

DattaMeghe World Academy

Sector-16, Airoli, Navi-Mumbai-400708

Dear Parents, Date:01.06.2020

Greetings!!!

We hope that everyone is at home and safe. Kindly follow the guidelines given by Govt. Keep social distancing, guide your child to wash hands regularly. Stay safe, stay at home and save yourself and beloved ones.

The empty corridors of the school are missing the reverberation of laughter & sounds. We are all missing our students and waiting to see them soon !!! Hope they are engaged meaningfully in creative activities under the guidance of their beloved parents.

We are thankful for the parents' appreciation received for the hardwork done by the teachers to engage the students academically during the lockdown period through video lessons, online sessions, worksheets, quiz, activity sheets etc...

We also appreciate the parents' concern regarding opening of school, further plan of action, availability of books etc .

Re-opening of school:

We must understand that COVID -19 lockdown is an unprecedented situation which has taken the whole world for a toss. As a precautionary measure the entire country is lockdown until the situation gets under control. Our Govt. is trying its level best to take appropriate measures by imposing restriction on social gatherings & advocating social distancing. In this situation as many areas are under red zone and containment zone and safety & health of our kids are of utmost importance, it is unclear when the schools are going to open.

The key aspect of making education empowering & relevant is to develop future ready skills which will help the children to take responsibilities of their own learning. We have to be prepared for VUCA world, where V stands for Volatile, U stands for Uncertainty, C stands for Complex & A stands for Ambiguous. We have to understand that future can't be anticipated. So we all should have backup plans to overcome any kind of hurdle.

Plan of Action during Lockdown period:

To keep students engage and progressing the syllabus simultaneously the school teachers though in constrained environment, started Online mode of teaching learning process where in through sharing of video lessons, worksheets, quiz, activity sheets and online session using Zoom portal the students were actively involved with teachers in learning process. We will continue with the same engagement from June 8, 2020 however more platforms like Google Meet and Microsoft Team shall also be added for effective transaction and control.

Books:

The school has published the book list on its website www.dmworldacademy.edu.in . Parents have liberty to purchase the books through different e-commerce platforms . However for the convenience of parents a link (https://bit.ly/3bMQNnx) has been shared on snap homework app along with the contact number (8574577457) of vendor . Parents as per their convenience can co-ordinate and place the order for books.

Book distribution schedule for Grade II (2020-21) & New parents of Grade I shall be announced separately very soon.

Language Details for Grade VI (2020-21)

From this academic year Marathi will be compulsory in Standard VI.

Sanskrit will be the 4th language optional with French/ Home Science, the decision regarding this shall be taken after the physical opening of school. Till then Sanskrit will not be taught through online mode for Grade VI only.

Timetable:

It should be understood that online mode of teaching is different and more challenging for both teachers and taught, than usual mode of teaching. It is strongly recommended that children should not be engaged on screen for more than 3 hours in a day and that too should happen with small gaps and under parents supervision. Accordingly the timetable shall be shared with students. The teaching learning shall be competence based and hence shall be focusing more on project based experiential learning methods for active engagement of students.

Admission For Grade XI:

We have started with the online admission process for grade XI in Science (Medical and Non Medical), Commerce and Allied (Arts) Streams. The admission shall be on the basis of Pre-board results. Interested parents/children can contact 7700088734.

We also request you to help your children to watch stories at you tube or read novels using Google. Let them practice Yoga, meditation and do exercise. Let them take care of hygiene & eat healthy food. Let them grab a book and read.

With your co-operation we will be able to pass this difficult situation and emerge as winners. Humanity and India should win this fight against COVID-19. This will be test of our ability of restraint and resolve.

Stay home Stay safe, Stay healthy.

Thanks and regards

Principal
