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Regarding face masks and COVID 19 – **UPDATED VERSION**

Dear boarding school students and staff members,

From tomorrow Thursday we have new instructions on the school about the use of face mask. On the boarding school we do this:

Students do not have to wear a face mask at the boarding school.

Members of the staff, who work at the boarding school, must wear a face mask, unless they are working in closed rooms or if they are stiing down. That means:

1. Kitchenstaff must wear face mask at the buffet when they are handing out food.
2. Cleaning staff must wear a face mask.
3. The supervisors must wear a face mask.

Staff at the school must follow the school's instructions, when they visit the boarding school.

Boarding school students must buy face masks to use at the school.

Please remember:

Washing hands:

Students and staff must wash or disinfect their hands:

- Upon arrival and departure from school. Use the dispensers at the various entrances.
- When the hands are visibly dirty.
- After using the toilet, before and after eating, after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing
- When moving from one room to another.

Keep a distance:

- Keep a 1 meter distance from each other when moving around the premises other than the classrooms. I.e. during breaks, in the common areas, when you arrive at school and when you leave it again.
- No hugging or high fives and the like.
- Do not share phones, screens, iPad or laptops.

Be considerate:

- Cough and sneeze in the sleeve and wash your hands.
- Clean your laptop keyboard etc. every day.

Limit your social activities: see only 10 people.

It is forbidden to be assembly more than 10 people in the public areas outside the boarding school. You risk a big fine.





How to wear a face mask correctly

Face masks must be worn correctly to avoid spreading the virus and bacteria to yourself and others.

1. Wash your hands or use hand sanitiser before putting on the face mask
2. Find out which side of the mask is the front. For disposable face masks, it is usually the coloured side
3. Put on the face mask by holding the elastic ear loops. Make sure it fits tightly to your face and covers both your nose and mouth
4. Do not touch the face mask during use. Change it often and always put on a new one if it gets wet or dirty
5. Remove the face mask by holding the elastic ear loops, and discard it immediately. Put fabric face masks in a bag and wash them at 60 degrees. Only wear a face mask once, and then discard it or wash it
6. Wash your hands or use hand sanitiser after use

What type of face mask should I wear?

A type I face mask will protect others and yourself.

Wear a factory made CE marked disposable face mask if you are infected or at risk of being infected with novel coronavirus, if you wear a face mask because you are at higher risk, or because you are going to be with someone at higher risk.

In other situations, you can wear a good fabric face mask as an alternative to a disposable face mask.

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You all do a great effort to keep our school and boarding school free from the disease, and we have not had any incidents of disease spreading at the school or the boarding school. This is only possible because you all take care of each other. In the coming period we must be extra careful by wearing a face mask.

Sincerely

Mads Brinkmann Pedersen

Principal

