# SAFE RELAUNCH 2020



Akram
-Jomaa



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قَالَ رَسُولُ اللّهِ صلى الله عليه وسلم "الرَّاحِمُونَ يَرْحَمُهُمُ الرَّحْمُنُ ارْحَمُوا الرَّاحِمُونَ يَرْحَمُهُمُ الرَّحْمُنُ ارْحَمُوا مَنْ فِي اللَّرْضِ يَرْحَمُكُمْ مَنْ فِي السَّمَاءِ مَنْ فِي السَّمَاءِ

The Messenger of God, peace and blessings be upon him, said:

"Merciful people will be showered with Mercy from the All-Merciful. Show mercy to everyone upon the Earth and the Lord of the Heavens will be Merciful to you."



## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

As-Salamu 'Alaykum Dear Parents,

With the announcement from the government of Alberta that all schools will reopen on September 2nd, plans are being developed to ensure the safe relaunch of Akram-Jomaa.

Safety of our students, staff and visitors is our number one priority. Thus far, we are taking the following measures to help keep the virus out and prevent the spread:

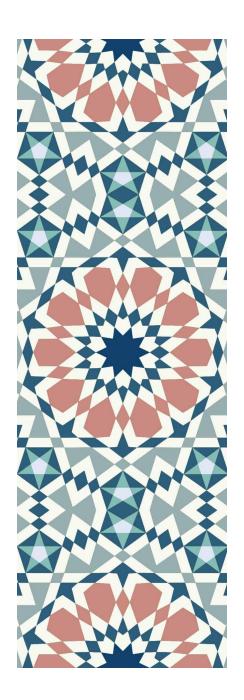
- Sharing up-to-date information and best practices with all stakeholders
- Guidance package for families
- Staggered drop-off and pick-up times
- Staggered recess times
- Keeping narrow hallways to one-way traffic only
- Redistributing classes to minimize congestion in hallways
- Preparing rooms where students with symptoms can be isolated.
- Clear signage throughout the building
- Sanitization stations in every classroom and at all high traffic areas
- Electrostatic sprayer to clean rooms, hallways, playground and buses daily
- Daily dhuhr and Friday Prayers have been adjusted to allow for proper physical distancing
- Providing online learning for families not yet ready to attend in-person
- ...and more...



## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

We are doing everything we can to take care of our AJ Family and ensure that the needs of all our students, staff and families are looked after. We are here to support you and your children in what is shaping up to be a unique school year.

It is important for all of us to remember that during these challenging moments in our lives, we can easily get wrapped-up in all of the expectations, rules and guidelines and forget to treat one another with mercy and compassion. One of the main reasons that schools are reopening, is to provide an opportunity for students to establish those meaningful human connections. It is a major component of health and wellness to be in the presence of caring people and as educators, our staff is committed to being a source of mercy and compassion to our students, even more so than ever before! I encourage everyone in our school community, parents, students, staff and others to hold fast to the way of Mercy with one another. The way of the Prophet Muhammad, peace and blessings be upon him, who was sent as a mercy to all of creation.



### DROP-OFF & PICK-UP

Drop-Off/Pick-Up			
Last Name	Drop-Off	Tuesday – Friday Pick-Up	Monday Pick-Up
A – D	7:55 – 8:15 am	2:15 – 2:30 pm	11:55 - 12:15
E – L	8:20 – 8:40 am	2:35 – 2:55 pm	12:15 - 12:35
M – Z	8:45 – 9:00 am	3:00 – 3:15 pm	12:35 - 12:55

- Students will be arriving and leaving school during the designated times only.
- Please refer to the above table for your drop-off/pick-up time based on your last name.

### First Week

During the week of September 2 - 4th <u>only</u> we will have a reduced number of students in the building.

- 1. All day Wednesday September 2nd will only be for those students whose last name is between A E
- 2. All day Thursday September 3rd will only be for those students whose last name is between F M
- 3. All day Friday September 4th will only be for those students whose last name is between N Z

