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Subject: Access Arrangements Update

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The ADSC has informed MATSEC that since schools and colleges are shut due to Covid-19, and will not reopen until the next scholastic year, applications for access arrangements for the Main and First 2021 examination session will be accepted without an updated assessment.

Nevertheless, Form A should be filled in with as much detail as possible to make up for the recent and missing evidence. Together with this, the usual request for past reports and school reports of how the students' educational needs were met must be attached and submitted.

This exceptional decision is being made without prejudice and does not apply for Year 9/Form 3 students who wish to sit for SEAC and/or SEC VET subjects. The applications for these SEAC/SEC VET students will follow the same procedure and therefore will follow the end of January deadline. This decision is subject to revision if any changes are made to the school lockdown period.

Thank you for your collaboration..