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school year: 2019/2020

MHG news

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National Emergency Situation - Exit Plan

- Although the distance learning continues until the end of the school year, we are making plans for reopening the builing and inviting our teachers/employees back to work (voluntary and based on need). The recommendations from the ministry for organizing in-door learning activities starting May 15 need to be followed.
- From May 18, the school's office will be open every day between 9.00-14.00.
- The school gates (both Kooli and Tõnissoni street) are open from May 18 on workdays between 9.00-14.00.
- The library is still closed and exchanging books is organized by the librarian contact-free.
- Teachers working in the building: there is a schedule for observing the arrival and leaving of teachers and students. One teacher can invite up to 10 students to school at first. All rooms are equipped with hand sanitizers. Masks are available in the office upon need.
- Ending the school year: according to the current plan, the 9th grade graduation ceremony will take place on 19.06 at 16.00 and the 12th grade graduation ceremony will happen on 20.06 at 15.00. It is allowed to have outdoor events with up to 100 people and indoor events with 50 people at that time. We are hoping for a nice weather.

Distance Learning and Grading

- In general, we are continuing with the distance learning until the end of the school year. Theacers are allowed to invite single students or small groups to school (based on the recommendations of the Ministry of Education)
- The school year for the basic school ends on June 8. The meeting of the teachers' board will take place on June 4.
- The teachers' board meetings for the graduation of grades 10-11 takes place on June 15 and for grades 9 and 12 on June 16.
- Learning outcomes of the primary grades (1-4) will continue getting narrative descriptions for assessment.
- Grades 5-9 continue with criterion-based assessment as usual.
- All secondary school grading (except DP) will take place on the scale of
 5. The optional course will be assessed with pass / fail. Course grades will be formed based on formative tasks throughout the course; no midtern exams take place.

Announcements

11.-15.05 - grade 12 school exams (national curriculum)

12.–12.05 – Pre-IB entrance interviews

15.05 - deadline for grade 11 optional course choices (national curriculum)

18.05 – secondary school entrance tests (national curriculum)

We Congratulate

BIRTHDAYS OF SCHOOL STAFF

Hans Teras - 12.05

Helen Rägo – 14.05

Allar Aav - 16.05

Mai Aavasalu 16.05

We are Proud of ...

Uku Andreas Reigo (10c) for reaching the finals in the Science contest Rakett 69.

Great resutls from the final round of the Geography Olympiad (May 8). <u>Secondary school</u>:

3rd place Oliver Mõttus (11a), 6th place Andres Aleksander Tammer (12DP), 11th place Ronald Judin (11a).

Basic school:

6th place Artur Ipits (7b), 7th place Meena Rooden (7b).

The supervisors were Maiu Kaljuorg and Ita Ilves.

The national round of the History Olympiad was cancelled but replaced with a national ranking based on the regional results. Among the national top 20 were the following students from MHG:

2.–3. place Emma Elisabeth Toots from 8b (supervisor Terje Hallik),

14.-22. place Juhan Martten Kull from 8b (supervisor Terje Hallik),

2. place Mari Mai Ruus from 9b (supervisorMaarja Puniste),

10.–13. place õpilane Liisa Oks from 10a (supervisor Urma Linnus),

14.-16. place Oliver Mõttus from 11a (supervisor Urma Linnus),

14.-18. place Maarja Kask from 10b (juhendaja Urma Linnus).

Great results from the literature trivia that took place on May 8, where the team of 11a received the 2nd place with **Timmu Õunapuu**, **Marie Maisvee**, **Nele-Liis Meriloo** and **Katariina Koemets**. The supervisor was Jana Kübar.

The team of 10a came to the 4th place with Maare Karmen Oras, Marlene Ibrus, Liisa Oks and Hendrik Matvejev. The supervisor was Reet Volmer.

Isabel Mõistus (11a) for being nominated the best translator of the contest Juvenes Translatores. The award ceremony is available here: https://www.youtube.com/user/DGTranslation

