

Dear Parent

On behalf of the Staff of Salwan school, I welcome you to the Session 2020-2021. We look forward to a productive partnership with you to make this year even more rewarding and fulfilling for our students. This year brings forth new challenges for the Education community. We are striving hard to chart out a strong academic course for our children while grappling with the challenges raised due to the Global fight against COVID19.

The ever-evolving education system has brought forward varied perspectives and new methodology.

We have taken the following measures to commence the new session from Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2020

1. **Online Classes:** To ensure smooth progression of the Academic Calendar, the school will conduct online classes for the students w.e.f, Wednesday, 1<sup>st</sup> April. To accomplish this, we will be conducting classes on Zoom, the most preferred App in online Education for the teaching-learning community. You are requested to download ZOOM <https://zoom.us/> on your Computer/Laptop/iPad/Tablet/Mobile or any digital device which supports the application.
  - Classes will be conducted daily and will include scholastic and co-scholastic subjects. The time table of the same will be shared on the schools '**Quick School Parent app**'. The Teachers and Coordinators will be in constant touch with you to offer the required support.
  - During this period, we advise you to make extensive use of E-books available at <http://ncert.nic.in/ebooks.html> as text book reading
  - Ensure that your ward attends the online classes in uniform and with a fresh mind to draw maximum benefit of teaching.
  - The classes will offer reading content, Teacher Interaction and Assignments.
  - We are confident, the virtual classrooms will aim at accomplishing a near total classroom experience for your ward.
  
1. **Orientation:** To guarantee a seamless transition to online learning we have organized an orientation for your ward on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2020. The link for the Zoom session will be shared with you through the parent app. The orientation will offer a step by step guide to you and your ward on usage of the content shared by the teachers.
  
2. **Payment of Fees:** The fee slips will be sent to you only after 14<sup>th</sup> April. The Management is also working on easing the fee payment mechanism for the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter to a monthly basis. We will work together in tiding over this financial crisis faced by you and us.
  
3. **Parents' Role:** During this time, it is important to provide the child with a secure environment. This will help them cope with the anxiety and uncertainty that they are witnessing around them. It can be emotionally taxing on these young minds who we have nurtured to the best of our ability.

You have multifaceted roles to play as a Parent, Teacher, Mentor and above all, a Friend, especially in these challenging times. Let us be proactive, purposeful and enjoy bonding with our Children. Let us take this moment to inculcate core values in our children.

- Sensitize your child to care for the environment and understand the value of co-existence
  - Adopt habits which promote judicious use of resources.
  - Talk to your child. Make them understand how a small hazard can turn into a disaster due to irresponsible human behavior and lack of social responsibility
  - Let us teach them to care and respect humanity. Make sure they help around in the house hold chores which will help them develop dignity of labour
  - Appreciate the small things in life and show love and compassion to all. Each one of us has to play a larger and proactive role in improving the situation around us.
4. **Your opinion Matters:** We would love to hear how you are coping in this scenario and also what can we as a human race do to make the world a better place for generations to come. Do write to us and we will work on putting all your and our thoughts together as a letter to the Prime Minister. Let us answer to his call of being involved citizens who will take the Nation forward Hand in Hand.

Each day comes with a new challenge and brings with it a new learning experience. We move ahead with a new outlook towards life. In the current scenario we need to revisit our practices and reinvent our life style.

Thank You  
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