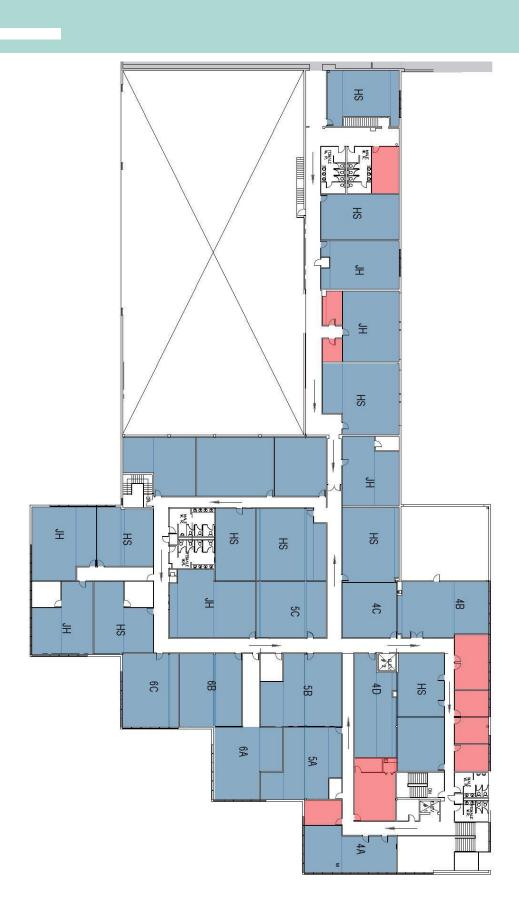
### SCHOOL MAP MAIN FLOOR

MAIN FLOOR PLAN



### SCHOOL MAP 2ND FLOOR

SECOND FLOOR PLAN



### SUPPLIES

Parents are requested to purchase the following supplies:

### Kindergarten:

• More information coming soon

### Grades 1 - 3:

• More information coming soon

### Grades 4 - 6:

• More information coming soon

### Grades 7 - 8:

• More information coming soon

### Grades 9 - 12:

• More information coming soon

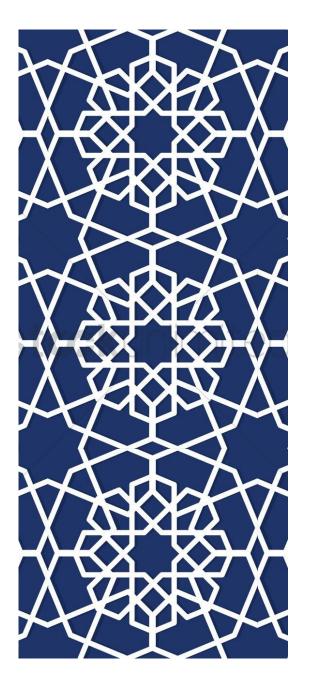


## STUDENT WELLINESS

### **Self-Assessment**

To help ensure the wellness of everyone in our Akram-Jomaa family, all students and staff are required to complete a self-assessment for COVID-19 everyday prior to arriving at school.

The self-assessment tool can be found on the Alberta Health Services website.



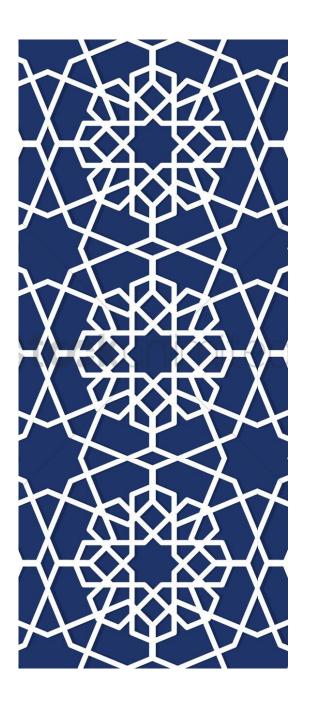
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### Student Illness

All staff and students that are experiencing symptoms should stay home.

If a student develops symptoms while at school they will immediately be isolated from others and provided a non-medical mask. Parents/Guardians or an emergency contact are then required to immediately take the student home.

The Chief Medical Officer of Health Order 05-2020 legally obligates individuals who have a cough, fever, shortness of breath, runny nose, or sore throat (that is not related to a pre-existing illness or health condition) to be in isolation for 10 days from the start of symptoms, or until symptoms resolve, whichever takes longer.



### ONLINE LEARNING

Akram-Jomaa is committed to supporting students and their families in receiving an excellent education from home. We recognize that is your right to have your child learn from home until the risks of COVID-19 have been mitigated. Online learning will allow for a high quality, personalized education while still maintaining a relationship with the teacher and fellow students. We want to be as supportive as possible to ensure both safety and peace of mind for our Akram-Jomaa families.

The expectation will be for our teachers to deliver the curriculum and provide content in the form of assignments, videos, readings and other appropriate resources for your child. The expectation for parents is that you will support your child's learning and keep them on track to meet the objectives within a reasonable time-frame, as directed by the teacher.

Unlike the emergency at-home learning period that began in March, online students will be responsible for all curricular outcomes and assessments.

Students will be required to have a laptop, desktop or chromebook and a reliable internet connection for the online learning cohort.

To register your child in online learning, please fill out the <u>"Online"</u>
Learning Registration Form
and an administrator will be in touch with you in the coming days.



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Thank You



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