



# Plans & protocols for the reopening of school



We are looking forward to reopening our school on September 2nd!

## Government Guidelines:

We are planning for the reopening of Provo Primary & Middle Schools in line with the Draft COVID-19 Protocols for Returning to School, issued by the TCI Department of Education.

While we await a final draft of these Guidelines, the following planning is subject to change by the Department of Education or Ministry of Health

### Key Guidelines that inform our preparations:

- All students must be seated/socially distanced by 6ft in their classrooms and in common areas of the school.
- Face masks must be worn at all times while on the school site.
- Additional hand washing and hand sanitizing stations are to be added.
- Temperature checks and hand sanitizing is part of the arrival routine. Arrival/collection of children will be staggered to ensure that gathering of people is minimized.
- Access to online learning will be maintained for students unable to attend school.

## Our in-school provision:

We hope to offer onsite learning for all students. In order to establish whether this can be achieved, we are conducting a short Parent Survey.

In order to adhere to the 6ft distancing guidelines, it may be necessary to adopt a program of blended learning:

- Children would return to school in ½ classes for onsite learning.
- Online sessions would be provided for the ½ class who are not in school.
- Each ½ class would receive 3 days of onsite learning one week and 2 days the following week.
- Teachers would set/introduce activities for online/home learning while in class together.
- Timetables would incorporate the full curriculum into onsite sessions. In addition to the core subjects, this will include PE, Performing Arts, Computing, Art, Spanish and Sciences.
- Ongoing projects would be developed by in-school and home-learning sessions, with feedback from the teacher and peers.
- Assessment of students would take place in school, following normal school routines.
- *Wherever possible, where a class can be accommodated as a single group, we will offer onsite learning 5 days per week.*

## Our Early Years & Kindergarten provision:

- Arrival area will be established so that our younger children can be dropped directly into the Early Years playground
- Staff members will work together to provide learning for both classes, within their pods, to deliver the full Early Years' Curriculum.