



MUTIARA INTERNATIONAL GRAMMAR SCHOOL SDN BHD

(391277-M)

DISCOVERING POTENTIAL • LEARNING TO CARE • RESPECTING DIFFERENCES

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL – WELCOME AND START OF THE TERM 2 AY2021-2022

As we finalise preparations for opening, allow me to share a few items for the term ahead.

Campus Access

Procedures remain firmly in place to reduce the risk of infections as far as possible as we come back to campus. Our staff will take time to discuss the revisions with your son/daughter, please find a few of the general updates and/or revisions below: -

- Year 5 & 6 return to dine separately in the school hall
- The staggered dismissal procedures at the end of the school day will continue
- Social distancing remains a crucial consideration around all areas of the campus
- Classrooms and communal areas continue to be sanitised 3 times per day.

Campus Activities

Although we are allowed to increase the number of students on campus, our activities must remain supervised.

- Break time activities on the basketball courts or 'play' are reduced, monitored and supervised with less interactive games for January.
- CCA will be introduced later in January, initially indoor based with appropriately distanced activities
- Sporting events will be reintroduced this term starting with cross country (the PE department will continue to improve the levels of fitness of our students throughout the term prior to any race or more competitive event)

Vaccinations and testing

All our staff have completed the 2nd dose of the vaccine and some have already completed the 3rd or 'booster' dose in recent weeks. Towards the end of the term, the 3rd dose will become crucial with all our staff needing to have completed this. Our students aged between 12 and 17 have also completed the vaccination process.

As part of our continued screening process, all our staff will complete a self-test kit ahead of the start of school on Wednesday.

Welcome to new staff

We also have some new members of staff joining the teaching faculty. Ms Khatijah Binti Sulaiman joins the Senior School teaching Bahasa Melayu. Mr Vijayan A/L Karpaya joins the Senior School Science department offering his specialism in IGCSE Chemistry and we welcome back Ms Nisha who joins the Junior School team teaching Global Perspectives.

As always, I will keep you updated throughout the term on any revisions and I look forward to welcoming everyone back on Wednesday.

Yours sincerely,

Mr John P Birch
Principal