are taken:

1. If a student is feeling unwell, particularly with fever, coughing, sneezing, influenza, flu or any other symptoms relating to the respiratory system, they should get a full examination by a doctor and receive a medical report to say they are well enough to join in-school learning and their condition will not infect others.
2. If a student has already taken a COVID19 test, parents must be able to provide a medical report which shows a negative result before the student is able to re-join in-school learning.
3. If any student has had direct contact with anyone who already has a positive result for COVID19, they should get a full examination by a doctor and receive a medical report to say they are well enough to join in-school learning and they are not infected by the COVID19 virus.
4. If the child has undergone home quarantine or self-isolation due to being in contact with COVID19 or another person who had COVID19, they should get a full examination by a doctor and receive a medical report to say they are well enough to join in-school learning and they are not infected by the COVID19 virus.

As decided by the Ministry of Health and the Ministry of Education, anyone who does not abide by the rules above will be accountable and legal action will be taken against them by the Ministry.

We are still living in very difficult times where the COVID19 situation is not improving and we must all take as many precautions to keep our children and families safe as possible.

I have spoken with the Ministry of Education last week on Wednesday and I asked them if we were able to increase our weekly student intake, however, they rejected the proposal and told us to remain accepting only 30% of the students until further notice. They were not able to tell me when we would be able to increase our student intake.

For now, we are complying with the Ministries and continuing to run as the previous week. With the increase of COVID19 spreading among other schools in Doha, we are increasing our efforts in sanitising our classrooms with disinfectant spray and misting machine. We also are continuing to keep visitors, parents and drivers out of the school grounds.

I will continue to update you with any new information as soon as I hear anything.

Ms Mags Black

Principal