

Dear Parents

“You have a lifetime to work, but children are young only once”

Days pass into years and we gallop across various stages of life, touching milestones, setting records, building careers but, amidst all this, there are days we crave for. A day under the warmth of parent’s care, a day of family fun, and a day of bonding with kids! The busy schedules however don’t allow us to have it often. This period of Quarantine is definitely a cause for worry. Interplay of natural forces has forced us into confinement. We are all at home today and for the next 15 days in complete obedience with the directions of Government of India. When the lockdown has happened in the entire nation, our stay at home is an act of great service, not only to ourselves but to the entire nation. Hence we need to make the most of it by resetting and formatting our lives to its basics. This is a ripe chance (though much undesirable) to give undivided attention to our family and **make the House a Home again**. There is no lockdown to express Love and invest in family time. This would be a lifetime investment which will enrich us with everlasting gains.

In the coming days, when we are bolted in with our families, it would be challenging to handle kids at home and bear their tantrums. Our immediate call would be to discipline them, put them to studies and come up with a time based routine for them. But my dear parents, when the school reopens, this is exactly what shall happen. Why not give this time in loving them, playing games, sharing childhood stories (some days also the mischief you did), and experiences. Make time to cook together, experiment in the kitchen, do dishes and cleaning and follow it up with a game of Ludo or Carrom! With you, it’s also our children who are bound to home. They are afraid too. They are experiencing this for the first time and this prolonged stay will be remembered by them forever. Instead of dwelling on the information which creates havoc, why not relive the era of 90s? With our most loved epics- Ramayana and Mahabharata being aired again, let’s move back in time while things settle in our present. These perilous times call for us to act differently. It’s time to put down the curtains and bridge the gap and I am certain this time will be remembered more by them, than any holiday that they have ever had.

At this juncture, it is imperative that we try to get ourselves away from the hysteria of media and get things back to normalcy at home. The school has planned activities for our young scholars at all levels to keep them engaged and academically connected which shall soon be communicated to you.

Lastly, I would say, “When you find yourself cocooned in isolation and can’t find your way out of darkness; remember that this is similar to the place where caterpillars go to grow their wings.”

Take Care, Stay Safe & Happy Family Time.

Warm Regards

Principal