



SSLTP/BG/T2-005

Date- 3rd January 2022

Dear Parents,

Thank you, parents, for your understanding and patience during the past 24 hours as we navigated our way through the latest Covid issues. As you are well aware we decided to move into online learning as a result of the rapidly rising cases and the situation that the Omicron strain has caused in the UAE. The following points describe our latest strategy:

- Please note that we shall be **extending the online/distance learning** for 2 weeks until Friday **14th Jan 2022.**
- The teachers and students are expected to be back in school for **face to face/onsite learning from Monday 17th Jan.**
- On returning to school all teachers and students (students from grades 1 to 12 only) must produce a PCR negative test report before coming onsite on the 17th. Students must submit the soft copy of the reports to their respective class teachers.
- The students and teachers who have **a PCR positive report from Monday the 17th** will be considered as special cases and will be **allowed to take lessons/attend learning from home** until they are cleared of the isolation/quarantine period along with a valid PCR negative report.
- **Students without PCR positive report are expected to be present in school** and if absent from campus will be removed from Teams.
- Please note that the KHDA guidelines only allows the online option to specific cases.
- The school will take all preventive measures to safeguard the health of the students and we request the parents to take all precaution at home as well.



On a separate but connected issue we have taken in to consideration student wellbeing and have developed a modified 4.5-week time table which has a more manageable length of day.

Please find below the timetable with the revised timings applicable from tomorrow, 4th Jan 2022. The subject schedule stays the same with the only adjustments in the timings.

It is as follows:

Monday to Thursday		Friday	
Time	Timetable Status	Time	Timetable Status
7:40 to 8	Registration Time	7:40 to 8	Registration Time
8 to 8:45	1 st Period	8 to 8:45	1 st Period
8:45 to 9:30	2 nd Period	8:45 to 9:30	2 nd Period
9:30 to 9:50	1 st Break	9:30 to 9:50	1 st Break
9:50 to 10:35	3 rd Period	9:50 to 10:35	3 rd Period
10:35 to 11:20	4 th Period	10:35 to 11:20	4 th Period
11:20 to 12:05	5 th Period	11:20	Dispersal Bell
12:05 to 12:30	2 nd Break	11:35	Bus Dispersal
12:30 to 1:15	6 th Period		
1:15 to 2:00	7 th Period		
2:00	Dispersal Bell		
2:15	Bus Dispersal		

Pre-KG, KG 1 & KG 2 school day remains as it has always been with the exception of a slightly earlier finish on Friday

The respective class teachers will send the TT with revised timings.

Best Regards,

Dr. Brian Gray

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