

Alicante, 1 of September 2021

2021-09-01-ALI-SEC-1_ Circular start of secondary course

Dear families,

We wish to welcome the new school year 2021-22, hoping that you have been able to enjoy a relaxing and above all healthy summer.

Below, you will find information of interest about the organization of the first day of class, next Wednesday, September 1.

1. TIMETABLES

Opening of Doors: **8h15**

- ❖ All students will access alone through the secondary entrance, including those students who come by bicycle. *We remind you that it is forbidden to ride a bicycle within the school grounds, the students will take it on foot to the parking lot provided by the School in front of the gymnasium and they must always be locked.* They can only be left at the School during school activities and never at night or on vacation.
- ❖ Scooters, electric scooters or skateboards must be parked in the fenced area next to the Security guard.

For more information [Circular general de inicio de curso 2021-22](#)

Finish time: As reported in the General Circular for the start of the 2021-22 course, the first day of classes will end at 12h00. Students will exit in an orderly manner through the secondary door.

At 8.45, all students must be present at the following checkpoints:

- ❖ **S1:** first-year students should go to the "Salon de Actos" where they will be welcomed by the tutors, Pedagogical Advisors and Management.
- ❖ **S2 to S7:** Students from second to seventh should go directly to the assigned classroom to meet their main teacher (see table "Distribution of tutors")
- ❖ New students should go to the welcome point at the Secondary entrance

Next, the table of class teachers is detailed with the number of the classroom where they will receive the students on the first day. Several panels with this information will be displayed in the secondary entrance hall.

2. DISTRIBUTION OF TUTORS BY CLASSROOM (01/09/2021)

Year	German Section	English Section	Spanish Section	French Section
1º	HEIKO KOCH (Aula S212)	PHILIP JONES (Aula S005)	A - MERCEDES SANCHEZ (Aula S213) B - MARCO ARNEADO (Aula S215)	CLAIRE KELECHIAN (Aula S008)
2º	FLORIAN THALHAMMER (Aula S218)	SIMEN LISTERUD (Aula S205)	MERCEDES VILLEGAS (Aula S214)	MARIE-HELENE VERCLEVEN (Aula S204)
3º	ANJA FISCHER (Aula S217)	MAURICIO MARTÍNEZ (Aula S009)	BEGOÑA SÁNCHEZ (Aula S107)	ALEXANDRE SCHERPEREEL (Aula S105)
4º	CAROLIN CARSTENS (Aula S016)	FIONA O'LEARY (Aula S006)	A - MARCOS VAZQUEZ (Aula S011) B - JOSÉ JUAN GÓMEZ (Aula S109)	DAVID HOORNAERT (Aula S106)
5º	AXEL STÖCKER/ JORG MÜLLER-GESSER (Aula S013)	CINZIA DI FEDE (Aula S209)	A - JESUS SANTAMARIA (Aula S210) B - MAR LANGA (Aula S203)	A - SOPHIE BOURA B - NICOLAS LONGRIE (Aula S111)
6º	JENS GABRIEL MENZEL (Aula 201)	ANTONY PRIOR (Aula S007)	A -JESUS QUINTANILLA (Aula S112) B - REMEDIOS GONZÁLEZ J. CARLOS CÁMARA (Aula S113)	DIMITRI PORTAL (Aula S206)
7º	ANJA AVVENTI (Aula S016)	BHAVINI LAD / ANTTI TORVIKOVSKI (Aula S108)	MAR PAREDES (Aula S114)	BORIS VEBREL (Aula S202)

3. ORGANIZATION OF THE FIRST DAY

- ❖ During the first three periods, the pupils will stay with their tutor and talk about the start of the academic year (rules, timetables, reminder of Covid 19 restrictions, etc.).
- ❖ In the 4th period, each pupil will go to the class that corresponds with their new timetable given to them previously by the tutor. The class will end at 12h00 which is when the first day will end.
- ❖ **From Thursday the 2nd of September, pupils will follow the complete timetable.**

4. COMMUNICATION WITH FAMILIES

To continue our desire for sustainable development and better conservation of the environment, most of the communications to families and forms will be done electronically, thus having to respect the deadlines to the maximum.

