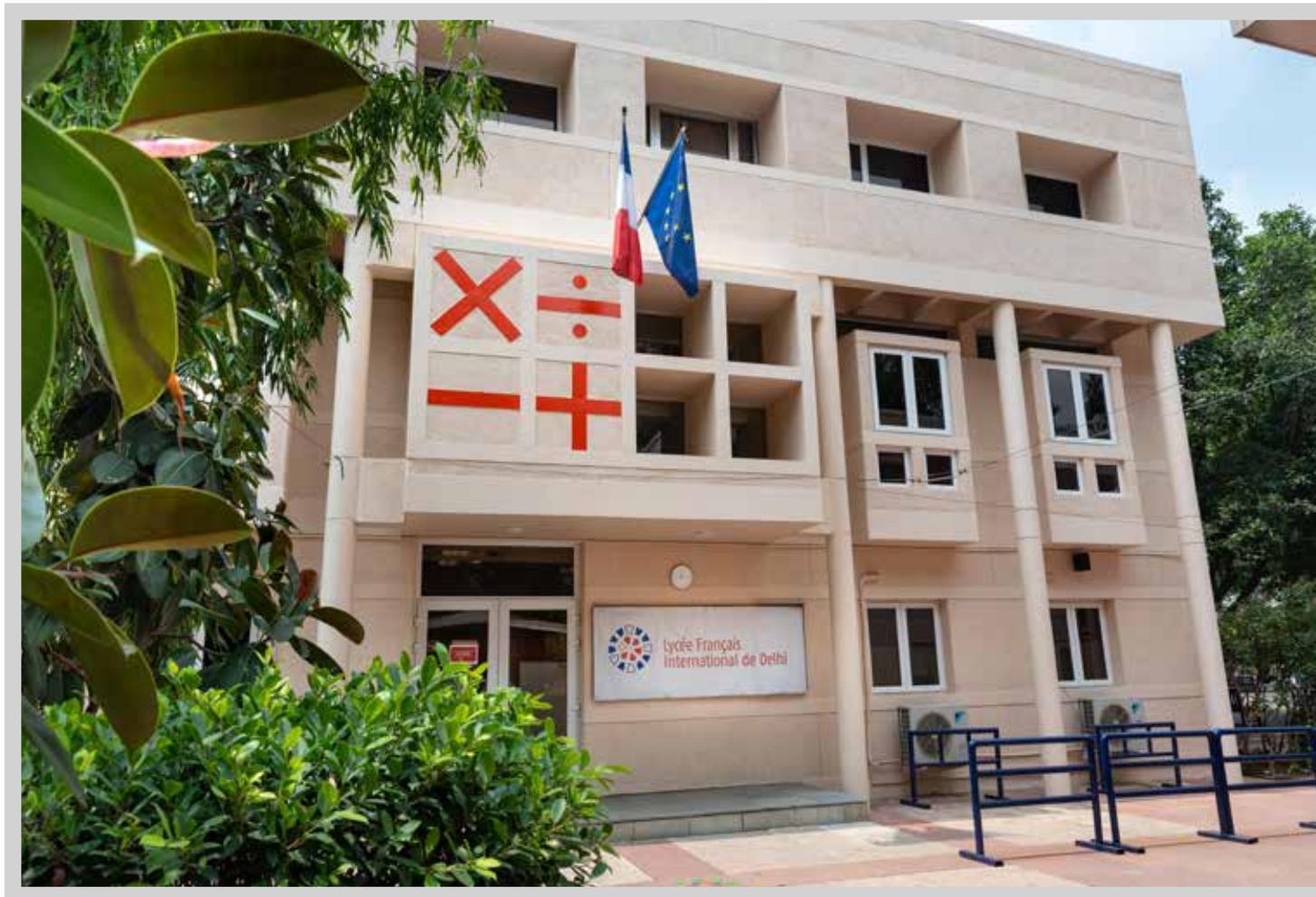


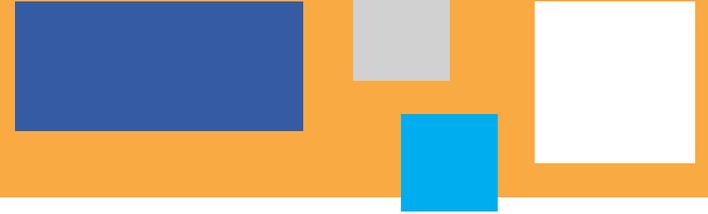


Lycée Français International de Delhi

Covid Protocol



Responsibility



This year has been one of many changes. The Lycée Français International de Delhi expects everyone to follow our health and safety guidelines, which have been created in consultation with teachers, parents, the school direction, and our experienced school doctor. They are informed by science and created in a spirit of mutual respect and for the protection of our entire community.

