



Sri Venkateshwar International School

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Dear Parents
Namasakaar

We all have evolved with time in Covid era. The kind of resilience our students have shown is commendable. We are thankful to you for your faith, support and encouragement. Online classes have kept the children busy, giving them an opportunity to meet their friends and engage with the teachers. These, at best gave a direction to their daily routine and study habits.

While experimenting and finding the best time for online interaction, keeping in mind, the requirement of online devices at home, ideal screen time and parents' own office work from home, we reduced the daily class time considerably.

The syllabus has been rationalised and will be made easier but at the same time, fundamentals of language, Mathematical skills cannot be compromised. CBSE too has released revised syllabus with 30% content to be learnt and not examined for classes 9-12. Students must still read and understand the concepts for learning continuum. School shall teach them nonetheless. We will likewise not examine a few chapters in all classes to reduce the examination pressure. Some chapters of literature, some in Sc. and Social Science will be dealt with in non - detailed manner or podcasts shared.

We are trying to teach in an integrated manner through project work, and have also realised that some learners take more time than usual. Shorter duration classes leave some gaps and some parents may feel that teachers either are not revising well or seem to be rushing up. In many cases, parents are able to fill the gaps and many a times the parents themselves are over occupied. We have decided to address the issue in the following manner:

Supportive Learning Material: On Fridays, Classes PS- 10 will receive podcasts/ worksheets/ notes.

Evening Support Group: We shall have two classes in a week for PP - 3 for some students, who need more time in a particular week from 5pm to 5:40pm. Teachers will be the best judge to select the needy students as well as the day/s of the week as convenient to them.

We would also like to tell you from our experience that the first few weeks of April and July months are the toughest for children in terms of routine scheduling and some of them throw emotional tantrums or resistance to be made to get up and get ready for school/ classes. Parents are liable to read this as a sign of teacher not being effective in binding the interest.

We will expect the parents to exercise caution and not judge a teacher harshly and seek 'Section Change' as a solution.

We have told our teachers to keep July as a fun month and from August, the children suddenly seem to grow and comprehend faster.

Routine becomes a habit and the mind starts looking up to the interaction as a desired one.

Genius Corner now from 3-10: We have added 'Genius Corner' as a supportive and assessment tool online in classes 9-10 as well, at no cost to the parents for this session. ids and passwords of all children will be shared by Genius Corner, do log in and enjoy the easy study material in English, Math, Sc. and Social Sc.

Our students continue to surprise us with newer initiatives and projects.

Do like and follow the School Facebook page for regular updates.

Best regards

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