



مدرسة نور الديار الخاصة
NOOR AL DIYAR
PRIVATE SCHOOL

BIRTHDAY PARTY POLICY



1.0 POLICY PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to organize student's birthday parties at school, putting in to consideration recognition of students' special day, and at the same time respecting parents that do not want to make a big deal out of their children's birthday.

2.0 GENERAL STATEMENT OF THE POLICY

This policy consists of the methods permitted by the school for celebrating student's birthday without arranging a party at classrooms. The main concern is ensuring students' health and wellbeing and avoiding any medical issues that might arise as a consequence of organizing birthday parties.

3.0 POLICY PROCEDURES

- 3.1 Birthday parties' celebration are not allowed in the school.
- 3.2 The school encourage all phase 1 and phase 2 teachers to announce the birthday child's name and peers can sing the "Happy Birthday" song during the first lesson as they are in their classroom. This in no way, shape or form of a birthday party.
- 3.3 To ensure the safety and health of students, food treats are not an option for birthdays.
- 3.4 The reason for this strict interpretation of school policy is amongst other things to avoid any medical issues that may arise for students who struggle with medical conditions such as food allergies, diabetes, and childhood obesity.
- 3.5 If any child wants to bring a birthday treat, only the following items will be allowed for the classroom for that matter in school:
 - 3.5.1 A game for the classroom;
 - 3.5.2 A Kids movie DVD that is approved in writing by the school management;
 - 3.5.3 A story book that is approved in written by the school management;
 - 3.5.4 Stationary items such as pencils, erasers, note books, etc.
- 3.6 Visitors are not allowed to enter school premises for the purpose of birthday celebration, including but not limited to (parents, friends, clowns, magicians, etc.).
- 3.7 Fixing Birthday decorations such as balloons or any other kind, in the classroom/corridors/anywhere else in the school premises is not permitted.
- 3.8 Teachers and school employees are strictly forbidden from distributing invitations to birthday parties.