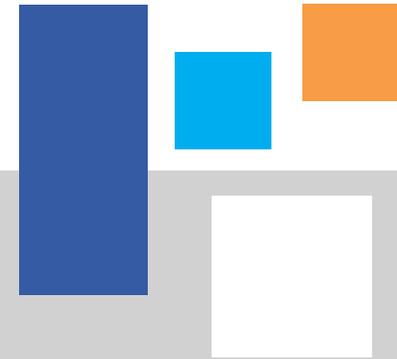
By adhering to the protocols developed by the LFID Covid Task Force, we commit to supporting and protecting one another, as each of us aims to minimise the risk of exposure for ourselves and our community.

We ask that each member of our community commits to the following:

- That parents and guardians monitor their children for symptoms daily before coming to school.
- That employees self-monitor their own health and self-screen for symptoms related to Covid-19.
- That all members of the community stay home whenever they are feeling sick, when exhibiting symptoms of Covid-19, or when at risk due to contact with a Covid-positive individual.



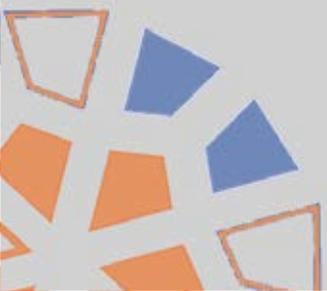
Commitment to Learning



While the school has re-opened for in-person learning, some students continue to learn from home. Some families might be restricted from leaving their home due to local containment zones, others may have opted to remain at home for medical or family reasons, while others may not yet have returned to Delhi. We must also ensure that learning continues in the event that students face quarantine after illness, at-risk contacts or travel.

Currently, synchronous online streaming of lessons is being offered for secondary school classes. Students are able to view classes as they happen, participate in discussions, ask questions, and interact through the chat function. Younger students will continue to attend school only in the mornings, with online activities and Meets being organised in the afternoon. Options for the live-streaming of elementary classes will be explored.

The Direction and Management of LFID understand the need for adaptability as the Covid19 situation evolves. The team remains committed to providing a pedagogical system that will support the academic growth and emotional needs of all students.



Health & Hygiene

In order to protect our school community in the midst of this pandemic, we must all agree on a shared set of principles and daily actions. These will allow us to create a healthy and safe educational environment.

Daily Symptom Check

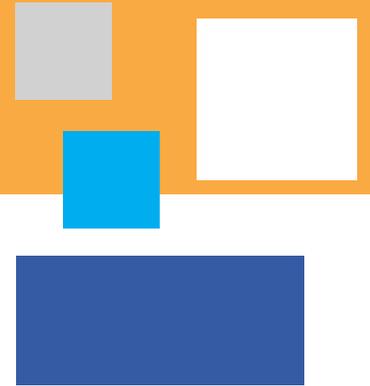
- Monitor any occurrence of symptoms in children or among any family member or close contacts such as household staff.

- Temperature should be taken before leaving for school to check for fever (above 38C).

Hand Hygiene

- Hand washing is essential. It consists of washing thoroughly all parts of the hands with soap and water for 20 seconds. Drying of hands must be done, if possible, using a disposable paper tissue or by drying hands in the air. Failing that, the usage of a hydro alcoholic solution may be allowed, under the strict supervision of an adult at the primary level.

- Washing or disinfecting of hands must be done, at the very least: upon arrival at the school or upon entering the classroom, before each meal, after using the toilets, in the evening before returning home or upon arrival at home.



Face Mask Guidelines

All members of the LFID community must wear a mask at all times while on the school premise, including guests or visitors to the school. An exception is made for kindergarten students once they arrive in class (those from TPS to GS). Masks are required for entry at the gate, exit of the school and movement throughout.

Parents are to provide 2 masks per day (for children who stay for lunch). A spare mask is recommended.

Masks should be changed at the midday lunch break.

