

Extension of suspension of face-to-face classes until 6 March 2022

Dear Parents,

The Education Bureau (EDB) announced on 14 February 2022 that since the epidemic situation is still very severe, all secondary schools will continue the suspension of face-to-face classes and on-campus activities until 6 March 2022. Please see the relevant arrangement below:

1. Class Arrangement

	Form	Items	Arrangement
1.	S.1-S.6	<i>Mode of delivery</i>	● Full-day online classes will be conducted from 21 Feb 2022 – 4 Mar 2022
		<i>Online classes</i>	● For Zoom online operation instructions and precautions, please refer to the school website via the link below: https://www.bethel.edu.hk/en/news/index ● For Zoom online class regulations, please refer to School Circular 21047
		<i>Reading Period</i>	● The reading period will be suspended from 21 Feb 2022 – 4 Mar 2022

2. School activities & relevant arrangement in Feb 2022

	Form	Activity	Date	Arrangement
1.	S.1-S.6	Extra-curricular activities	Temporarily suspend	● Resume on 23 Mar 2022
2.	S.1-S.6	Professional Staff Development Day	25 Feb 2022	● Students do not need to attend any classes
3.	S.1-S.5	Parents' Day	27 Feb 2022	● Parents will meet the class teacher according to the designated time slot
4.	S.1-S.6	Day after Parents' Day	28 Feb 2022	● Students do not need to attend any classes

3. Application for attending online classes & access to school premise

	Form	Subject Matter	Arrangement
1.	S.1-S.6	Access to the School Premise	● The school premise will remain open during office hours ± 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. (Mon-Fri) ± 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. (Sat)
2.	S.1-S.6	Application for attending online class in school	● Parents can apply for attending online classes at school for their child via submitting parents' letter to the school


4. The COVID-19 'Vaccine Pass'

Starting from 24 February 2022, except for those exempted, all teaching and non-teaching staff, persons providing on-campus services and visitors (including parents) will be required to present vaccination records of at least the first dose of COVID-19 vaccine prior to their entry into the school premise. Moreover, all teaching and non-teaching staff, persons providing on-campus services and all other visitors should scan the school QR code via the "LeaveHomeSafe" app. Although the 'Vaccine Pass' arrangement does not apply to students, students in the relevant age groups are urged to get vaccinated as soon as possible to better protect themselves, and it will surely help to construct a more effective protective barrier in the school and community.

Parents are advised to take epidemic preventive measures and pay close attention to the health conditions of your child. Students should stay at home and avoid going to crowded areas with poor ventilation. Please contact the school if your child encounters any learning difficulties in online classes or needs emotional support during the suspension of face-to-face classes. We will continue to make strenuous effort to support students' home learning and take care of their mental well-being. Let us pray for all students, parents, teachers, staff and Hong Kong citizens. May God bless everyone with good health and the epidemic can soon be eradicated.

Should you have any enquiries, please contact Mr. Tsoi Chung Kwong at 2471 2622 during office hours. Please kindly sign the electronic circular by 19 Feb 2022. Thank you for your kind attention.

Yours faithfully,


Mr. Chan Ka Fai
Principal

