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Dear Parents,

The Covid-19 pandemic has really pushed all educational establishments to be creative in how they have taught students. Our School has been no different, as we have moved from fully online lessons, to partially in School and online lessons. These changes have not been easy for students, parents or teachers but the flexibility and adaptability of everyone has ensured that learning has continued throughout. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all parents for their support during these difficult times.

The School is now in a position to move into yet another new phase, where Senior students are permitted to attend School for six hours, whilst still following the authority's guidelines, including social distancing and the wearing of facemasks. As you can imagine the organisation of this has not been easy but, as from the 23rd September, we will be in a position to have all Senior students in School from 0800 until 1400.

To allow this to happen there has been structural changes to classrooms, so that two classrooms have been turned into large teaching spaces, and large non-teaching areas are now being used to teach. I will not share the full classroom schedule with you here but students will obviously be informed.

Please see below the daily schedule:

Period	Time
1	0800-0835
2	0835-0905
Break	
3	0910- 0945
4	0945-1015
Break	
5	1020-1055
6	1055-1125
Lunch	
7	1155-1225
8	1225-1255
Break	
9	1300-1330
10	1330-1400
Support lessons online	1500-1600

Support lessons

Organised support lessons will start for all students on Monday 28th September. However, teachers may arrange individual support lessons for students as from Wednesday 23rd September. Next week, more detailed information will be shared with parents with regards support lessons.

Extracurricular Activities

Extracurricular activities will continue to run online from 1600 until 1700.

Lunch

Our priority is to get the students back into School, so due to space being used for classrooms, there will be no availability of food to buy at School until further notice. Therefore, students must come to school with a snack and a drink. They should bring food that does not need heating, as microwaves will not be available. Students will have their lunch in their classrooms from 1125-1140. From 1140-1155 they will be allowed to leave the classroom to walk around a predetermined path outside the Senior School building.

Students will be permitted to leave the School during lunch, if they are given prior permission to do so by their parents. Please complete the form attached to give your authorisation, students without this authorisation will not be allowed to leave the School premises.

Please note, if students do leave school at lunchtime, it is their responsibility to return to School on time for the start of period 7. It is unfair on teachers and other students to have classes disrupted by late arrivals.

Uniform

Students will continue to wear the School's summer uniform. On PE days, students should wear their PE uniform, which includes the green tracksuit bottoms. Students are not permitted to wear PE shorts during normal lessons.

Entrance and Exit

The entrance and exit will stay the same where 1YL-3YL use the Auditorium entrance, unless they cycle to School, where they can use the Senior School main entrance, and 4YL-6YL use the Senior School main entrance.

Warm regards,

Andrew Bunt
Head of Senior

Estimados Padres:

La pandemia por Covid-19 realmente ha impulsado a todos los establecimientos educativos a ser creativos en la forma en la cual se enseña a los alumnos. Para nuestro Colegio no ha sido

diferente, dado que hemos pasado de clases completamente en línea a clases parcialmente en línea y en el Colegio. Estos cambios no han sido sencillos para los alumnos, padres o profesores, pero la flexibilidad y adaptabilidad de todos ha asegurado que el aprendizaje continuara en todo momento. Quiero tomar esta oportunidad para agradecer a todos los padres por su apoyo durante estos tiempos difíciles.

El Colegio está ahora en condiciones de pasar a otra nueva fase, en la que los alumnos de Senior pueden asistir al Colegio por seis horas, siguiendo las pautas de las autoridades, que incluyen distanciamiento social y uso de tapabocas. Como podrán imaginarse, esta organización no ha sido sencilla pero, a partir del 23 de setiembre, estaremos en condiciones de que todos los alumnos de Senior estén en el Colegio de 0800 a 1400.

Para permitir que esto suceda, se han hecho cambios en la estructura de los salones, de modo que dos salones se han convertido en grandes espacios de clase, y áreas grandes que no eran de enseñanza ahora se utilizan para dar clases. No compartiré aquí el horario completo de los salones, pero se les informará a los alumnos.

Por favor ver a continuación el horario diario:

Período	Hora
1	0800-0835
2	0835-0905
Recreo	
3	0910- 0945
4	0945-1015
Recreo	
5	1020-1055
6	1055-1125
Almuerzo	
7	1155-1225
8	1225-1255
Recreo	
9	1300-1330
10	1330-1400
Clases de apoyo en línea	1500-1600

Clases de apoyo

Las clases de apoyo organizadas comenzarán, para todos los alumnos, el lunes 28 de setiembre. Sin embargo, los profesores podrán coordinar clases de apoyo individuales para alumnos a partir del miércoles 23 de setiembre. La próxima semana se les enviará a los padres información más detallada sobre las clases de apoyo.

Actividades extracurriculares

Las actividades extracurriculares seguirán de forma virtual de 1600 a 1700.

Almuerzo

Nuestra prioridad es tener a los alumnos de regreso en el Colegio, entonces, debido a que los espacios están siendo utilizados como salones de clase, no será posible comprar alimentos en

el Colegio hasta nuevo aviso. Por lo tanto, los alumnos deben venir al Colegio con su merienda y bebida. Deben traer comida que no necesite ser calentada ya que los microondas no estarán disponibles. Los alumnos almorzarán en sus salones de 1125 a 1140. De 1140 a 1155 los alumnos podrán salir del salón y caminar por un sendero predeterminado afuera del edificio de Senior.

Los alumnos podrán salir del Colegio durante el horario de almuerzo, si se les ha dado el permiso previo para hacerlo. Por favor completar el formulario adjunto para dar autorización, los alumnos sin esta autorización no podrán salir del Colegio.

Por favor tener en cuenta que si un alumno sale del Colegio durante el almuerzo, es su responsabilidad volver al Colegio a tiempo para el comienzo del período 7. No es justo para profesores y alumnos que las clases sean interrumpidas por llegadas tarde.

Uniforme

Los alumnos deben continuar usando el uniforme de verano. Los días que tienen Educación Física, deben venir vestidos con el uniforme de gimnasia, incluido el pantalón jogging. No se les permitirá a los alumnos venir a clases con el short de gimnasia.

Entrada y salida del Colegio

La entrada y la salida permanecerán igual. Los alumnos de 1YL a 3YL entran y salen por la puerta del auditorio, a excepción de los alumnos que vienen al Colegio en bicicleta que utilizan la entrada principal de Senior. Los alumnos de 4YL a 6YL entran y salen por la puerta principal de Senior.

Cordialmente,

Andrew Bunt
Head of Senior

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