

Re-Opening Plan, “Abu Dhabi Plan”

Dear Parents/Guardians,

August 20th, 2020

Japanese School of Abu Dhabi
School Principal Yukio Miyazaki

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation for our education.

We made our re-opening plan, “Abu Dhabi Plan” for the second term, based on the guideline from ADEK.

Please understand this “Abu Dhabi Plan” and I hope to have your cooperation.

- We will ensure the school environment where nobody catches COVID-19 at our school.
- We aim to establish the school management where we can deal with the second or third waves of COVID-19.
- The guideline from ADEK limits the capacity of buses to within 50% of full capacity. Considering of running bus several times and disinfection, it's difficult to accept all students at the same time.
- We were able to conduct classes for the 1st term (66 days) online with your cooperation.

Considering these situations, we decided to start the 2nd term with combination of distance-learning and face-to-face learning. Regarding ADEK's this regulation, “the school will provide distance learning if parents choose it”, G4 and above will learn with 【Study sapuri】 , and G3 or under will do assignments which are given by homeroom teachers. Two out of nine school teachers and four out of seven NPO teachers haven't arrived in Abu Dhabi yet. In this situation, it may be difficult to take enough care of the students who chose distance learning. It's up to your choice, but we would like you to understand our intention of our plan and give us your cooperation in combination learning. **If you choose distance learning for your child(ren), please contact Ms. Alaa by 25th August.** In case someone is confirmed to be infected with COVID-19, the school will be closed immediately. Then we will provide distance learning until we disinfect the school and get a permission to open the school from related organizations.

We are arranging the plan, installing safety equipment, ensuring stockage of materials based on the guideline from ADEK.

<Postscript> ADEK requires you to sign **a health declaration form** that indicates parents will not send their child(ren) to school physically if their child(ren) displays any COVID-19 symptoms. Please print out and complete the form either in English or Arabic, and send the picture to Ms. Alaa **one day before your child(ren) comes to school.** Also, please submit the original document to NPO teachers when your child(ren) comes to school.