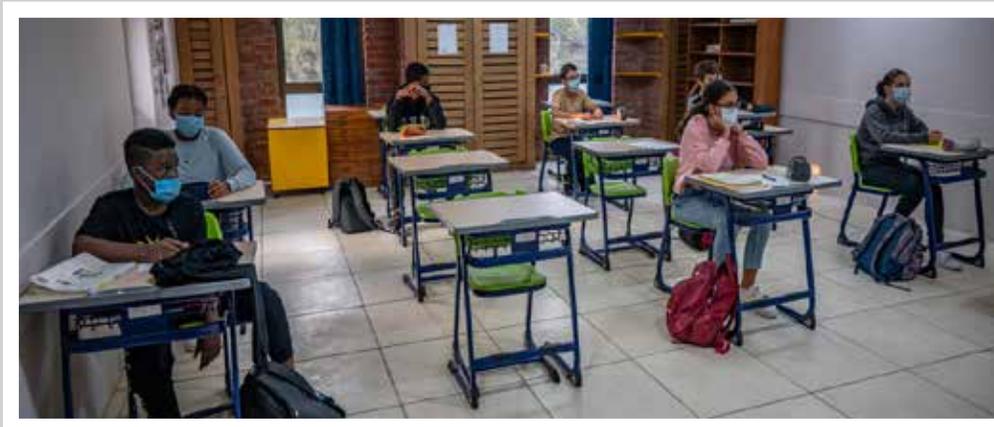
Masks with valves are not permitted at this time.



Class Groups

Much of the school's Covid protocol is based on the notion of the "class group". The LFID has organized the unfolding of the daily school activities in such a manner as to limit as much as possible the intermingling of students from different classes.

- Arrivals and departures of students are closely monitored so as to limit the clustering of students and avoid congestion
- An exit door/staircase has been assigned for each primary class.
- Recess times are staggered and a new use of space has been developed to allow separate areas per class to prevent mixing.
- Each class has been assigned a designated toilet, with additional toilets having been built to accommodate the kindergarten classes.
- Specialty classes such as music and art, will no longer use a common space, to prevent contamination between groups.



Access to School Premises

Entry of accompanying persons to the school buildings and premises is allowed, however it must be limited to when strictly necessary. All those who enter the school must strictly adhere to health directives (temperature readings, wearing of masks, disinfecting of hands, physical distancing, etc) and abide by measures related to the direction of movement.



LFID Entrance Procedure

- Masks must be worn prior to entry
- Thermal temperature reading (below 38C)
- Disinfection of hands at entrance and after contact with any high traffic surface
- Limit of one adult per family for drop off and pick up

Second Entrance

A new entrance was constructed in order to allow greater distancing and reduce crowding in the morning. This entrance will be used by all secondary students, while the main entrance will be reserved for kindergarten and elementary students.

In Case of Illness or Symptoms

All students and staff must promptly notify the school if they have tested positive for Covid-19 or are symptomatic and awaiting test results, or if a member of their family or household does the same.

The LFID will ensure that the student or staff member will respect the quarantine guidelines, and deep cleaning of all relevant spaces will be carried out. The class of any confirmed Covid-19 case will be informed, while protecting personal data and respecting medical confidentiality. Depending on the level of contact, and in consultation with our school doctor, classmates will either be required to quarantine or will be advised to self-monitor for symptoms.

Points of Contact:

