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October 31, 2021

CIRCULAR TO PARENTS OF THE SCHOOL

Dear Parent,

Greetings from Indian School Muscat!

Indian School Muscat urges the parents to follow the **COVID 19** awareness and guidelines issued by the Ministry of Health, Sultanate of Oman and take necessary precautionary measures at all times. **As per the Ministry of Health and Ministry of Education Guidelines, Covid-19 Vaccination Certificate (one/two doses) is mandatory to enter the school premises.**

The Online Classes will be held for Classes KG I to STD VIII till further announcement.

▪ FEE PAYMENT

Fee Counter is open on all working days (Sunday to Thursday) from 7.15 a.m. to 2.30 p.m. and on all Saturdays from 9.00 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. Please follow the safety guidelines by wearing the mask and follow the social distancing protocols while coming to pay the fee.

Parents are reminded that the **Third Quarter (October - December) fee payment is due.** Request you to kindly make the fee payment before the due date. The Quarter Wise fee details for the year 2021-22 are available on the School website and Online Parent Portal/Mobile App.

The School Fee can be paid through online banking or mobile banking by using the following means.

1. BANK MUSCAT MOBILE BANKING & ONLINE BANKING

Parents may use the online payment options like Bank Muscat Online/Bank Muscat Mobile Banking. There are no additional charges for electronic payment. Please choose "INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT" from the available options for the above online transactions and mobile banking.

2. BANK MUSCAT CDM

The School fee can be paid by using CDM of Bank Muscat by selecting School Fee Payment. Please select "INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT" only from the list of schools available for any transaction through CDM of Bank Muscat. **Please do not select "INDIAN SCHOOL" from the list for CDM transactions since it belongs to another school.**



3. FEE PAYMENT THROUGH ONEIC BILL PAYMENT (TASDEED, NBO, OAB, BANK SOHAR & NIZWA BANK)

Indian School Muscat has tied up with ONEIC/Tasdeed – Oman’s trusted leader in electronic payment solutions to facilitate online fee payment through their website (www.tasdeed.om) and KIOSK at various locations using any of the debit/credit cards.

The school Fee payment can be made with the following means by selecting School Fee Payment option. **Credit Card and Debit Card will be accepted through the Tasdeed Portal (www.tasdeed.om) and Thawani Pay Mobile App.**

(i) **Tasdeed Portal (www.tasdeed.om)**

(ii) **Thawani Pay Mobile app (Available in Play store and Apple Store)**

(iii) **National Bank of Oman (Mobile Banking and online banking via NBO Portal)**

(iv) **Sohar International Bank (Mobile Banking)**

(v) **Oman Arab Bank (Mobile Banking)**

(vi) **Nizwa Bank (Mobile Banking)**

For any support related to online payment and transactions using Tasdeed or ONEIC, the following person can be contacted. Eng. Wajdi M. Kofahi, Senior Technical Support

E–Payment, ONEIC/Tasdeed. Tel: 24396299, Email: wajdi.kofahi@oneic.com.om

Note: For all the above transaction methods, school will send the Fee Receipt through their registered email id. Parents are requested to send an email to onlinefees@ismoman.com with the details of transaction as mentioned above, if they have not received the Fee Receipt through email within five working days of the Fee Payment.

4. FEE PAYMENT THROUGH DIRECT TRANSFER

The parents who are facing challenges to use the other channels can Transfer the School Fee directly to the following Bank accounts through online banking or CDM.

Bank Name	: Bank Muscat
Account Name	: INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT
Account Number	: 0333-00557363-0016



After the online fee payment **through direct transfer method**, the parent should send an email to: onlinefees@ismoman.com with the following details.

Name of the Student	Class & Section	Gr No
Amount Transferred:	Transaction Details/No:	Purpose of the Transfer: (Eg: Fee for Quarter-1 etc..)

▪ BOOK STORE & TEXTBOOK DISTRIBUTION

The Book store is open on all working days (Sunday to Thursday) from **7.15 a.m. to 2.30 p.m.**

▪ SCHOOL OFFICE

The School office will be operational on all working days (Sunday to Thursday) from **7.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m.**

▪ NEW ADMISSIONS FOR THE YEAR 2021-22

For any query regarding the new admission for the year 2021-22, parents are requested to send a mail to admissions@ismoman.com.

▪ ISM HELP DESKS

- For any query regarding the Transfer Certificate and new admission, parents are requested to send a mail to admissions@ismoman.com.
- For all general queries, parents are requested to send a mail to info@ismoman.com.
- For all queries related to the academics and ongoing online classes, you are requested to contact the respective section AVPs/VPs. The respective email ids are provided in the school website (<http://ismoman.com/administration.html>)
- For all queries related to online fee payments and the challenges faced in the fee payments, parents are requested to send a mail to onlinefees@ismoman.com.
- Parents can view the academic performance, fee details, attendance, circulars and other communication through the **Online Parent Portal or Mobile Application**. The Online Portal can be accessed by clicking on the login button from the School Website (www.ismoman.com) or by using the direct link <http://ism.ethdigitalcampus.com/ISM/>. **The Mobile Application (Indian School Muscat)** can be downloaded from Play store or Apple store. For any technical query regarding the access to parent portal or mobile application, please send a mail to parentportal@ismoman.com by mentioning the GR. No. and Name of the student.
- The experienced team of counsellors will be available for round the clock tele counselling 24x7 service at **90990444**.

