

Attendance and stay at the Boarding School - august 2021

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Dear students and parents,

Hope that you all have had a nice and relaxing summer vacation.

We look forward to seeing all of you!

Unfortunately, we are still affected by COVID-19 and the DELTA virus variation. We all have to do our best to avoid any outbreaks of COVID-19 at the boarding school, since this has severe consequences for those boarders and families who will be affected, both for the mental and physical health and financially. Additionally, we all have a societal responsibility to minimize the spreading of COVID-19. In worst case, the authorities can close the boarding school for a period, if we get an outbreak.

We know, that many of you have been vaccinated or have a positive COVID-19 test and with that are immune. But there is still a risk of a rapid spreading, especially in places like our boarding school since you live in close proximity and share many things. Consequently, it is essential that we all understand the importance of closely complying with the regulations and guidelines of both the boarding school and the Danish authorities, and that we handle the situation with seriousness and dedication both at boarding and in private and public spaces. It is unacceptable to only act with care in some situations while being negligent in others.

We all have to act responsibly to protect ourselves and others . We see it as a shared responsibility that we succeed as a unit.

Please do not hesitate to contact the head of boarding school, if you have any questions.

The current COVID-19 rules are attached below.

Your sincerely,



Betina Hyldgaard Andersen
Head of Boarding School



Henrik Vestergaard Stokholm
Principal

COVID-19 // BOARDING SCHOOL RULES AND GUIDELINES – VALID FROM AUGUST 7, 2021

PRECAUTIONS ON ARRIVAL AND ONWARDS

When you arrive at the Boarding School or Apartments you must comply with the rules stated by the government and the Boarding School.

ARRIVING

- You must be ready to show your official COVID-19 passport (vaccination or immunity), when you arrive.
If you can't show a vaccination passport with both doses, that are 14 days old or a immunity COVID-19 passport (documentation on your positive test) that are between 14 days old and 12 months, you must show documentation on a negative COVID-19 test:
PCR test that are not more then 96 hours old or a quick test, that is not more then 72 hours old (counts from the time the test is taken)
- If you arrive from an orange or red country, you must show documentation on your travelling and quarantine.

ATTENTION:

If you can't show the above documentation, you are not allowed to enter the boarding school.

If some family members would like to enter the boarding school, on the day you arrive, they also have to show the same documentation, mentioned above.

WEEKLY TESTS

For those of you who are not fully vaccinated, who don't have immunity or have chosen not to be vaccinated must get tested **twice a week – Monday and Friday.**

You can get quick tested for free in Nyborg - you will get more information.

The above must be followed in order to be able to live at the boarding school.

The authorities have listed up some situations where there can be a reason why a student can't be tested. In that case, the Head of boarding school must be contacted immediately.

HYGIENE/CLEANING

Good personal hygiene is mandatory! Remember to sneeze/cough into your sleeve, and to wash your hands often or use hand sanitiser.

You must wash your hands and/or use hand sanitiser before and after a meal.

You must wash your hands after a visit to the toilet

You must wash your hands and/or use hand sanitiser every time you have been out and return to boarding.

We strongly recommend that you frequently use hand sanitiser when moving around boarding, touching door handles, surfaces, etc.

At the same time, you must follow the guidelines from the authorities and the school regarding hygiene, etc.

BY SYMPTOMS OF ILLNESS

By symptoms of illness, you must react immediately and contact the boarding staff on duty. This applies 24 hours a day! It applies to any kind of illness or symptoms.

If you experience any symptoms of COVID-19 (sore throat, headache, fever, coughing, feeling sore in general), or if you think you might have been in contact with a person who has COVID-19, then you must go straight to your room, self-isolate and call the boarding staff on duty (+45 30701839).

Based on experience, we know that some students do not contact us, when they have symptoms. This is neglecting their own health and may pose a risk to the well-being of others. If you do not contact the boarding staff on duty, this will be seen as a serious violation of the boarding school rules and will be sanctioned.

IN CASE OF COVID-19 AT BOARDING SCHOOL

If a student gets a positive test result, the student must leave the boarding school immediately and go into isolation. The parents / contact person must take over and make sure, that the student gets into isolation.

The ones who have been close to the person who have been tested positive, must also leave and go into isolation and get tested twice (on 4 and 6 day). The parents / contact person must take over and make sure, that the student gets into isolation and get tested.

SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR/ACTIVITIES/SPARE TIME

The main focus is to ensure the safety of boarders, staff and others, and avoid a closure of the boarding school due to an outbreak.

We do not allow visitors at the boarding school/in the apartments. Will be evaluated on an ongoing basis.

DAILY CHECK IN

You **MUST** actively check in to the boarding staff on duty **EVERY DAY** between **7.00** in the morning and until **19:00** in the evening.

This is to ensure that we are in contact with all of you and in the same time to ensure the safety of all.

CLEAN UP AFTER YOURSELF

There will be paper towels and cleaning agents in the common areas open to you, and you have the responsibility of cleaning the chair and table / the room before leaving.

YOUR ROOM

You must clean your room/apartment. We will perform cleaning inspections continuously. You will get more information.

TOILETS AND BATHROOMS

Only use your own bathroom and toilet! (Room number are indicated on the doors). Under no circumstances are you allowed to enter one of the other toilets/bathrooms.

The toilet at the main entrance can only be used by students from Campushaven (the apartments).

THE BOARDING SCHOOL TEAM/THE BOARDING SCHOOL OFFICE

Staff will continue to be at the boarding school 24 hours a day, and we are there for you. We have to help each other in making this work.

Our base is the boarding school office and the staff table in the dining hall. Due to the current situation, you are not allowed to step into the passage by the office or into the office, not even when the door is open. Ring the doorbell and wait until the boarding staff on duty comes to the door.

LECTIO

It is of utmost importance that you check Lectio regularly, since important information will be communicate to you and the other here.

Important final remarks

It is important that you comply with the rules and guidelines that have been mentioned above.

There will be sanctions in case you do not follow the rules and guidelines. In worse case, you will be asked to leave the boarding school. If you consciously behave in a way, both at or outside the boarding school, that carries a risk of spreading the virus, you will be expelled from the boarding school. The situation we are in is still serious and challenging for everyone. It is therefore important that you spend time on figuring out what will be expected from you during your stay at the boarding school.

Novel coronavirus

Protect yourself and others

The novel coronavirus typically spreads from one person to another in places with many people present via direct physical contact (shaking hands, hugging, kissing, etc.) and via droplets when an infected person coughs or sneezes.

Take care of your health and protect others by doing the following:



Wash your hands frequently
or sanitize your hands with
an alcohol-based hand rub



Cough or sneeze into your
sleeve, not your hands



Limit physical contact
– avoid handshakes, refuse
kisses on the cheek and
avoid hugging



Be diligent with cleaning
– both at home and in
your workplace



Keep your distance and ask
others to be considerate

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