

## **SOUTH POINT SCHOOL**

## An ISO 45001:2018 Certified Institution

## **NOTICE**

Dear Parents,

With great apprehension, we watch the number of Covid infections increasing every day. Keeping the safety of all concerned in mind, the School has decided to reinforce certain safety protocols, in the overall interest of all stakeholders, including the young children.

Health Declaration Form (HDF) will have to be once again submitted online by all Parents, every evening, effective from Sunday, July 3, 2022. After submission, an automated email will be received by the Parents from the School, which will indicate whether or not the pupil has permission to attend School the next day, based on the information submitted. If permission is declined, Parents must not send the child to School under any circumstances, for the overall well-being of everyone. Parents will be required to submit the Form for every subsequent working day till the School is in a position to welcome back the pupil. This process will help the School to assess the situation on a daily basis and take necessary measures as and when required.

We strongly advocate that pupils are encouraged by their Parents to wear effective masks and to wear them properly at all times in School and in public places, including the roads outside the School as well when they travel to the School. Pupils must carry dry tiffin. They must clean their hands before having their tiffin. For larger benefit, it is important to keep an infected child (even if no testing has been done) at home and under quarantine for at least seven days. Even after the quarantine period, if a child is not fully fit, please do not send him/her to School until complete recovery.

We at our end will also take various steps to make the School safe for our pupils, as per guidelines notified by the government. All rooms in the School will be disinfected and sanitised in the evening of every working day. We already have the anti-viral bio bubble treatment on all surfaces that pupils and staff tend to touch. School buses will also be disinfected daily.

We will continue to post online the weekly gist of lessons covered and also try to make up for each child affected by Covid, either directly or indirectly, the learning they miss. We will also ensure that there are no assessments and evaluations done for the time being in School, starting tomorrow.

It will indeed be a sad situation if schools have to close down because of the carelessness that seems to have set in regarding the infectious nature of the virus. We appeal to all Parents to help us continue teaching off-line, in person, at School. Let us all join and fight Covid as it has already taken a deep toll on the education system at large. In the same breath it can be stated with confidence that coming back to school has been highly beneficial for the mental health of the student body at large.

A detailed notice regarding submission of the Health Declaration Form, with link, will be shared soon.

Thank you

## **Vice Principal**

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