

September 2021 Update

The measures EMC adopts around COVID-19 are designed to help keep our entire community safe and to minimize spread.

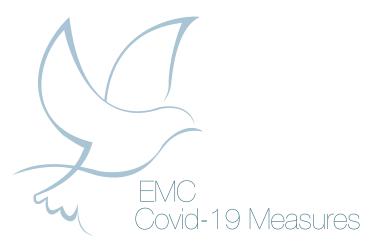
SAFETY MEASURES WITHIN OUR SCHOOL GROUNDS

- All parents/nannies/drivers accompanying the children are asked to respect social distancing, and to wear masks at all times.
- Adults who are not staff members are not authorized to enter the school.
- All children ages 6 and above are required to wear masks.
 - The children are encouraged to remove their masks for 15 minutes every 2 hours.
 - Masks cannot be worn during sports, which happens outdoors.
- All materials and tables are regularly disinfected during the school day.
- Regular ventilation of the environments before, throughout, and after the school day.
- Regular reminders to wash hands for staff and children
 - Upon entrance in the school
 - Before/after manipulating school materials
 - Before/after lessons
 - Before/after using the bathroom
 - Upon departing from school

WHAT IF A STUDENT PRESENTS SYMPTOMS?

- The School counts on families to continue transparent communication about students' health in order to ensure a trusting and supportive environment.
- The School will follow recommendations from local health authorities in regard to contact tracing, suspension of on campus operations, and/or notifications to the community.

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- The building or areas thereof may be temporarily closed for deep cleaning if a COVID-19 diagnosed individual has been present at School. The School may need to close a classroom, a floor, or the entire building should there be multiple COVID-19 cases in the community.
- Should a student test positive, their environment will close for the duration of 7 days.

Please refer to the following section for more details about how children can resume school.

WHAT IF MY CHILD IS A CONTACT?

Should your child be in contact with someone who is Covid-19 positive

- → The contact lives in your child's home
 - Your child must isolate at home for a minimum of 14 days
 - PCR test is required at the end of the isolation period
 - In the absence of a PCR test, the isolation period is extended to 24 days.

→ The contact does not live in your child's home

- Your child must isolate at home for a minimum of 7 days, after the last contact has occurred
 - PCR test is required at the end of the isolation period
 - In the absence of a PCR test, the isolation period is extended to 14 days

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