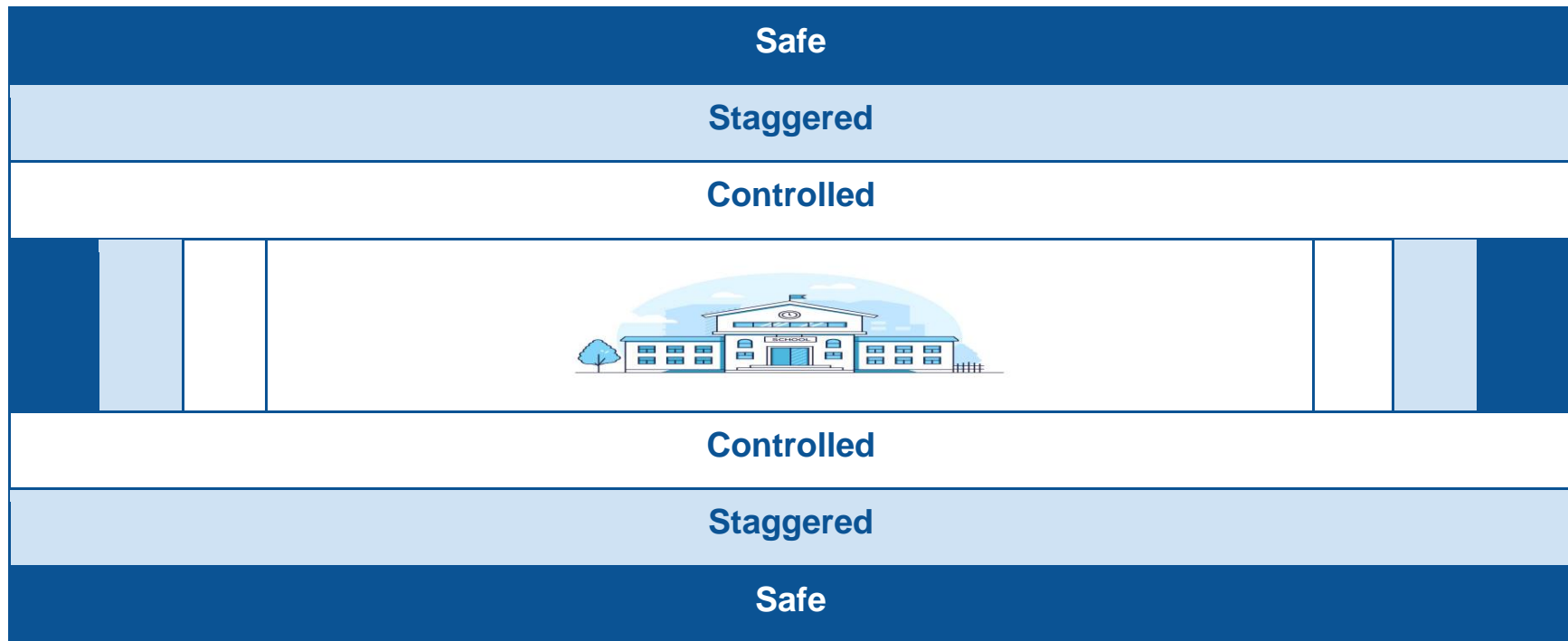





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School Reopening - Plans & Protocols - Safe, Staggered & Controlled (Updated 10.03.22)



TSIS (Thai Sikh International School) is operating for students to attend in-school learning under the policy of **SAFE, STAGGERED & CONTROLLED.**

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TSIS International School Reopening		
Screening	Quarantine	Safe School Zone
<p>Home Screening</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Temperature Checks • ATK Tests • ATK Test Results Sent to School 	<p>Isolation Zone</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No ATK Test Result • Positive ATK Test Result • Close Contact Case • Covid-19 Symptom Check and Isolation 	<p>Safe School Zone</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Issued with Safe School Zone Day Pass 
<p>School Screening</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Temperature Checks • Nurse Check • ATK Test Results Checks 		
		

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SAFE - Prior to Entering the School

Vaccinated Staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 98% of staff are fully vaccinated. The school keeps an up to date set of records regarding the dates and manufacturer of staff vaccines.
Home Antigen Testing of Staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> TSIS will provide Home Antigen testing on the basis deemed necessary by the MOPH district office closest to the schools. For Junior School, this is twice a week and for Senior School this is once a week. Any member of staff who provides a positive response will not be allowed to enter the school campus and will be instructed to take a PCR test and report the result of this to the school. Staff will be requested to upload an image of every ATK test that they take. The school will also randomly analyse the metadata of the uploaded photographs to check for dated authenticity.
Home Antigen Testing of Students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All students must provide proof, certified by their parents, of a negative Home Antigen test before they are allowed to enter the school campus. Students must take a new Home Antigen test on the basis deemed necessary by the MOPH district office closest to the schools. For Junior School, this is twice a week and for Senior School this is once a week. No student will be allowed to enter who has not been tested. Students (families) will be requested to upload an image of every ATK test that they take.
Thai Save Thai App	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All staff will be required to complete the Thai Save Thai application or Google Health Declaration version containing the same information on a daily basis. The school is already registered with the Thai Save Thai application.
Risk Assessment Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The school has formed a Risk Assessment Team who will meet when deemed necessary, to assess the current risk, related to covid-19 that applies to the school. The Risk Assessment Team consists of the following school personnel: Headmaster, Junior School Principal, Admissions & Community Relations Manager & School Nurses.
Health Declaration of Staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All staff of TSIS must complete, before entering the campus, a Health Declaration form which notes the movement of the staff, any symptoms related to Covid-19 and any close contact with a positive Covid-19 case. Should the return of this declaration mean the school believes the member of staff is at high risk then they will be denied entry to the school.

