



# CHIJ KATONG CONVENT

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Dear Parent/Guardian

## Updates on COVID-19 Matters

We would like to provide you with updates in Safe Management Measures (SMM) in school and share with you the post-COVID-19 infection advisory which will take effect from today, in line with the national easing of community restrictions.

### SMM Updates

S/N	Parameter	Requirements
1	Group Size	Up to 10 pax for mask-off activities
2	Mask-Wearing	a. Required indoors (e.g. hall, library, classroom, canteen, school bus) i. Indoor places refer to all buildings/places with clearly defined entrances/exits b. Optional outdoors (e.g. parade square, school field, unenclosed corridor, foyer, basketball court) i. Places which are sheltered but with open access will be regarded as outdoor areas
3	Safe Distancing (SD)	a. 1m when mask-off, between individuals or groups i. No SD required between individuals within a group. ii. No SD required for mask-on settings.
4	Capacity	a. Capacity Limit Criteria: i. <b>≤1,000 pax and mask-on:</b> no capacity limit <b>&gt;1,000 pax and mask-on:</b> capacity limit of 75% ii. <b>Mask-off events:</b> comply with 1m SD and prevailing group size b. If mask-on: no restrictions on intermingling within/across schools and with public c. If mask-off: only inter-school activities with fixed intermingling up to 50 persons is allowed. d. No zoning requirements

For the flag-raising ceremony, the singing of national anthem and school song is allowed when mask-on.

The SMMs in our canteen remain the same – fixed seating in groups of 4 and wearing of face masks when not eating/drinking.

## **Advisory on Post-COVID-19 Infection**

Staff/students who have recovered from COVID-19 and are well do not need to carry out the ART within 90 days from their recent infection unless otherwise required. However, if these staff/students are unwell, they should seek medical attention and follow their doctor's advice.

According to MOH advisory:

- a. If an ART is taken within 28 days from the day of recovery, and returns a positive result, the recovered staff/student does not need to isolate himself/herself (i.e., need not undergo Protocol 2 again), as the risk of reinfection in such a short period is very unlikely.
- b. As a precaution, recovered staff/students with an ART positive result after 28 days from the day of recovery should undergo Protocol 2.

For staff/students who have recovered from COVID-19, it may be advisable for them to avoid strenuous physical activities or intense exercise for up to 2 weeks after their infection.

Together, let us continue to guide our girls to be caring towards others and practise social responsibility at all times.

We thank you and look forward to your continued support in ensuring that the school remains a safe and conducive place for learning.

God bless you and your family.

Yours sincerely



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