

## **MCGP SCHOOL DISCLAIMER**

As parent or legal guardian of the student(s) named above, I give my consent for the student to attend Muslim Center of Greater Princeton ("MCGP") school. I have received a full and satisfactory description of the school's arrangements, schedules, and costs. For the duration of this school year, during the school hours, I agree that the MCGP School Administration and Staff shall have such authority as is necessary to maintain order and to ensure the health and safety of the student.

I/We also give my/our consent for him/her/them to participate in school activities and will not hold MCGP responsible in case of an accident, injury or exacerbation of any medical/psychological condition. I/we give consent for the student to be taken anywhere on the MCGP property (including play area, basketball court etc.). We hereby agree to hold the MCGP school, its administrative staff and volunteers harmless from any and all liabilities, actions, causes of action, debts, claims, demands of every kind and nature including losses of any kind whatsoever that may arise by or in connection with the participation by my/our child/children in any activities related to MCGP School program. If the student enrolls/participates in programs that are outside the school hours, parents must coordinate directly with the program/activity owner, and MCGP School can not be held liable for any issues.

**Please note that we do not have special arrangements for children with special needs including ADHD, dietary allergies (such as nuts, dairy etc.) etc. Please ensure that you work with the School Administration to see if the environment and facility is feasible and safe for your child. MCGP School will provide best effort support but the parent assumes all liability by enrolling and we recommend parents to carefully evaluate the setting before making a decision. Please make sure to also provide your child with appropriate and adequate snacks / lunch.**

Food items distributed or sold to students may contain allergens, may have come in contact with items containing allergens, and there is always a risk of contamination or cross-contamination. Parents or legal guardians concerned with food allergies need to be aware of this risk. MCGP School will not assume any liability for adverse reactions to foods consumed or items a student may come in contact with while at the school.

Accordingly, when an enrolling/enrolled child has a severe, life-threatening allergy ("allergy or allergies"), the following is required:

- Parent(s)/guardian(s) (collectively "Parents") shall assist the School in the prevention, care and management of their child's allergies and reactions. Parents should foster independence on their child's part with respect to the child's allergies, consistent with the child's age and developmental level.
- Parents shall notify and inform the School Administration of their child's allergies prior enrolling the child in the school or immediately after diagnosis of an allergy by a physician.
- If a child with allergies attends field trips or other off campus activities, the child's Parents should consider accompanying their child and should be willing to do so if asked by the School Administration. If a child is not permitted to attend such trips or activities, the Parents shall be responsible for caring for the child during such times as may be requested by the School.

Limitation of Liability. Regardless of the best efforts put forward to protect our students from COVID-19 which are implemented by MCGP and its schools, if any student(s) catches COVID-19 or get sick in anyway, MCGP and its school shall not be liable for any direct or indirect, special or consequential damages, nor for any related claim. You are welcome to visit the MCGP center to look at the physical facility and ask questions to be comfortable before sending your child. Due to physical layout and other constraints like ventilation etc. we cannot make any specific promises for separation or tracing. All arrangements are best effort and can/will change without notice based on ground realities.

We may, at any time, move the classes to online temporarily or long term. Decisions will be based on ground realities and reports from NJ Public Schools when they open.

Everyone entering the School must agree to temperature and other relevant checks.

Parent(s) must not send students to school if they show any symptoms or have fever, runny nose etc. and also must notify the teacher and administration team.

Students with any of the following symptoms should not come to class:

- Fever equal to or greater than 100 °F
- Cough
- Sore throat
- Nasal congestion
- Vomiting Diarrhea

Please note that it is the parent's responsibility to arrange for bringing and picking up the student(s) to the school. If parent(s) arrange(s) for the student's pick-up from the classroom or the school, by a third party, without prior written & dated communication with the school principal and classroom teacher, then MCGP assumes no responsibility of Child after the class session is over.

I have read the below and communicated to my child they are responsible for:

- 1.) Behaving in a manner that does not interfere with the rights of others.
- 2.) Abiding by expectations, guidelines, rules and regulations established by the school and in an Islamic manner
- 3.) Attending school on time
- 4.) Be safe:
  - Students should not throw objects at others, push others, or act in any other manner that may cause harm to themselves or another individual.
- 5.) Be respectful:
  - Students are to behave in a manner that enhances their and others opportunities to learn.
  - Students are to avoid using profanity or other inappropriate language.
  - Students are to behave in a manner that allows others a pleasant atmosphere.
- 6.) Be responsible :
  - Students are to dress in a reasonable and appropriate manner that does not distract others from learning and follows Islamic guideline of modesty.
  - Students are to attend school regularly.
- 7.) Zero tolerance policy on cell phone and any other electronics during school hours. If student is seen using such device, it will be taken away and be returned only to a parent / guardian. These devices can only be used at the administration or teachers permission. Cell phone use is also permitted for emergencies.
- 8.) The safety and well-being of our students and staff are our top priorities. We strictly prohibit the possession of weapons, including but not limited to firearms, knives, and any other objects deemed dangerous by the school administration, on school premises. Any student found in possession of a weapon will face disciplinary action as per our school policies and may be subject to legal consequences.

**PENALTY FOR LATE PICKUP:**

- a. Parents/guardians must be inside the MCGP building by 1:15pm for student pickup.
- b. Any student(s) not picked by 1:30pm will be considered as a late pickup.
- c. The administration at their discretion may apply a fee or other penalties to the parents/guardians.

These guidelines include behaviors and disciplinary actions that indicate to the student and parent(s) the seriousness of the behavior and at the same time provide the school personnel with an additional opportunity to aid the student to develop better self-discipline. In all situations, parental/guardian contact shall be made to provide for communication and cooperation in developing positive student behavior. These guidelines apply to conduct occurring on school grounds (including the parking lot), in a vehicle owned, leased or contracted by a school being used for a school purpose or in a vehicle being driven for a school purpose by a school employee or his or her designee or at a school sponsored activity or event.

Refund Policy: No refunds. Special circumstances will be considered. A written explanation needs to be provided to the administration at [finance@mcgpschool.org](mailto:finance@mcgpschool.org)