

Reopening: Part II

Date: 28/08/2020

Dear Parents,

As per directions of SPEA (Sharjah Private Education Authority) that All schools in Sharjah will start online for the first two weeks and then will resume on campus/online as per your choice from (Sunday 13/9/2020).

We appreciate your patience and support all this time.

A) Grades Start Dates (Online):

	Starting	
Grade	Day	Date
kg1 to gr9	Sunday	30/8/2020
gr7-12 no school due to PCR test all other grades remain the same	Tuesday	1/9/2020
gr10-12	Wednesday	2/9/2020

Students will start from specified date onward for 2 weeks.

PCR test on Tuesday 1/9/2020 gr7-12 (age 12 and above only). No online class for gr7-12 on Tuesday 1/9/2020.

Timetable and zoom links will be sent for gr1-9 by Friday. For kg1-kg2 on Saturday. For gr10,11,12 on Tuesday.

B) <u>Curriculum:</u>

KG 1 & KG 2

Mathematics	Science	English	Arabic
Islamic	Art	PE	

Grade 1- Grade 3

Mathematics	Science	English	Arabic	Islamic
Art	Social	Computer	Moral	PE

Grade 4 – Grade 6

Mathema	atics	Science	English	Arabic	Islamic
Art	PE	Social	Computer	Moral	French

Grade 7 & Grade 8

Mathematics	Science	English	Arabic	Islamic
Social	Computer	Moral		
PE				

Grade 9

Mathematics	English	Social	Arabic	Islamic
Physics	Chemistry	Biology	ICT	
PE				

Grade 10- Grade 12

Mathematics	English	ICT/IT	Arabic	Islamic
Physics	Chemistry	Biology	Business	Economics
PE				

- Minimum 5 IGCSE subjects are required for Grade 10 excluding Arabic and Islamic.
- Minimum 2 AS subjects are required for Grade 12 excluding Arabic and Islamic.

C) Distance Learning:

A full time (100%) online learning option will continue for families who request it from Sunday 13/09/2020 and the rest will be either on campus or blended depending on grade and your choice. Online will also be available for students with significant health concerns or conditions, those with suspected COVID-19 symptoms or children in isolation or quarantine.

Please be aware that once your child is registered for online learning you are able to return to in-school, face-to-face learning as you wish, but you always must give the school **1 week** in advance if you wish to change (according to availability). Covid-19 test is required for students return to face-to-face learning if they are 12 years old and above.

We will use the **School Portal (Providence English Private School App)** for all Grades to submit the weekly diary, Accepted Pages for formative and summative assessments, Results, Feedback Reports, Monthly Reports, Term Reports, two way communications between parents and teachers/administration, etc ...

We will use **Seesaw Learning Platform** for students from KG1- Grade 5 to submit their work and increase individual interaction of teacher and student. We will update you on week two on the procedure of Download / username & Password.

We will use **Zoom Learning Platform** for online sessions. (make sure your Zoom accounts are upgraded to latest version).

D)Parent Meetings:

Meetings with parents, by appointment only, will take place online via Zoom platform. Only critical meetings, made by prior appointment, will be held in school. (NO walk in allowed without any approved appointment) email <u>admin@peps.ae</u> for appointment. Any visitor attending school for a pre-booked meeting or appointment will enter the school via Main Administration in Building 1, and must be wearing mask, temperature check and information registration. Social distancing rules will apply, and masks will be worn at all times.

E) Parent Communication:

To make communication with the school more convenient, we have added few emails that can lead parents direct to the concerned department:

- For English : <u>English@peps.ae</u>
- For Math: math@peps.ae
- For Science: <u>science@peps.ae</u>
- For Arabic and Islamic: <u>Arabic@peps.ae</u>
- Academic Coordinator: <u>dragan@peps.ae</u>
- Academic Counselor and Wellbeing: counselor@peps.ae
- For IT Support: <u>it@peps.ae</u>

- For Transportation, Appointments and Sick leave: admin@peps.ae
- For Finance Department : <u>accountant@peps.ae</u> & <u>finance@peps.ae</u>
- Vice Principal & International Examinations : <u>haitham@peps.ae</u>
- For General Information: <u>contact@peps.ae</u>
- IT Hotline Number: 0564676110 (weekdays 7 am 2 pm)