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30 August 2021

## School Transport / Own Transport Circular

Dear Parent,

We look forward to welcoming the students who have opted for Face to Face learning from Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2021. Kindly note that 100% of our staff and support staff are vaccinated and we are in the process of getting all of them the two doses of Pfizer vaccination to ensure additional safety for everyone. As per KHDA guidelines, the following health and safety protocols with regards to transportation will be strictly complied with.

## Bus transport -

All students availing the school bus service are requested to register with STS at the earliest. It is compulsory that all students aged 6 years and above wear their masks. Temperature checks will be conducted before boarding the bus. The bus will be regularly sanitized after every trip.

## **Own transport -**

All students travelling by their own transport must adhere to the following:

- 1. Parents/guardians dropping or picking their child must wear the parent ID without fail. In case you do not have the parent ID, please contact the STS office for the same.
- 2. The parent/guardian will be permitted into the campus to drop and/or pick their child only if they are vaccinated. Hence, you are requested to get vaccinated. Kindly click on the link to upload your vaccination card. **OT Parent Vaccination Details**
- 3. Any drop off or pick-up should not exceed 10min within the facility. Hence, all communications with the teacher/supervisor must be scheduled virtually or over the telephone.
- 4. All drop offs in the morning will be at gate no. 1. From 7.30am 8:00am. Classes for KG1 and KG2 will begin at 7.50am. Classes for Grades 1-6 will begin at 7.45am.
  - Grade Dispersal timings Location KG1 12.05pm Gates 1 and 3 KG2 12.05pm Gr1 – Gr6 2:00pm
- 5. Details for afternoon pick-up are as follows -
- 6. The classrooms allotted for pick-up of students during dispersal will be communicated by the class teacher closer to the date.

In case the child is sick or symptoms prevail within the family, kindly do not send the child to school.

The above protocols will continue to be followed even when school opens for complete 'On campus' learning from October 3rd, 2021.

We appreciate your support and cooperation in following the health and safety protocols to ensure the safety of our school community.

Warm regards,

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