

THE CHARTER SCHOOL [2021-22]

May 26, 2021

Welcome to the Academic year 2021-22

Dear Parent,

Greetings from The Charter School and a warm welcome to the academic year 2021-2022 !

I trust that all of you are doing well. We continue to go through the difficulties and uncertain times of the pandemic. Some of us have lost a loved one or an acquaintance during this time. We pray that each one be strengthened to face these very tough times. We must keep hope alive, as it is only hope that can take us forward. We need to help ourselves, as well as others who are in need of strength and support.

We are at the threshold of yet another online year. (At least as we begin this academic year) The teachers joined back on the 19th of May, after a well-deserved break. They are fortifying themselves to meet the needs of the new academic year, attending Professional Development programmes as well as sessions that improve academic rigour as well as personal strength.

We are also gearing up for the CBSE Inspection for Upgradation to Senior Secondary stage i.e. grades 11 & 12. Brand new labs are coming up for Physics, Chemistry, Biology and Computer Science. The Academic block has been refurbished for better ventilation and additional classrooms for the Senior Secondary section.

Coming to infrastructure development- the architectural plans for the new Sports facilities and the Cochin International School Block are finalised and construction is to begin shortly. **The Cochin International School, as you may be aware, offers the International Baccalaureate (IB)- Primary Years Programme for grades 1 - 3 and will reopen in the month of July.**

School Reopening Schedule -

Tuesday, June 1st - Grades 1 -10

Wednesday, June 2nd - Grades PreK, K1 and K2

Details of the lessons, sessions and timings will be discussed during the Parent Orientation Sessions that have been planned as per the following schedule -

Date	Timing	To be attended by
Friday, 28th May	9.00 a.m.- 9.45 a.m.	Parents of <u>new students</u> joining PreK , K1, K2
Friday, 28th May	10.15 a.m. - 11 a.m	Parents of G1 & G2
Saturday, 29th May	9.00 a.m.- 9.45 a.m	Parents of G3 - 5
Saturday, 29th May	10.15 a.m. - 11 a.m	Parents of G6 - 8
Saturday, 29th May	11.30 a.m.- 12.15 p.m	Parents of K2

You will receive the **link** for the Parent Orientation shortly. Kindly check your mail.

Kindly Note:

- Textbooks will be available at PCM Books. They will intimate us when the books are ready for distribution, and we will inform you. The lockdown has delayed arrangements.
- The List of Books required for your child has been sent by mail.
- We will be regularly communicating via the Charter School App. The Coordinators / Teachers will pass on the details to the New Parents.

- Details of Fee Payment have been shared via the App to the parents who have already downloaded the App and via emails to other parents.

We are indeed grateful to the Parent community for referring admissions. You and the students are our best brand ambassadors! And we want to make it a 'win-win' for all, by introducing Referral Rewards! We have also introduced benefits for admission of siblings and cousins, so also for students who are coming from the same residential apartments and whose parents are from the same organization.

For Admission Queries, you may contact Ms Corrina at admissions@charterschool.in

Mobile No. - 9778412992

For General School Queries - Ms Ginu at ginu@cochins.org

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Kindly note the contact details of the Coordinators-

Grades PreK, K1, K2, G1, G2 - Ms Kaushi - kaustubha@cochins.org

Grades 3 -10 - Ms Sameera - sameera@cochins.org

I look forward to yet another enriching academic year !

Warm regards,

Molly Cyril

Principal & Dean