



## Hygiene Policy

**Effective date: 1<sup>st</sup> January 2024**

Hygiene protocols are essential for maintaining the health and well-being of students, teachers, and staff in any educational setting, including a container-based slum school. Here's a set of hygiene protocols tailored for such a school:

### Hand Hygiene:

- Provide handwashing stations with soap and water at convenient locations within the school premises.
- Encourage students, teachers, and staff to wash their hands frequently, especially:
  - Before and after eating
  - After using the toilet
  - After coughing or sneezing
  - After handling waste or garbage
- Display posters demonstrating proper handwashing techniques.

### Sanitization:

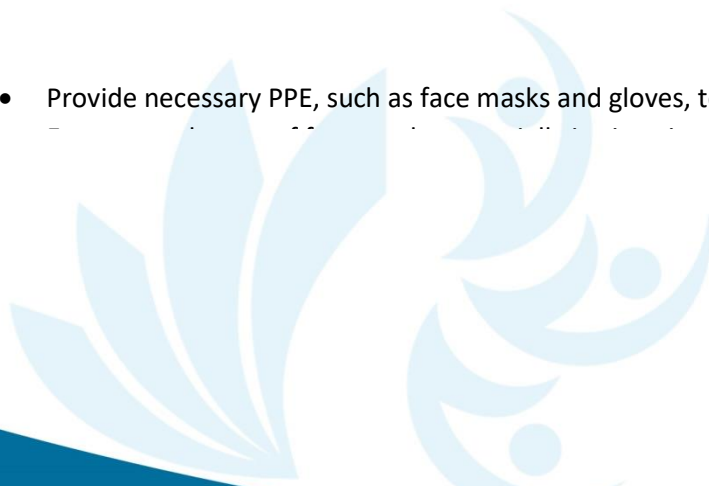
- Ensure regular cleaning and disinfection of all surfaces, including desks, chairs, door handles, and commonly touched areas.
- Use EPA-approved disinfectants for cleaning surfaces.

### Waste Management:

- Implement a proper waste management system to ensure the timely disposal of waste and garbage.
- Provide dustbins in every classroom for waste.
- Educate students about the importance of proper waste disposal and segregation.

### Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):

- Provide necessary PPE, such as face masks and gloves, to teachers and staff.





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## Respiratory Hygiene:

- Teach and encourage students to cover their mouth and nose with a tissue or elbow when coughing or sneezing.
- Provide tissues and disposal bins in classrooms and common areas.

## Physical Distancing:

- Arrange desks and seating areas in a way that ensures physical distancing between students.
- Limit the number of students per classroom to maintain adequate space between individuals.

## Monitoring and Compliance:

- Appoint a designated staff member responsible for monitoring adherence to hygiene protocols.
- Conduct regular inspections to ensure cleanliness and compliance with hygiene guidelines.
- Provide ongoing training and reminders to students, teachers, and staff about the importance of hygiene practices.

## Communication:

- Maintain open communication channels with students, parents, and the local community about hygiene protocols and updates.
- Display signage throughout the school premises to reinforce hygiene guidelines and best practices.

By implementing these hygiene protocols, the container-based slum school can create a safe and healthy learning environment for all stakeholders. Regular evaluation and adjustments may be necessary based on evolving circumstances and feedback from the school community.

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