

BUNTS SANGHA'S
S.M.SHETTY HIGH SCHOOL & JR.COLLEGE
KOPARI, POWAI MUMBAI – 400 076

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December 11, 2018

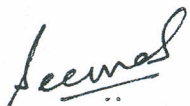
Dear Parents,

We are happy to inform you that the BMC medical team has scheduled the Measles and Rubella vaccine campaign for our students on Wednesday 19th December 2018.

Kindly make a note of the following:

1. It is mandatory for one parent to accompany the pupil. If someone else is bringing your ward for the vaccination, you are requested to send a duly signed authority letter.
2. Students must come in complete school uniform, wearing their ID cards is compulsory.
3. School buses are not available for this day.
4. Parents are requested to come with enough time in hand as this activity is handled by BMC and there will be a waiting period before the vaccine and half an hour of observation period after the vaccine.
5. Students have to report in the room nos. allotted in the circular class wise.
6. **Parents will accompany the students to the classroom.**
7. Kindly do not bring your younger sibling as entry will not be permitted and the entire school staff will be on duty.
8. On that day, the school will not follow the teaching periods. Students will come with their parent on the scheduled time and disperse with them.
9. Vaccine will not be administered to students who have not submitted the consent form.
10. Irrespective of the siblings being in different shifts, parents have to adhere to their time slot.
11. Please ensure your ward has eaten well before coming for the vaccination.
12. The English version of Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) is uploaded in MICM app.

We once again request you to co-operate with us to make this mission successful.



Principal

P.T.O

December 11, 2018

Dear parents kindly fill up the Consent form and send it to the class teachers,
by 13-12-18 (Thursday)

MR Vaccination Campaign

Consent Form

I _____ parent of _____ studying in
class _____ div _____ roll no. _____ permit / do not permit
my child to be vaccinated for Measles-Rubella (MR). My reasons for denial
are _____

Parents Signature

SR NO.	STD/DIV	ROOM NO	TIME
1	I A	202	1.00 PM
2	I B	203	
3	I C	209	
4	I D	210	
5	I E	213	
6	I F	214	
7	II A	216	1.30 PM
8	II B	217	
9	II C	221	
10	II D	222	
11	II E	301	
12	II F	302	
13	III A	202	2.00 PM
14	III B	203	
15	III C	209	
16	III D	210	
17	III E	213	
18	III F	214	
19	IV A	216	2.30 PM
20	IV B	217	
21	IV C	221	
22	IV D	222	
23	IV E	301	
24	IV F	302	
25	V A	202	3.00 PM
26	V B	203	
27	V C	209	
28	V D	210	
29	V E	213	

Frequently asked questions about

THE MR VACCINE CAMPAIGN IN SCHOOLS

- **What is MR Vaccine?**

It's the Measles and Rubella Vaccine

- **When is going to be given?**

Any time in schools on one day, for school children between 27th November and next 5 weeks. Each School will have a different day. Those too young to attend school will receive it from nearest Anganwadi and Municipal or Government dispensaries.

- **What is importance of Measles?**

Measles is a childhood infectious disease that causes high fever cough and severe rash. It is associated with high rates of complications after the illness. They are Pneumonia, Gastroenteritis, and Malnutrition.

- **What is the importance of Rubella?**

Rubella is also known as German Measles. It is also a childhood illness with fever and rash. It is harmful to a pregnant lady's baby. That baby can get Cataracts, Blindness, Deafness, Mental Retardation and Heart Disease. This is called Congenital Rubella Syndrome.

- **How often will this vaccine be given?**

Just this once in the National Programme.

- **What about those who have received MMR vaccine earlier?**

It is still to be given. To all children between 9 months to 15 years.

- **What if a child is ill on that day and can't attend school?**

It can be given after the child recovers at a later date at local Municipal Dispensary or Anganwadi.

- **How much will it cost?**

It will be totally free.

- **Can we give it at our local Family Physician or Pediatrician?**

No, it has to be given at the designated centres only.

- **We are concerned about the safety of this vaccine.**

This is a very safe and effective vaccine.

- 1) It is manufactured by Serum Institute of India for last 40 years and all doctors have used these vaccines before.
- 2) Trained Nurses will be administering it
- 3) Each centre will have trained Nurses, Doctors, Government Officials and School Teachers and Principals too.
- 4) The syringes will be single use, they get automatically destroyed after a single use.
- 5) All emergency preparations are made for any mishap.
- 6) All Pediatric and other hospitals will be ready to handle emergencies.

- **What are the side effects?**

Generally the side effects are very mild and they are local pain, swelling and redness and fever. This can be treated with paracetamol and local ice fomentation. These side effects are common for all vaccinations.

- **So you recommend taking the Vaccine?**

YES, PLEASE GO AHEAD AND TAKE THE VACCINE. IT IS SAFE AND EFFECTIVE!!

Principal