TRANSFER CERTIFICATES

Parents who wish to withdraw/discontinue their wards from the school shall submit the Transfer Certificate application in the prescribed format. The pre-printed application form is available with the Admission Office in the main school. The TC application form can be downloaded from the school website also. For any query regarding the Transfer Certificate parents are requested to send a mail to admissions@ismoman.com



DIWALI HOLIDAY

The School Office and Fee Counter will remain closed on **Thursday, November 4, 2021** on the occasion of **Diwali**. There will be no classes (Online & Offline) for the students of KG to XII.

On behalf of the President, members of School Management Committee and Principal, we wish you all a very happy Diwali.

NATIONAL DAY HOLIDAY

The School will remain closed on account of the **National Day of Oman** as declared by the Oman Government.

PRE-BOARD EXAMINATIONS (OFFLINE) FOR CLASSES X & XII

The Pre-Board examinations (offline) for Classes X & XII will be held from **Monday, November 1, 2021**. The detailed date sheet has already been shared with the students and parents. However regular revision classes for Class X students will be held till **Wednesday, November 3, 2021**.

FIRST TERM EXAMINATION (OFFLINE) FOR CLASSES IX & XI

The First Term Examination (offline) for the students of Classes IX & XI will be held from **Sunday, November 7, 2021 and Tuesday, November 9, 2021 respectively**. The date sheet for the examination has already been shared with the students and parents.

REGULAR CLASSES FOR CLASSES IX & XI

Regular classes for Classes IX & XI will resume after the First Term Examination from **Wednesday, November 24, 2021 and Sunday, November 28, 2021 respectively**. The detailed time table for the online and offline classes will be shared before the reopening of the school.

FIRST TERM BOARD EXAMINATIONS FOR CLASSES XII & X (OFFLINE)

The First Term Board examinations for Classes XII & X (offline) will commence from **Tuesday, November 16, 2021 and Wednesday, November 17, 2021 respectively**. The date sheets have already been shared with the students and parents.

NOTE: Students can go home after the day's examination as mentioned in the circular. Parents are requested to make the necessary transport arrangements to take the students back home on time.



SECOND ONLINE PERIODIC TEST FOR MIDDLE SECTION

The Second Online Periodic Test for Classes V to VIII will begin from **Sunday, November 21, 2021**. The Circular on the Time Table and Portion will be published soon.

CHILDREN'S DAY ART & CRAFT COMPETITION FOR MIDDLE SECTION

Art & Craft competition will be conducted for the students of Middle Section as part of Children's Day Celebration. This competition will be conducted on **Sunday, November 14, 2021**. The topic for the competition will be published only on November 14, 2021. The students will be given 3 hours after the School hours to complete the task.

HINDI STORY TELLING COMPETITION FOR PRIMARY SECTION

The Hindi Story Telling Competition is scheduled for the Students of STD IV in the month of November, 2021.

The Registration link for the Competition is given below:

<https://forms.gle/inMjv6g9gcxNGhrM6>

All details regarding the competition will be available in the Google classroom.

Students interested to register for the competition may do so latest by Monday, November 15, 2021. The registration will close at 7 p.m.

For any doubt, regarding the competition, the same may be clarified with the respective Class teacher/ Hindi Teacher

MENTAL MATHS CHALLENGE FOR PRIMARY SECTION

The integral skill needed in Mathematics is the ability to do calculations mentally, both accurate and fast. Primary section is proud to announce a competition for its students of Classes I to IV on Mental Maths.

The Registration link for the Competition is given below:

For Std. I & II - <https://forms.gle/8S6PztC4eWR18PDV7>

For Std. III & IV - <https://forms.gle/rkcXLwW8vuWJqYHV9>

All details regarding the competition will be available in the Google classroom.

Students interested to register for the competition may do so latest by **Monday, November 15, 2021**. The registration will close at 7 p.m.

For any doubt, regarding the competition, the same may be clarified with the respective Class teacher/ Maths Teacher.



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CHILDREN'S DAY ART COMPETITION FOR PRIMARY SECTION

As part of Children's Day Celebration, an Art Competition will be conducted for the students of the Primary Section. This competition will be conducted on Sunday, November 14, 2021. The topic for the competition will be published only on November 14, 2021. The students will be given 3 hours after the School hours to complete the task.

