

HOTUNG SECONDARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parent / Guardian

Prohibition on Face Covering Regulation to take effect from Saturday 5 October, 2019

It has been brought to the attention of the school that in response to the current social situation and in accordance with The Emergency Regulations Ordinance (Cap. 241), the Chief Executive of Hong Kong SAR, in consultation with the Executive Council, passed the Prohibition on Face Covering Regulation on Friday 4 October, 2019, which is set to take effect at midnight on Saturday 5 October, 2019.

The school strongly and sincerely urges the parents/guardians of our students to remind their child not to cover their face in any manner while going out so as not to violate the law unintentionally. In actual fact, during normal and regular interaction among people, the reasonable practice is to not cover the face for the purpose of avoiding being identified. In the case of students, while participating in usual regular activities at school and interacting with their teachers and peers, there is absolutely no need, and no good reason, for them to cover their face. Therefore, in principle, except for religious or health reasons, students should not wear a mask or cover their face in any other manner either at school or outside school. If students are physically unwell, the most advisable practice is to seek medical care as soon as possible and to stay at home to rest. We also call on parents/guardians to set good examples for their children so that they know how to act properly.

We would also like to take this opportunity to remind parents/guardians to strongly advise their child not to get involved in any activity which may have the potential of becoming disorderly, dangerous or illegal. We fervently hope that parents/guardians will work closely with the school to do our utmost to safeguard our students so that they will stay focused and learn in a peaceful and safe environment and enjoy healthy growth. Thank you for your kind attention.

Yours truly


CHENG SIU Kam-sheung
Principal

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Reply Slip

Dear Principal

I, parent / guardian of student _____ (Name) in _____ (Class) _____ (Class Number), acknowledge receipt of the letter concerning the Prohibition on Face Covering Regulation.

Parent / Guardian's Signature : _____

Parent / Guardian's Name: _____

Date: _____ September, 2019

Parent / Guardian's Contact Tel No.: _____