SMS My School is a common tool for all E.E. that allows effective communication through e-mails and a system of “announcements” available on the access page. It is therefore extremely important that families consult this portal regularly.

This tool will allow them to observe on-line absences, delays, timetables, list of assigned teachers as well as their contact e-mails, school newsletters, etc. They will also be able to retrieve all those communications sent by the School through the aforementioned "announcements" system.

We remind you of the importance of regularly checking the attendance and delays of your children to class through the use of the SMS (School Management System).

For any incidences relating to SMS please directly contact LIST-ALI-SKU-SMS@eursc.eu

For more information on how SMS works please see the following link: [SMS for Parents 0.pdf \(escuelaeuropea.org\)](#)

5. RULE AGREEMENT

At the beginning of your child's Agenda, as well as in the Secondary Policies and Regulations section of the school website, you will find our internal regulations, which provide more information on the rules and regulations that our students must comply with in order to maintain a safe and orderly environment where students can learn and enjoy.

We kindly ask you to read this information carefully. In the same way, we advise you to consult the school policy documents that you will find on our website www.escuelaeuropea.org, as well as the General Rules and Regulations www.eursc.eu.

Finally, you must fill out the following online form [formulario electrónico](#) before the 11th of September.

6. IDENTITY CARDS

The School will provide all students with a school identity card that they must carry with them at all times. There are of two types:

❖ **White card:**

Card that all students receive.

Indicates that students must remain in the School throughout the school day.

Not allowing them to leave earlier, regardless of whether they have the last free periods.

Recommended for S1, S2 and S3 students.

❖ **Green card:**

It is awarded to students on an exceptional basis.

It allows the student to arrive later in the morning and leave earlier in the afternoon, if he does not have class in the first or last periods respectively.

This card does not allow the exit in free periods that are not at the beginning or at the end of the classes.

To request this card, the following requirements and conditions must be met:

- The student does not use school bus transport.
- The student arrives to classes on time.
- That every time the student leaves the school, he or she goes directly home and does not remain in the surroundings of the School.
- That the parents assume the responsibility derived from the non-presence of their child in the School during the whole school day.
- That the student shows their card when required

Failure to comply with any of these conditions may cause the withdrawal of the privileges that the green card grants.

In addition, it is also possible to request that a badge can be included in the students' identity cards to indicate that the student can go home to eat during the noon break and the hours before or after if they do not have class. This card does not allow departure in the other free periods.

For this, the following requirements must be met and the following conditions must be adhered to:

- Live near to the School. (The student does not use school transportation).
- Not be enrolled in the school canteen.
- Arrive to classes on time.
- That every time the student leaves the school, he or she goes directly home and does not remain in the surroundings of the School.
- That the parents assume the responsibility derived from the non-presence of their child in the School during the whole school day.
- The student shows their card when required.

In any case, during the hours when students do not have class and remain in the School, they must report to the Studio or the library.

If we have not received a response on the form before **SEPTEMBER 15th, 2021** we assume you do not authorize your child to have a green card and / or eat at home. Green cards will not be awarded after this date.

Please fill out this form before the indicated date.

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=aeA505McU0OzBwsicDW6QjXXByO3cUhGnxobmm05HB1UMVUxTzNXNIFBRIU2TOU3RTNTNkFNSTdNRy4u>

7. SCHOOL CALENDAR 2021-2022

Exams

Date	Year	Observations
13 to 22 de December 2021	S6	10/12/21 Study Day
13 to 22 de December 2021	S5	10/12/21 Study Day
24 of January to 4 of February 2022	S7	21/01/22 Study Day
June 2022 (TBC)	S6	(TBC)
June 2022 (TBC)	S5	(TBC)

BAC 2022 exams

Date	Activity	Observations
30th of May to 10th of June 2022	Written	(TBC)
27th of June to 1st of July 2021	Oral	(TBC)
30 th of June 2022	Communication	In the afternoon
1st of July 2022	Announcement	In the afternoon

Report Distribution

Day	Date	Year	Report
Friday	29.10.21	S1 - S7	November reports
Friday	21.01.22	S1 - S6	1 st semester report
Friday	11.02.22	S7	1 st semester report
Friday	08.04.22	S1-S6	Spring report
Tuesday	02.05.22	S1-S6	May letters
Friday	20.05.22	S7	Final S7 report
Friday	01.07.22	S1-S6	End of year report

The reports will be published in SMS and families will be informed via SMS when they are available on the platform.

