



23rd August 2021

Dear Parents,

I trust that you have had an enjoyable holiday, we are all looking forward to seeing everyone return next week. We wish to make the return to school easy and enjoyable but this is only possible with your cooperation in completing and submitting the information below as soon as possible. By doing this and collecting a new tag in advance, your child will be able to come straight into school at their designated gate without any delay on Sunday. If this is not completed this will result in a delayed start for your child attending school on their first day back.

As you may have seen within the latest [ADEK guidelines](#) for parents, all students are required to have a completed [Physical Return Declaration Form](#) before they are able to enter the school premises for the start of term. Within the form, there are questions related to medical and travel that may require additional information. Updated travel guidelines referred to within the form can be found [here](#). Please note that if you have previously sent the school a medical letter/certificate declaring a student is fit to be in school, this will need to be uploaded again within the medical section of the form.

Click here to complete the [Physical Return Declaration Form](#)

To help ease congestion and waiting times at the gates for families during the first few days, once you have completed the [Physical Return Declaration Form](#) for your child, you will be able to collect their bag tag in advance from the security team on Gate 4. The security office will be open during the following times in the run up to the start of term:

Tuesday, 24th August: 10am to 5.30pm

Wednesday, 25th August: 5.30am to 5.30pm

Thursday, 26th August: 5.30am to 5.30pm

Saturday, 28th August: 5.30am to 5.30pm

We appreciate travelling to school for the tag may be difficult for some families. Therefore we will also be hosting drop-in collection sessions on Thursday, 26th August between 3-4 pm at the following locations if it's easier for you to collect your tags here:

Reem Island: Starbucks Boutique Mall

Sas Al Nakhl: La Brioche

Raha Gardens: Starbucks

Al Zeina: Andiamo

Al Reef: Starbucks

Please note that the bag tags will only be issued to families that have completed the form. There may be queues during the first few days at the gates for families that have not completed the forms before arrival and for those that have not collected their child's bag tags in advance.



For the first two days only in order to make the return to school as smooth as possible, we will allow FS2-Y13 to enter via their designated gate and with their appropriate tag between 7.20am-8.15am. Nursery students should enter between 7:45am and 8:15am. From Tuesday onwards normal timings will resume [as per this map](#).

Information regarding PCR testing prior to the start of term will be sent out separately once confirmation has been received from ADEK. This is expected imminently.

Many thanks for your support with the various requirements, we look forward to welcoming the students on Sunday.

Kind regards

Mike Wolfe
Vice Principal