

# **School of Scholars, Wardha**

**Session 2021-22**

## **2<sup>nd</sup> EPTA Meeting**

Date of the meeting: 07/12/2021

Day: Tuesday

Venue: Meeting Hall, School of Scholars, Wardha

Attended by :-Mrs. Abha Meghe , Director Meghe Group of Schools, Mr. Ajinkya Ambarkhane, Director , Mr. Benny Samuel, Principal School of scholars, Wardha and all MGS EPTA Members.

### **Agenda**

1. Welcome address by chairperson.
2. Compliances of previous meeting of executive committee.
3. Online school – Parents Feedback.
4. Achievement of the school.
5. Fees outstanding – An appeal to EPTA.
6. Easy fees EMI – An initiative to support parent.
7. Fees approval for academic year 2022-23 and 2023-24
8. Open session.

### **Minutes of the Meeting**

1. Principal, Mr. Benny Samuel sir extended a warm welcome to all EPTA members.
2. Principal sir briefed about the best practices of the school, ongoing and future initiatives of the school as well as achievement of the school.
3. EPTA members appreciated the efforts taken by the management, the school and the teachers for the successful and systematic conduction of online classes in SOS, Wardha.
4. Principal sir shared the glimpse of activates conducted for all stakeholders and parents such as Rangankur, workshop for students, book release of school alumnus Ma. Om Pandey, appreciating the journalist etc.
5. Details of the school outstanding fees for session 2019-20, 2020-21 and 2021-22 were presented and all EPTA members were appealed to extend their contribution in collection of school outstanding fees. Further, sir explained easy fees EMI scheme and initiative by the school to support parents who faced financial issues.

6. The management of school has informed to the EPTA members that as a difficulty raised due to prevailing Covid 19 pandemic in resumption and conducting of physical classes in the school, though a fees increase of 15% over the fees applicable for the academic year 2019-20 was approved for the academic year 2020-21 and 2021 -22 , but the school management has not increased the approved fees increase of 15% for the academic session 2020-21 and has charged the same fees as was charged in academic year 2019 -20. Considering the fact that the Covid -19 pandemic has had its damaging effect on the financial condition of several families and to enable the parents to ensure a smooth flow of education of their wards and regular payment of fees to the school, the management has considered the request of parents sympathetically and has granted a waiver of 10% in the fees for the academic year 2020-22 solely on humanitarian grounds.

7. School management has proposed the increase in school fees by 15% over the fees applicable for the academic year 2021-22.

The above proposal has been considered by the executive parents teachers association ( here in after referred to as ‘EPTA’ ) , keeping in mind the various factors mentioned in section 9 of the Maharashtra Educational Institutions ( Regulations of fees) Act ,2011 (hereinafter referred to as ‘Said ACT’) and has approved and agreed for 13% over the fees applicable for the Academic Year 2021-22. This approved fees will be applicable for the academic sessions 2022-23 and 2023-24.

Though the above increase of fees has been approved by the EPTA, in case of any difficulty in resumption and conducting of physical classes in the school, the school Management shall consider granting waiver of 3% in fees. The said waiver is being offered considering the experience relating to utilization of various facilities, services, etc. during the previous period of Covid- 19 pandemic.

8. Today’s 2<sup>nd</sup> EPTA meeting dated on 7/12/2021, the minutes of the meeting are read and approved by all the present EPTA members.

Principal