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To: Parents (Junior Kg and Senior Kg- Academic Year 2020-21)

From: The Director

Subject: Decision on Fees Structure 2020-21

Dear Parents,

Thank you to all those who attended the meeting directly or through representatives on Saturday, the 13th of June. We deeply appreciate the constructive approach shown by most parents to have a dialogue towards resolution of any issues. We are also cognizant of the challenges brought by the COVID-19 epidemic on all of us and empathize with all in our parent community.

At the same time, we hope we were also able to give you an insight into the challenges we face as an institution and what it means for our sustainability, quality of our program, our teachers and team members of our support staff.

Basis our interactions, and the suggestions put forth by the parent community, we are sharing below the decisions that we have arrived at in this context:

- Instead of collecting the fees in three instalments in the year, we will now allow up to six equal instalments through the year. Those who want to avail this option can write to the school counsellor and register for it.
- The fee waiver of Rs.10,400/- mentioned in the circular is being revised to Rs. 13,700/- and will be applicable over the Life Skills Development charges and the balance over the Annual Education Fees.
- In addition, the school will give a waiver on meal charges, for every month that the school premise is not operational. The monthly waiver amount is equivalent to the monthly average of these annual charges.

The revised fee payment schedule is given in the Appendix below. All other provisions of the fee circular and the clarification letter will continue as mentioned.




With the school having implemented these steps, there will be no fee increase over the previous year. In addition, parents will benefit from no meal charges for the months that the school is not physically operational. The positive approach of the vast majority of our parent community, to be constructive instead of antagonistic, made us come to this decision. We realise that this will put some burden on the school and our team, but in this difficult time, we stand with our parent community in the best interest of our children.

We also understand the anxieties that you may have as a parent for your child's adjustment to a remote learning model at this difficult time. You can be rest assured that we have developed a model that will continue to stimulate and holistically develop our young children without putting undue pressure of technology on their young minds. Our guidance to parents will also be immensely helpful for parents to learn best practices in nurturing their young children from home. Our focus on safe and developmentally appropriate approaches will continue even once the school re-opens for its children.

We request all parents, as our key stakeholders, to work together with the school during this difficult time and hope we get to better times soon. The last date for paying fees is now extended to 20th June, with our classes starting on 22nd June. We seek your support in making timely payment of the first installment/sharing written requests with the school in case of payments with six installments.

Our school counsellors would be happy to assist you with any further queries that you may have. We hope you and your families stay healthy and safe and look forward to welcoming our students back to school once again.

Sincerely,



Raj Kumar Joshi

Director

Redbricks Education Foundation

APPENDIX: FEES PAYMENT SCHEDULES

REDBRICKS SCHOOL SATELLITE – YEAR 2020-21 (Jr. KG/Sr. KG)

Fees Payment Schedule with Additional Service Package

Class	1 st Installment (Payable by 20 th June 2020)				2 nd Installment (PDC alongwith the 1 st Installment dated 7 th September 2020)				3 rd Installment (PDC alongwith the 1 st Installment dated 6 th January 2021)				Yearly Total
	Annual Education Fees	Life Skills Development Charges (ASP)	Meal Charges (ASP)	Total Fees (1 st Inst.)	Annual Education Fees	Life Skills Development Charges (ASP)	Meal Charges (ASP)	Total Fees (2 nd Inst.)	Annual Education Fees	Life Skills Development Charges (ASP)	Meal Charges (ASP)	Total Fees (3 rd Inst.)	
Junior KG and Senior KG	22,100	-	-	22,100	22,100	-	1,762	23,862	21,900	-	1,763	23,663	69,625

Note:

- The above payment schedule has a full waiver on life skills development charges for the entire academic year as well as some waiver on Annual Education Fees (Total Waiver: 13,700).
- In addition, 3 months waiver on Meal charges is considered at a monthly average charge of Rs. 392 per month. For every additional month that the school remains physically closed, additional monthly Meal charges waiver adjustments will be made in the next installments.

Fees Payment Schedule without Additional Service Package

Class	1 st Installment (Payable by 20 th June 2020)	2 nd Installment (PDC alongwith the 1 st Installment dated 7 th September 2020)	3 rd Installment (PDC alongwith the 1 st Installment dated 6 th January 2021)	Yearly Total
	Annual Education Fees (1 st Inst.)	Annual Education Fees (2 nd Inst.)	Annual Education Fees (3 rd Inst.)	
Junior KG and Senior KG	22,100	22,100	21,900	66,100

Note:

- The above payment schedule has some waiver on Annual Education Fees (Waiver Amount: 8,200), and the revised fees are the same as the previous year.
- As shared in the fees structure sheet, Additional Service Package (ASP) includes Life skills development charges and Meal charges. It is an optional package for parents. The first table above gives the payment schedule with the ASP option, while the second table gives the payment schedule without the ASP option.
- Parents wanting to opt for a 6 installment payment option, can write to the school counselor and seek more details of the payment schedule.