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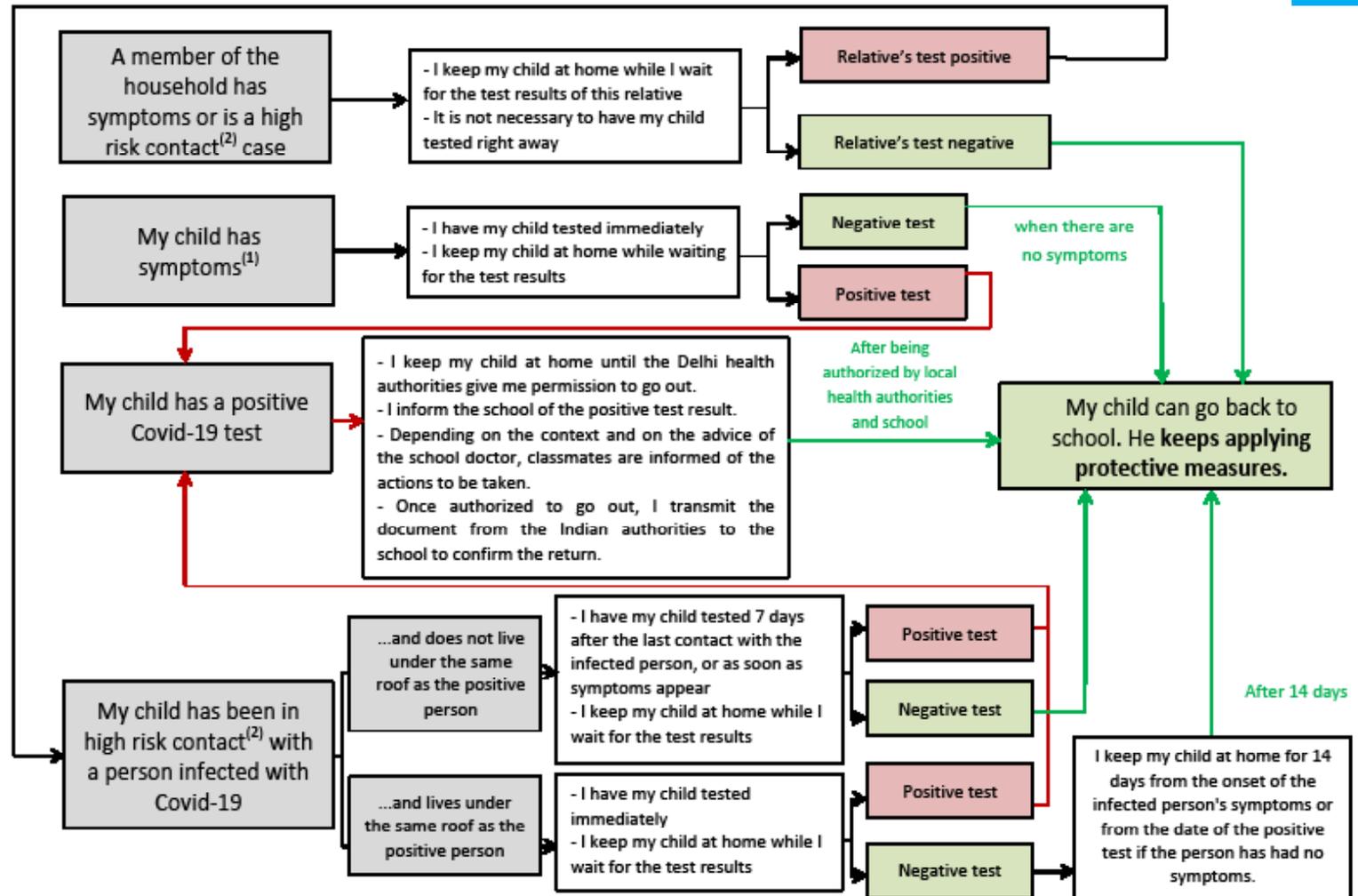
Please know that the health, wellness and safety of the LFID community is our top priority.

Quarantine Rules

Please refer to the Quarantine Decision Tree in the event of any positive test results, symptoms of Covid-19, or high-risk contact within any member of your household.

If the choice is made to not perform a Covid-19 test, a 14 day quarantine period from the date of symptoms or contact must be observed.

If you feel your particular situation is not addressed herein, please contact the school doctor directly: medecin@lfidelhi.org.



TEST = Nasopharyngeal swab RT-PCR

(1) SYMPTOMS INCLUDE = fever, sore throat, cough, muscle ache, headache, tightness in the chest, difficulty breathing, loss of taste or smell, fatigue, and/or diarrhea.

(2) HIGH-RISK CONTACT = contact of at least 15 minutes AND face-to-face AND at a distance <1.5m AND without wearing a mask (covering nose and mouth) by at least one of the two people. A plexiglass barrier is equivalent to wearing a mask. **A car ride of 15+ minutes with a positive or potentially-positive person is also considered high-risk** as it is a confined space, regardless of whether masks are worn.

Return to School

Once the student or staff has received proper clearance, either by completing the prescribed quarantine period or by producing proof of discharge from local health authorities, permission will be granted to return to school. Students will not be allowed to return to the school premise in any capacity until the proper paperwork has been submitted to the school doctor. If a Covid-19 test was not performed, the 14 day quarantine must be completed in its entirety and the individual must be free from symptoms for 48 hours.



The situation is constantly evolving. Please read this protocol carefully and remain alert to any new communication sent by the school on this subject.

Thank you for your cooperation. The help and collaboration across our entire community is necessary to manage the coming weeks and months. These measures guarantee optimal risk mitigation and will help ensure a healthy and safe learning environment for our children and staff.

