

SUNWAY EDUCATION GROUP

COVID-19 Advisory 30

MCO 2.0: Updates on Operations of Sunway University, Sunway Colleges and Sunway International Schools

Dear Students, Parents and Staff Members of the Sunway Education Group (SEG) community,

1. Today we received detailed Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) from the National Security Council (NSC)¹ with regard to the operations of schools and higher education institutions within MCO states. These SOPs are in line with the earlier guidelines issued by the Ministry of Education (MOE)² and Ministry of Higher Education (MOHE)³ respectively.
2. Further to yesterday's Advisory⁴, and based on the SOPs and guidelines, we would like to provide the following updates:
3. **Sunway University:**
 - 3.1. All those requiring special facilities such as for clinical training, practicals and activities involving laboratories and studios, as well as internet access for their learning and research are allowed to enter campus. Facilities and services to support the above, such as the library, will be made available.
 - 3.2. Please contact your respective Schools for specific information regarding your individual programmes. Our schools are committed towards ensuring attainment of your programme learning outcomes.
4. **Sunway Colleges:**
 - 4.1. Students sitting for international examinations which are equivalent to the Malaysian Higher School Certificate (STPM), such as the A-Levels and Ausmat, or professional examinations such as the ACCA, will be allowed back to campus to prepare for said examinations. Students in different programmes and intakes will receive further details from their respective programme directors or heads.

¹ National Security Council SOP dated 12.01.2021: <https://asset.mkn.gov.my/web/wp-content/uploads/sites/3/2021/01/SOP-PKP-KL-SELANGOR-PENANG-MELAKA-JOHOR-SABAH1.pdf>

² Ministry of Education Press Release dated 11.01.2021: <https://www.moe.gov.my/en/pemberitahuan/media-statement/km-pengoperasian-institusi-pendidikan-bawah-kpm>

³ Ministry of Higher Education Press Release dated 12.01.2021: <https://mohe.gov.my/media-kpt/kenyataan-media/1415-pengoperasian-institusi-pendidikan-tinggi-semasa-tempoh-perintah-kawalan-pergerakan>

⁴ 'As we enter MCO 2.0', SEG COVID-19 Advisory 29 dated 12.01.2021 - https://sunway.edu.my/sites/default/files/COVID_19_Advisory_29.pdf

5. Sunway International Schools (SIS):

5.1. Following MOE guidelines, kindergarten and IBDP students at SIS are allowed to return to school for face-to-face teaching and learning.

5.2. All other grades will continue online until further notice.

6. To facilitate back-to-campus travel for the above purposes, students and staff can contact their respective Institutions/ Departments for authorisation letters. For those who require inter-district or inter-state travel, please obtain timely approval from your local police stations (link to application form below): [https://www.rmp.gov.my/docs/default-source/permit-pergerakan-perintah-kawalan-pergerakan-\(pkp\)/borang-permit-pergerakan-perintah-kawalan-pergerakan-\(pkp\).jpeg](https://www.rmp.gov.my/docs/default-source/permit-pergerakan-perintah-kawalan-pergerakan-(pkp)/borang-permit-pergerakan-perintah-kawalan-pergerakan-(pkp).jpeg)
7. For students who may not be able to return to campus for various reasons, please contact your respective Institutions/ Departments. Rest assured that your learning will not be compromised.
8. We welcome MOE and MOHE's approach in enabling students to continue with their education and research endeavours during these challenging times. Nevertheless, we are reminded that we are under MCO conditions to prevent the spread of COVID-19. Therefore, we encourage Work From Home wherever possible, unless the work we do to support our professional responsibilities, including the activities listed above, requires our return to our official work premises.
9. We would like to reemphasise the importance of strict adherence to all SOPs. As such, those not adhering to SOPs may risk removal from the SEG premises. Please always remember to wear your mask properly, monitor your temperature, wash your hands, avoid crowded places and be vigilant of your surroundings. #staysafe #stayhealthy

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