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Guidelines for Re-opening of Pakistan Urdu School Bahrain

Dear Parents!

As informed earlier, Pakistan Urdu School Bahrain will re-open the facility for its second term of this academic year. The situation is getting better and after observing the current situation, studying the survey responses of parents, and a detailed discussion with the school teams, it is decided to start the school for blended (teaching-learning) activities from 12th of September 2021.

Safety and security are the priority of Pakistan Urdu School; therefore, we have been working diligently to facilitate and provide a safe learning environment in a structured manner that protects children's health and minimizes risks of getting infected from any source.

The following guidelines are set for September 2021 and onwards. In all circumstances, everyone will strictly follow the rules and regulations instructed by the Ministry of Education.

If required, the school will modify this plan under the changing situation and the directions from MOE Bahrain. The school will update the parents for any amendments and adjustments.

Platforms for online/Blended learning:

1. Google Classrooms and Zoom will remain in place for remote learning. The school will use the Zoom platform during the lessons to facilitate the students at home.
2. Internet and Wi-Fi devices are available and can be increased in power and number if needed.
3. The evaluation policy will remain the same as used during the 1st term of this academic year. The school will update in advance for any change/addition in the evaluation policy.



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Daily Routine during Blended Learning:

1. The assigned staff will welcome the students at designated entrance points and will check the following:
 - i. Temperature of individuals. Anyone found with high temperature or/and with COVID Symptoms will be sent back home or to the school's isolation rooms.
 - ii. The use of sanitizers provided at specific points.
 - iii. Everyone uses the Mask and keeps an extra mask.
2. School Timings:
 - i. Students' arrival time. 6:45 am to 7:20 am
 - ii. Student's dismissal time. 12:30 – 1:30 Pm (Primary)
 - iii. Student's dismissal time. 1:10 – 1:30 Pm (Middle & Seniors)
3. The staff will direct the students towards their classes in lines keeping social distancing standards.
4. Students will sit in the classrooms keeping a distance of approximately 0.5 meters apart from each other. The school staff will disinfect the classrooms regularly.
5. Limited students will be allowed to sit in a classroom according to the traffic light system introduced by MOE. According to this traffic system, 0% attendance is permitted during the red light announcement, while 30% attendance is during orange light, 50% attendance during a yellow light, and 100% attendance during the green light. The school will update the parents accordingly—however, the re-opening is limited (Survey based) to address any potential upcoming challenges.
6. Students will bring their edibles from home and will not share them with others.
7. Health units and isolation rooms are available under the supervision of nurses/health care and trained staff.
8. The school will inform the parents if their child is found sick, and school management will take appropriate actions under the guidance of MOH and MOE.



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9. Students will be advised to bring their water bottles for drinking. However, the management will regularly monitor the drinking water facilities.
10. The morning assemblies will be taken in the classrooms, and breaks will also be given in the classrooms under staff supervision.
11. The admin offices, fee collection area, arrival areas, and receptions will follow the social distancing policy.
12. At dismissal time, the staff will direct the students to pick up areas following the rules and regulations of social distancing.
13. School will not provide the transport facility to students until further notice.
14. The sanitizers are available on the school premises. However, the students are also advised to bring their sanitizers.
15. The location signs and awareness posters will be displayed in prominent areas to help students and staff.
16. Rapid Antigen Testing will be conducted twice a week of those students whose parents have given their consent. Students will not be forced for antigen tests.
17. Cell phones are not allowed.
18. The parents are advised to get their kids vaccinated.
19. Please send your child in school uniform. The Uniform will be a MUST from Sunday the 19th of September 2021.
20. Please do not send your child if you opted for online learning in the survey and have shown your unwillingness to send your child for in-person education. Students who opted for online education in the survey will not be facilitated till further notice. The school will gradually increase the number of students for in-person learning.



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Your cooperation is highly appreciated for effective implementation of school's plans.

We pray for a good, safe, and secure environment to continue imparting quality education for the months ahead.

Justen John
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