SLATE - SCIENCE LEARNING ACTIVITIES TO EXPLORE FOR CLASSES I & II

Children are naturally creative and need space to let their creativity blossom to its full potential. The Science Department is delighted to initiate the project SLATE for the students of STD I & II to display their creativity and explore the world of science.

Therefore the students of STD I & II are requested to keep a soft copy of all the EVS Activities that they have done during the online class. Students will be given an opportunity to present it in the classroom at the end of the term. This activity is non-competitive and participants will be given e-certificates.

DIWALI SELFIE CONTEST FOR PRE-PRIMARY SECTION

A Diwali Selfie Contest has been planned for the students of KG I & KG II. Students are requested to upload a memorable moment of Diwali celebration this year. A detailed circular has already been shared to the parents. Kindly note that the last date of the entry submission is **at 5.00 p. m. on Sunday, November 7, 2021**

COLORING COMPETITION - KG I

Coloring Competition for KG I will be conducted on **Sunday, November 14, 2021.**

DRAWING COMPETITION - KG II

Drawing Competition for KG II will be conducted on **Sunday, November 14, 2021.**

PARENT TEACHER MEETING - PRE - PRIMARY SECTION

The Parent-Teacher Meeting for the Pre - Primary Section will be held on **Sunday, November 21, 2021 and on Monday, November 22, 2021.** A detailed circular regarding the same will be sent to the parents shortly.



FORMATION OF APPEAL COMMITTEE

This is to inform you that the school has decided to form an Appeal Committee to address the concerns of children/parents in the marks awarded in the **Term Examinations (STD I to XII) conducted by the school**. This is an additional facility provided to the children or parents to put up their concerns if any related to the marks awarded to the children. This facility is not applicable for the internal assessments (class work, project work, practical, notebook, portfolio etc.) and for the examinations conducted by the CBSE.

The details of the above committee has already been shared with the students and parents through the circular issued on 25th October 2021.

■ MEETING PARENTS

This is to inform you that the Parents can send their concerns or grievances to chairwelfare.smc@ismoman.com if it is already brought to the notice of the School Team and not addressed by the concerned authorities.

Parents can meet School Management Committee through online Zoom meeting by considering the present scenario. The meeting schedule and Zoom meeting link will be provided to the parents on receiving the email send to chairwelfare.smc@ismoman.com requesting for the meeting with the School Management Committee.

■ COMMUNICATION TO PARENTS

In order to simplify the communication to parents, we have introduced a single communication channel. Parents are requested to save the number **00968 71158935** as 'INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT' to your contacts to receive all communications from the school. **Please note that this number will only be used for communication from school to parents and no queries from parents to this number will be answered.**

With Warm Regards,



Dr Rajeev Kumar Chauhan
Principal



ACCOLADES

1.	Ekansh Goel of IX B won the Under 15 Boys Final at the 1st GEMS Millennium School Inter School Online Chess Championship 2021. Heartiest Congratulations to Ekansh Goel.
2.	The following students of Middle section won first position at 1st GEMS Millenium School Inter-School Online Chess Championship 2021 under various category and ISM was declared as over all champions in U-13 Girls and U-11 Boys categories 1. Shybi Binoj of VIII M - U-13 Girls category 2. Sushanth Vaman Shetty of VII N - U-11 category
3.	Indian School Muscat emerged as the Overall Champions Boys at the 1st GEMS Millennium School Inter School Online Chess Championship 2021. Heartiest Congratulations to the team ISM.
4.	Shybi Binoj of Class VIII M won first position U-16 category at Kerala State Chess Online Championship
5.	Mrs. Vidya Jeffrey, French Teacher emerged as the runner up at the World Quiz for teachers organized by Big Brain. Heartiest Congratulations to Mrs. Vidya.
6.	Mrs. Mydhili Devi, Dance Teacher has been conferred with the prestigious award - Nritya Shiromani Award by Griffin College of London. Heartiest Congratulations to Mrs. Mydhili.
7.	Tharshith Sibaash Muthuraman of Class VII G has participated in the global annual hackathon conducted by NASA's Space Apps challenge in Oman and was selected for the pitching phase.
8.	Tharshith Sibaash Muthuraman of Class VII G has won the first prize in International Innofest Competition held by ARCOMM in July, 2021
9.	Kriv rajesh patel of Class VII L has been selected for Oman World cricket team
10.	Shibani Darssha Muthuraman of IV C has participated in the global annual hackathon conducted by NASA's Space Apps challenge in Oman and was selected for the pitching phase.
11.	Shibani Darssha Muthuraman of IV C has won the first prize in International Innofest Competition held by ARCOMM in July, 2021.
12.	Shreyhtek Acharya Class XI A secured the second position in the Logo Designing Contest organised by the Board of Directors as a part of India @75 celebrations. Faizan Najeeb of Class XII E won the consolation Prize. Heartiest Congratulations to Shreyhtek and Faizan.

