



# Rothberg International School

## THE HEBREW UNIVERSITY OF JERUSALEM



May 6, 2020

Dear Students,

On Monday, May 4th, 2020, the Israeli government issued updated guidelines in a continued effort to contain the spread of COVID-19 in Israel while enabling a gradual and measured return to daily routine:

### Step 1: May 4, 2020

- The 100 m limit of movement from your house has been repealed!
- Visits to one's immediate family are allowed
- Crowds of up to 20 people are allowed in an open area
- Malls and markets are reopening on May 7 (only takeaway for dining)
- Schools have been reopened according to the approved outline
- Tourist sites, nature reserves, parks (without guest facilities) and zoos are open
- Competitive sport and water sports for individuals are allowed. Gyms will open on May 7.
- Guest accommodations and hotels are open (common areas will be closed)

### Step 2: May 10, 2020

- Kindergartens, daycare centers and the like are open
- Crowds of up to 50 people are allowed in an open area

### Continuation of Step 2: May 17, 2020

- Museums open
- Sports activities without personal contact are allowed for up to 20 people
- Schools – opening of grades 4-10 is under consideration

### Step 3: May 31, 2020

- Crowds of up to 100 people are allowed in an open area
- Extracurricular activities for children, informal education and youth movements will open
- Public areas and playgrounds will open
- Swimming pools will open
- Competitive sports (leagues) will open without audiences (This may be delayed to step 4 – To be decided)
- Restaurants may open (although this will probably happen only in step 4 - TBD)
- Regular opening of Higher Education

#### Step 4: June 14, 2020

- Under consideration: cancellation of limit for crowds
- Movies and theaters reopen
- Civil aviation (partial) reopens

#### Hebrew University Libraries update:

The libraries are reopening for loan services only at this stage. Reading halls are closed at the moment. We will update when it changes.

If you want to check out/return books, please fill out this [Rothberg Library form](#), indicating your date/time of arrival. Please wait for a return mail with approval before arriving at the library.

Readers who wish to check out books from the Main Library should fill out this [Main Library form](#).

**Please make sure to wear a mask, and declare your body temperature upon arrival:** [DECLARATION ON TEMPERATURE ETC. - 26042020.pdf](#)

Please feel free to contact the library with any other issues: [rislibrary@savion.huji.ac.il](mailto:rislibrary@savion.huji.ac.il) / 02-5881634/2258

As always, the Office of Student Life is here for you – please don't hesitate to contact us!

For Emergencies please call the Madrich on call number: 054-8820217.



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