



# COMMUNIQUE

6<sup>th</sup> May 2020

Dear Staff/Students

The University of Seychelles will resume its business unusual through phases, as of the 11<sup>th</sup> May 2020 for staff and 18<sup>th</sup> May 2020 for students. The Mont Fleuri campus will remain closed until end of May 2020.

UniSey is strictly following the guidelines of the Department of Health and for this week, there will be no access to any of our campuses, except for departments preparing for the reopening.

In line with directives and recommendations of the Department of Health via the Ministry of Education and Human Resource Development, all educational institutions in the country, including UniSey will be applying some stringent health and safety measures both before and during operations.

Between the afternoon of Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> May and Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May (and even over the weekend if necessary), UniSey will be addressing all these procedures to ensure it obtains the official approval of the Department of Health to re-open on the 11<sup>th</sup> May 2020. When UniSey re opens, it needs to follow a number of mandatory precautionary measures. Below is a detailed table of the pre and post operations measures:

Actions to be implemented	Indicators for Implementation	Staff Responsible	Timeline
Conduct (temperature) screening on entry	-Everyone entering the premise is screened for both identity and temperature.	i) Security – names ii) Rostered support staff – take temperature	Ongoing as of 11 <sup>th</sup> May 2020
Promote personal hygiene – hand washing, respiratory etiquette etc.	-IEC materials are visible around the campus. -Hand sanitizers in common areas and soap and paper towels in toilets.	All staff and students	Ongoing as of 11 <sup>th</sup> May 2020

Maintain and enforce general cleaning and disinfection	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Cleaning and disinfection materials and equipment available.</li> <li>-Classrooms/ common areas cleaned daily.</li> <li>-Toilets cleaned 3 times daily.</li> <li>-Door knobs, surfaces and equipment sanitized 3 times daily.</li> <li>-Put in place cleaning schedule &amp; replenishment of hygiene materials log.</li> <li>-Spot checks conducted regularly.</li> </ul>	Property Department	Ongoing as of 11 <sup>th</sup> May 2020
Promote and practise social and physical distancing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Visible demarcation in common areas/ workshops/ library/ classrooms where possible..</li> <li>-More E-resources/ platforms*made available for students and staff from home.</li> <li>-Reduced class size for large groups and staggering of start and break times.</li> <li>-Work from home scheduled.</li> </ul>	All staff, students and visitors	Ongoing as of the 11 <sup>th</sup> May 2020

Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

Keep safe!

**UniSey Management**