To the parents of international students,

We understand that your children's health is your biggest concern at the moment as the Novel Coronavirus is spreading. It is also the biggest issue we attach importance to. In order to help the parents of international students to understand the current situation and the relevant knowledge of prevention, we hope you can read this letter patiently.

As the outbreak has entered a severe and complicated stage, it is also a crucial time for us to prevent the virus from spreading. Till today, there are 23 patients in Inner Mongolia, and among these, 2 patients are from Chifeng city, one in Songshan district and the other in Linxi District.

At present, people from all walks of life are working together to fight against the Novel Coronavirus. We are also trying everything to protect our students. Nowadays, the epidemic reaches its peak, the university has taken the following actions according to the public prevention notes provided by the Chinese Center for Disease Control and Prevention.

- 1. The university is closed to avoid viral transmission.
- 2. There is a teacher on duty everyday to provide nessary help.
- 3. Thermometer and medicines for common disease such as cold, fever, flu, diarrhea etc. are available in duty room. Students who have these health problems don't need to go to hospital in case of being

infected.

- 4. International students are suggested not to go to public places or take public transportation. For students who need to go shopping, we give leave note and provide them with surgery masks. It is strongly recommend to come back within 3 hours.
- 5.Any teacher or student who come from outside are required to get temperature test to make sure they are healthy.
- 6.International canteen and kitchen are open during holidays, students can cook and eat inside the campus.
- 7.Logistics department provides hostel and kitchen disinfection service twice a day.
- 8.Students who are traveling in other cities are suggested to stay where they are, because taking public transportation increases the possibility of getting infected. Students who come back from other cities have to be isolated for at least 14 days and be closely monitored to ensure they are healthy.

Recently we have received applications from several students who want to go back to your home countries. We totally understand your worries, but it is strongly recommend to stay and avoid being infected during traveling. If you still insist of getting your children back, with full understanding of current situation, we will definitely offer our cooperation. If your children are home, please tell them to wait for the further notice

about school opening time and please don't return school in advance.

We hope you can cooperate with us to encourage your children to do more exercises and keep studying during the holidays, and we believe our unity can overcome the epidemic.

Thanks for your cooperation and best regards!

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