

30 - July 2020

Dear Parents,

### **ADNOC Ruwais Summary of September Return to School**

The purpose of this letter is to provide you with information about school reopening for the 2020/2021 academic year at ADNOC Schools – Ruwais.

We will follow our approved academic calendar for the AY 2020/21. The first day of classes for students is Sunday August 30<sup>th</sup>, 2020. Following guidance from ADEK, Aldar Education and the relevant government authorities, ADNOC Schools Ruwais will be following a blended learning alternating week on / week off reopening model. This means students will participate in face to face teaching on campus one week and the following week they will participate in distance learning.

Details are as follows:

#### **School Reopening Model – Blended Model**

- The School will resume operations where students return to school at a lower capacity using a blended learning approach (face-to-face and distance learning).
- The school will implement a partial return model where all eligible students are grouped into 2 alternating-week shifts. (Students attend 1 week fully, the following week distance learning, etc.)

#### **Curriculum & Instruction**

- We will be providing a full curriculum. This means students will be given instruction in both core and non-core classes. Full participation in all subjects is required.
- At the start of the school year we will put in place all necessary interventions to fill any learning loss over the past few months, to revise and reteach topics as appropriate.

#### **Campus specific information**

- Our central Operational Risk & Safety team have been working with ADEK, health authorities and the team here at the school to establish the very best standards in regards to safety and health controls to help prepare our school for re-opening.
- Starting the week of August 23rd, 2020, you will begin to receive specific details regarding each of the three campuses from the Vice Principal's. These details will include information such as entry and exit locations and timings, the Group that your children are assigned to, lunchtime procedures, arrangements and expectations for the weeks that your child will be involved in distance learning.

We are looking forward to seeing all our students back on campus albeit in smaller groups.

Best Regards,

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