



# Gaesdoncker Elternbrief

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Dear Gaesdonck families

Dear parents of our students in the Daytime boarding school and Upper school External,

Although the classroom tuition is slowly picking up speed again, by the end of the school year for most years only to such an extent that neither day care in the Daytime boarding school nor a full-day stay in the framework of the Upper school External is possible.

In consultation with the elected chairmen of the boarding school committee, we therefore propose that the **cost regulation** agreed upon for April should also be applied for the months May to July and that 100% of the costs for care and meals should be reimbursed for all four months. Regarding the accommodation costs, we will refund 1/3 of the variable costs (energy, water, etc.). You will find the exact calculation in the letter to parents dated 24.04.2020.

Thereafter, the following collections or refunds will be made for the remaining two months of the current school year:

	month	reduced monthly fee	actual Debit/Credit note
a) Daytime boarding	April 2020	197,31 €	538,00 €
	May 2020	197,31 €	197,31 €
	June 2020	197,31 €	<b>53,93 €</b>
	July 2020	197,31 €	<b>0 €</b>
b) Upper Class External	April 2020	41,04 €	159,00 €
	May 2020	41,04 €	41,01 €
	June 2020	41,04 €	<b>+35,88 €</b>
	July 2020	41,04 €	<b>0 €</b>

Unfortunately, it still looks as if, unlike public all-day facilities, we have little, if any, state support to cushion the effects of Corona crisis. My special thanks therefore go to you for your exemplary payment behaviour over the past weeks!

I do not want to discourage you from following the suggestion of the boarding school parents' representatives and returning the reimbursed amount or parts of it as a donation to our scholarship foundation. Under

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you can easily get your personal donation receipt for your next tax return.

I am at your disposal for further questions. You can find out about all current developments via the [Gaesdonck-Corona-Blog](#) on our website.

On behalf of Mrs Mann and Mr Gysbers, I wish you and your families all the best and already today a nice long Pentecost weekend.

With kind regards from the Gaesdonck

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Director