- ❖ **November reports:** These are informative reports, which include grades and comments and guide families about the development of the student's start of the school year. You can request a small meeting with up to 5 teachers to resolve any questions or doubts, by sending an e-mail to the corresponding teacher. You can find the contact addresses in the "Course info" space of SMS.
You will be informed of the deadline to request appointments when the date arrives.
- ❖ **First semester reports:** First semester grades with decision of the class council if applicable.
- ❖ **Spring reports:** Report containing comments and notes and indicating the risk of repetition of the student if applicable.
- ❖ **S7 Reports (May):** Include the preliminary note from the BAC.
- ❖ **End-of-year Report:** End-of-year report that includes the student's decision to promote or not to the next year. The reports will be published in SMS, on Friday, July 1, 2022, approximately from 10:00 a.m onwards. Likewise, a communication will be sent to you via e-mail when they are published on the platform.

Subject choice

For the choice of subjects, families will receive a communication with a link to an on-line form that they must complete and send before the deadline that will be indicated.

Changes in the choice of subjects will not be accepted once the completed on-line form has been sent if this affects the creation of a subject. **Changes will not be accepted after the end of the school year.**

You can obtain more information about the choice of subjects as well as access to the online forms once the term is started, by visiting the "Choice of secondary subjects" section of our website. [Elección de materias S2-S6 | Escuela Europea de Alicante](#)

Meetings with parents

Year	Day	Date	Time	Participants/ Aim
S6-S7	Friday	10.09.21	19:00	Class Teachers- Parents Informative. Parent representative election
S1,S2,S3	Monday	13.09.21	19:00	
S4,S5	Tuesday	14.09.21	19:00	
S1,S2,S3	Wednesday	15.11.21	19:00	Class teachers - Teachers – Parents (individually with previous appointment). Parents may have up to 5 teacher appointments. Follow-up of student progress (November reports)
S4,S5,S6	Thursday	16.11.21	19:00	
S5	Tuesday	11.01.22	19:00	Orientation for parents and pupils. S6 options
S3	Thursday	14.01.22	19:00	Orientation for parents and pupils. S4 options
S7	TBC		19:00	Direction, Orientation Group – Parents. Information for accessing university
S6	TBC		19:00	Parents meeting- Direction. Information for accessing university
S1,S2,S3	Tuesday	03.05.22	19:00	Class teachers – Teachers – Parents (individually with previous appointment). Teachers will ask for appointments if deemed necessary. Follow-up on progress of student
S4,S5,S6	Thursday	05.05.22	19:00	

Individual meetings with teachers

Each teacher has a weekly period dedicated to caring for the families. The schedules will be communicated to the parents in the informative meetings at the beginning of the course as well as via e-mail (SMS). The families that want an individual appointment with a teacher must make it directly with the teachers through email or the students' agendas. **These appointments are from October to May electronically.**

Secondary School Class Councils

Thursday	11-11-2021	16:30 h
Monday	07-03-2022	16:30 h
Monday	09-05-2022	16:30 h

Orientation Evaluations for S5

Monday 4.10.21	S5ES/S5DEA
Tuesday 5.10.21	S5EN/S5FR

All these dates may be subject to change, in which case, a communication will be sent indicating the new dates.

For more information about the Secondary School, you can consult our website by accessing the following link: <https://escuelaeuropea.org/secundaria/secundaria>

Finally, I would like to express my best wishes for this new school year, in protection and health.

Receive a warm greeting,

José Luis Hernández

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