



Newsletter number 1

Important dates in the coming weeks

Monday September 6	Bonaire day (all children are free)
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The new school year

We would like to welcome your children back to our school on Monday 23 August. We hope that you and your family had a nice holiday. And we will do our very best with all the teachers to ensure that your child will have a good time at school again this school year. The school has been completely painted inside and out during the holidays and looks fresh again.

Also in this new school year we will continue to comply with the measures surrounding COVID-19. We will continue to take hygiene measures at school, but we ask you as a parent / caregiver to also pay attention to any health problems of your child. See also further in the Newsletter. On our website <https://bsdepelikaan.com/> you can find our annual agenda and other important dates. If you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to consult your child's group teacher.

Bringing and picking up the kids

Due to the current circumstances, it has been decided to have the bringing and picking up of the kids proceed in the same way as last school year. This means that you can bring your child to the emergency door of the room or to the fence in the morning, the lessons start at 7.30 am, so make sure that your child is present in the classroom before this time. You can pick up your child at the same place at 12.45 pm. It is therefore still not allowed for parents to enter the schoolyard or school without permission.

But in the first week it is allowed for parents/guardians to bring the children of group 1/2 and 3 to the group. Other children who find the first day of school exciting may also be brought to the group. Please discuss this with the colleagues who are standing at the fences of the schoolyards.

Measures COVID-19

At school, we will continue to maintain the measures regarding COVID-19 virus for the time being. During the school day, the tables are cleaned in between, children are regularly made aware of careful hand washing and the rooms are ventilated as much as possible throughout the day. Colleagues with COVID-19 related complaints should stay at home and get tested. As a parent, we ask you to also take the following measures into account.

Children from 4 to 12 years old are not allowed to go to school, the pre-school or afterschool programs with complaints and they should stay at home. This applies to both mild complaints (runny nose, colds, sneezing and sore throat) and severe complaints (a lot of cough, fever or shortness of breath).

Exceptions are children who: very occasionally cough, are familiar with chronic cough and children who have recently been through Covid-19 and have recovered yet are coughing again.



If you are unsure or have questions, please contact the school. We use an extensive protocol at school that has been set up by the Public Health together with the other schools.

Dress code

All our students wear our purple Pelikaan polo from Monday to Thursday. On Fridays, your own choice of clothing is allowed and if it is your child's birthday, it is also free to choose clothing. Children are not allowed to wear flip flops at school for safety reasons. In addition, on the days of the free choice of clothing, we want the children to wear appropriate clothing (no bare bellies shirts and shorts that are too short).

Overview of where the groups will be next school year

In the appendix you will find the layout of the classrooms for the next school year.

Yours sincerely,

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