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<p>Health Declaration of Student & Families</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All students and their families of TSIS must complete, before entering the campus, a Health Declaration form which notes the movement of the staff, any symptoms related to Covid-19 and any close contact with a positive Covid-19 case. Should the return of this declaration mean the school believes the student and their family is at high risk then they will be denied entry to the school.
<p>Health Declaration of Visitors</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All visitors must complete, before entering the campus, a Health Declaration form which notes the movement of the staff, any symptoms related to Covid-19 and any close contact with a positive Covid-19 case. Should the return of this declaration mean the school believes the student and their family is at high risk then they will be denied entry to the school.
<p>Learning Bubbles</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Under the Bubble and Seal method, students will always attend learning in their Learning Bubble. • Learning Bubbles will be in place for every aspect of the school day when the students are in school, in the classroom, at lunch and at playtime. Learning Bubbles will be allocated specific areas of the canteen and school where they must stay and where they will be monitored.
<p>Arrival at School</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All students and staff will have their temperature taken before being given access to the school. Any student or staff member who registers a temperature of 37.5 or above will be denied entry to the school.

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Staggered - In School Approach

Staggered	The school returned to in-school learning on January 17th for all students. Lunchtimes, Breaktimes, Arrival and Departure continue to be staggered as deemed necessary by the Risk Assessment Team
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Staggered - In School Approach

Classroom Set-Up	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students will be allocated a seat/place in each classroom and this will be noted within the teacher's file in the Senior School. • Students will not be grouped together where possible and group activities will not be encouraged. • Students and staff will wear a mask at all times when face to face contact is possible. • There will be limited sharing of resources. Staff will allocate resources to each student. Resources that are used multiple times throughout the week, such as science equipment and sports equipment will be cleaned after use. • Classrooms will have access to hand sanitisation facilities
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Staggered - In School Approach

Lunch Time/Play Time	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year Groups will have allocated sitting and eating areas, which provide suitable safe space. • There will be a staggered Lunch and Play break to limit the number of students eating and playing together and to retain the integrity of the 'learning bubbles' of each Year group. • The canteen will provide a 'hands-free' service with no sharing of plates/utensils. • Food servers staff will be wearing a face mask and protective gloves at all times while in the kitchen or canteen.
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Controlled - Keeping The School Community Safe	
Testing of Staff and Students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Home Antigen testing regime as set out in the SAFE protocols will be a continuous process throughout the school year.
Symptoms of Covid-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Should a student, member of staff or visitor display any known symptom of Covid-19 while on the school campus the Emergency Response Process, below, will be enacted straightaway.
Finances/Fees	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> As the school is now open and operating under the MOE guidelines for schools, should a closure of a learning bubble occur, in accordance with MOPH advice, then we refer parents and families to our 'Refund Policy' on our website - https://www.tsi.ac.th/fees
PE, Sports & Swimming	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students will wear their PE uniform on the day they have PE, so there is no changing in the school changing rooms. The activities offered will not involve physical contact. Any equipment used will be washed before being used again. There will be no swimming until further notice.
Classroom Ventilation & Cleaning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All classrooms will be ventilated, by turning off the air conditioning and opening doors and windows on a 2-hour cycle. Classroom doors are open and windows slightly ajar at all times Students will move from their air-conditioned space to fresh air on a 40-45 minute cycle. All classrooms and activity areas that have been used during the school day are fully cleaned at the end of their usage and prepared for the next time they are used. Hand sanitisation gel levels are checked daily.

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Controlled - Emergency Response Process - Covid-19 Symptoms Discovered

Step 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Isolate the student, member of staff or visitor in the designated isolation room or remove from campus directly to take a Home Antigen/PCR Test. Isolation rooms are only for those with symptoms and the school nurse, wearing PPE, should the case be deemed to warrant urgent medical attention.
Step 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Should a student, member of staff or visitor require immediate medical attention as they are displaying advanced Covid-19 symptoms the school will notify the following medical facilities to arrange for them to collect the student, member of staff or visitor. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Senior School - Samrong Hospital Junior School - Samitivej Thonburi
Step 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Risk Assessment Team will meet immediately to assess the risk to other students and staff and if necessary take further action.

Controlled - Emergency Response Process - Covid-19 Positive Case

Step 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If a positive case of Covid-19 is found within the school community the following action will be taken. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Students, staff and visitors who are deemed to have been in close contact with the person with Covid-19 will be instructed to take a covid-19 test. For anyone deemed in close contact with the covid-19 positive patient, they must produce a negative result and send it to the school nurse and school office before they are allowed back into school.
Step 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The school would, on the discovery of the positive Covid-19 case, initiate a 'deep clean' of any area that the positive case patient has been within the school. This deep clean would include floors, furniture, soft cushions and any reusable resources.
Step 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Risk Assessment Team will meet immediately to assess the risk to other students and staff and if necessary take further action. A review of this meeting will be included in the daily Risk Assessment Team meeting.