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Dear Southville International School and Colleges students, parents, teachers and staff,

Greetings!

I am very proud and appreciative of our teachers, students and staff for the continuous teaching and learning happening from Preschool to Senior High School during this unsettling time. Allow me to commend everyone for successfully implementing our online learning that started last March 11, 2020. I am impressed by the grit shown by our students and teachers and by the full support of the parents of our students. Based on the data gathered by our Deputy Principals, 80 % of our students are engaged in online learning during the cancellation of classes.

Due to the extension of the suspension of classes which will last for a month, SISC will continue with the online learning for all students. The teachers have been making e-learning lessons since the school closure, and have planned and prepared for various scenarios. Details of the schedule will be reflected in the Academic Weekly Planner or AWPs of our students.

Curriculum and Instruction

- 1. Online learning will continue from March 16 to April 10, 2020.
- 2. A special online class schedule will be sent to all parents and students on March 16, 2020.
- 3. Homeroom Classes will be done through Video Conferencing. Attendance of students will be checked.

Assessment

- 1. All students except Nursery to Junior Kinder will have online mock SBA Exams to prepare them for the April 20 SBA Post Test.
- 2. Grade 11 will have online review in preparation for university exams.
- 3. PASS Defense of Grade 6 and Grade 12 will be conducted online through Video Conferencing.
- 4. Formative Assessments will be given online.
- 5. Summative Assessments will be given as soon as the class starts.

External Exam Schedule

Standard Based Assessment (SBA) Post Test - April 20, 2020

3rd Term Exam Schedule

LEVEL	DATE
ECED (PS)	May 12-15, 2020
Gr. 1 - 2	May 19-22, 2020
Gr. 3– 5 and	June 1-3, 2020
Gr. 7-11	
Gr. 6 and 12	May 4-6, 2020
IB 1	June 15-19, 2020

Other Matters

- Submission of Reservation Slip for the Early Enrolment is extended. The new deadline is on April 30, 2020.
- 2. Online Attendance of students will be monitored. Students with Perfect Attendance during the Online Learning will be recognized and will receive a special award.
- 3. Audit Tutorials and Back Subject Tutorials will be conducted online.
- 4. School activities are cancelled except for graduation-related activities.

Recognition Days for all levels will be cancelled. Awardees will receive their medals and certificates during the 3rd Term Parents-Teacher Conference

(PTC). Practices during recognition will be used for academic time. However, Graduation Days for Senior Kinder, Grade 6 and Grade 12 will remain as scheduled:

May 28, 2020	SK Graduation
	(moved one week later)
June 4, 2020	IB 2 Graduation (AM)
June 4, 2020	Gr. 6 Graduation (PM)
June 5, 2020	Gr. 12 Graduation
(if social distancing still	GAS and STEM – 9am
applies)	ABM and HUMSS – 4pm
May 28, 2020	SK Graduation
	(moved one week later)

We are grateful to the SISC community for its ongoing support of the school's commitment to student learning during this very challenging time. We will continue to monitor the situation and keep everyone informed as new information becomes available. We are confident that if we follow the sound advice and practices that have been advocated like hand hygiene and cough/sneeze etiquette, everyone will be as healthy as can be and our campuses will remain clean, safe and welcoming in anticipation of the resumption of school on April 13, 2020.

Be calm. Stay safe.

Sincerely yours,

Marie Vic Suarez SISC Principal

Acknowledgment Form

Basic Ed Bulletins



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