



Grade – Nursery – Sr. KG.

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**The summer heat is on.
Covid-19 has made school life seem like days by-gone.
But that won't deter us from learning and growing in ways paragon.
It's time to gear up and new technology refine upon.**

Dear Parents,

Greetings from New horizon Scholars School and Neo Kids.

First and the foremost heartfelt gratitude to all the parents for their support and cooperation always.

COVID-19 has invaded all the areas of the world and brought life to a standstill. There have been 100s of examples in human history where we have conquered and overcome unexpected massive challenges and adversities. This time as well -- Lets have a “VICTORIOUS- mindset rather than a VICTIM- frame of mind.”

We mentors at New Horizon Scholars feel that it's a lock down of the city NOT our MINDS. We don't want to let Corona hamper our Teaching –learning schedule so we plan to start the **Online New academic session** for the Pre Primary Section—Nursery, Jr.Kg and Sr. Kg from **—1st June 2020 onwards.**

We are aware that the tiny tots of the preprimary are too tender to handle'the fast changing system of academic reach out.

We hereby request our partners in education - 'The Parents' to be our strong support and work with us hand in hand for effective teaching- learning sessions.

To ensure smooth functioning of the online classes later –Trial /Practice sessions will be conducted for a week--from 13th May to 20th May 2020

These practice sessions will help us identify the challenges as well as help us explore new techniques to effectively reach the heart and minds of the children.

Let's prove that distance cannot keep us apart.

We – Neoite mentors are always ready to conquer and learn through meticulous dedication and perseverance.

SO..... let us begin with our Trial/ Practice sessions from tomorrow ---with enthusiasm and thrill.—Practice to explore and be perfect

Change in the system today is the need of the hour to keep pace with time-- that waits for none.

Dos and Don'ts—

1. Trial Microsoft classes will be conducted tomorrow from 9.00 am to 11.00 am.
2. Parents are requested to download Microsoft teams app on the mobile or laptop.—as per the instructions in the below given manual-pdf.
3. The **Student Id** will be sent to the students on the WhatsApp group by the grade teacher.
4. The student should connect 5 min before the session and keep himself /herself ready as per the instruction of the teacher. With a pen and a pencil to note down.

5. The teacher will teach keeping the participants on mute. Do not try to unmute yourselves, else it will disturb the class.
6. If the student encounters a doubt while the teacher is teaching he/she can ask at the end of the session. (last 10 min session).
7. Last 5-10 min will be reserved for recap and queries.
8. Do not try to open the chat box, until the teacher is ready for doubt solving
9. Also--Let's be ready for weak net connectivity during the session and handle the situation in a composed manner.

“Adaptability to change is itself a hallmark of successful education”

We at schools look at it as a different way to teach and learn Sustaining the connection between the student and teacher –and further strengthening the bond is the motto—also an effort to exemplify –

Life isn't about waiting for the storm to pass. It's about learning how to dance in the rain.

There is a possibility that a few students have gone–outstation and are unable to connect. But for a few should the entire group be left idle??? Time is an ultimate gift that will not come back.

Let us use it with purpose before it runs out.

Sure of support from the Parent Group as always.

We do not have any magic wand to handle the crisis, but definitely can unleash the power within and take charge of the situation.

STAY SAFE....STAY POSITIVE...STAY COMMITTED.....

Regards

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