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Updated information on daily school life

Dear pupils
dear teachers and staff,
dear parents,

This week, the Hessian state government decided how to proceed in the school sector within the coming weeks. However, despite less strict measures they have planned, it is still important to ensure that schools remain safe for all involved. From Monday 4 April 2022 the following will apply:

- Masks are no longer compulsory. However, we still recommend wearing a mask, especially after a case of infection in a class or study group.
- Compulsory testing three times a week for non-vaccinated and non-recovered pupils and staff remains in place. Vaccinated and recovered pupils and staff can of course continue to be tested voluntarily.
- In case of an infection case in the class or study group, daily tests are recommended as before.

As of Monday 2 May 2022, the compulsory masking and compulsory tests are expected to be generally abolished. For voluntary tests at home, two tests per week will be provided by the school. Furthermore, the Ministry of Education has announced the publication of a new hygiene plan 10.0 for the beginning of May. As soon as this is available, we will adapt the school hygiene plan accordingly.

Let's enjoy the relief together, but at the same time let's take care to protect ourselves and our fellow human beings. I thank everyone in advance for their reasonable handling of the new rules.

During the last two weeks, the number of COVID infections has further decreased, see statistics of the last two calendar weeks:

Week	Nursery	Primary	Secondary	Staff	Total ESF
KW 12	3	24	46	7	80
KW 13	0	9	11	3	23

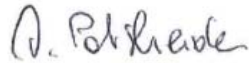
We hope that this trend will continue and we all want to make our contribution together.

As already communicated in my last letter, the Board of Governors of the European Schools has given us the opportunity to accept Ukrainian refugee children at the school. We have so far accepted 9 children (4 in Primary, 5 in Secondary) and we are in discussion with more families. I would like to thank all the host families who have taken in the Ukrainian families and everyone for their great support. A big thank you also

goes to the Parents' Association for their support and to the teachers and classmates who help the children integrate into our system.

Easter is coming up and I wish everyone a happy and peaceful time with their families.

Kind regards,



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Director

Encl.: Link to the letter to parents from the Hessian Ministry of Education and Cultural Affairs
([ministerschreiben an die schuelerinnen und schueler und eltern vom 28.03.2022.pdf](#)
([hessen.de](#)))