

# The Education Milestone of K-12 Education

## Administration, MOE in 2020

Year	Month	Day	Event
2020	2	4	◎In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Ministry of Education announced that the start of the second semester, 2019 school year, would be postponed to February 25, 2020.
		15	◎Promulgated the Principles for the Implementation of Suspension of Classes, Schoolwork, and Performance Evaluation at National Elementary and Junior High Schools as well as Preschool Institutions in response to COVID-19.
		17	◎Promulgated the Guidelines for Subsidy for Replacement and Purchase of Vehicles for Public and Private Kindergartens from the K-12 Education Administration of the Ministry of Education.
	3	2	◎Promulgated the Criteria for Selection and Review for the Establishment of Non-profit Kindergartens.
		3	◎Promulgated the Guidelines for Construction Subsidies of Publicized Kindergarten Buildings Granted by the K-12 Education Administration of the Ministry of Education.
		18	◎Organized a total of 43 "2020 Senior High School Curriculum Consultation and Professional Competency Seminars".
		23	◎In response to COVID-19, it was announced that faculties and students at senior high schools and below were prohibited from going abroad without consent from March 20 to July 15.
		25	◎Organized the "Senior High School Students' Learning Portfolio Establishment and Application Exchange Conference".(3/25-3/27)
	4	15	◎Amended and Promulgated the "The K-12 Education Administration's Subsidies for the Implementation of 12-Year Basic Education Curriculum at Senior High Schools and the Guidelines of the Hourly Wages (for teaching hours that are in excess of stipulated teaching load) for Teachers at National Senior High Schools"
		30	◎Organized the "Senior High School Students' Learning Portfolio Establishment and Application Seminar".
	5	14	◎Promulgated the policy of "White Paper 2.0 on International Education for Primary and Secondary Schools".
		26	◎Issued an official letter governing outsiders to assist with teaching or activities at the level of secondary schools or below.

	6	28	<p>◎Promulgated the Regulations on Composition and Operation of the Professional Review Committee for Teachers at Senior High Schools and Below.</p> <p>◎Promulgated the Regulations on Non-renewal of Contract, Termination of Contract, or Dismissal of Teachers at Senior High Schools and Below.</p> <p>◎Promulgated the Regulations on Establishment of a Consultation and Support System for Teachers at Senior High Schools and Below.</p> <p>◎Promulgated the "Regulations on Qualifications and Recruitment of Indigenous Language Teachers for Senior High Schools and Below".</p>
	7	1	<p>◎The Executive Yuan approved the " School Lunch Kitchen Improvement Project for National Elementary and Junior High Schools".</p> <p>◎The Executive Yuan approved the Program for Optimization of Audiovisual Classrooms at Public National Primary and Secondary Schools.</p>
		3	◎Promulgated the Guidelines for Establishment of Talent Pool of Scholars and Experts Outside of Schools for the Teacher Evaluation Committee of Senior High Schools and Below.
		6	◎The Executive Yuan approved the Program for Improvement of Playground at Public National Elementary Schools.
		7	◎The Executive Yuan announced that "the classrooms at primary and secondary schools will be fully air-conditioned by the summer of 2022".
		21	◎The 2020 National Education Department Commissioners' Meeting was held.
		22	◎The inauguration ceremony of the Affiliated Keelung Maritime Senior High School of National Taiwan Ocean University (used to be the National Keelung Maritime Vocational School) was held (the affiliation took effect on August 1, 2020).
		25	◎Review the curriculum of the senior high schools and below in 2020 in accordance with the amendments to the 12-Year Basic Education, Curriculum Guidelines under the Development of National Languages Act, convened the first review conference.
		31	◎Promulgated the Standards for the Number of Weekly Teaching Sessions for Special Education Teachers at National Special Education Schools and National Senior High Schools and Below.
	8	1	◎The Group Insurance of Students at Schools at Senior Secondary Level or Below and Young Children at Educare Service Institutions Act came into effect.
		3	◎Issued an official letter with regard to the Principles for Formulation of Student Dress Codes at Senior High Schools, the Principles for Formulation of Student Dress Codes at Junior High Schools, and the Principles for Formulation of Student Dress Codes at Elementary Schools.
		4	◎The 2020 Academic Year Meeting for Principals from National Senior High Schools and Special Education Schools in Northern Taiwan was held.
		11	◎The 2020 Academic Year Meeting for Principals from National Senior High Schools and Special Education Schools in Southern Taiwan was held.

		14	◎Promulgated the Guidelines for Subsidy for Severance Payment for Faculties at Private Senior High Schools and Below from the K-12 Education Administration of the Ministry of Education.
		18	◎Promulgated the Guidelines for Subsidy for Establishment of Independent Half-way School from the K-12 Education Administration of the Ministry of Education. ◎Organized a total of seven "Seminars on Practical Administrative Operation of Senior High School Students' Learning Portfolio" in 2020.(8/18-8/21)
		28	◎Announced the second phase of the Five-year Program of the Mid-term Program for the Quality Development of Gifted and Talented Education launched by the K-12 Education Administration of the Ministry of Education. ◎Issued an official letter to request schools at all educational levels to provide all meals with fresh domestic pork and beef.
9	2		◎The Executive Yuan approved the Program for Forward-looking infrastructure Construction: Urban and Rural Construction—Power System Improvement and Air-conditioner Installation t Public Senior High Schools and Below.
		7	◎Promulgated the Guidelines for Subsidies for Support and Consultation Services for Teachers Provided by Local Governments from the K-12 Education Administration of the Ministry of Education.
10	14		◎Promulgated the Regulations for the Implementation of the Education to Prisoners with the Ministry of Justice.
		23	◎Organized the Review and Achievement Exhibition in the theme of "Teacher Empowerment and Practice for Teaching Innovation" to celebrate the 15th Anniversary of the Education Resource Center.(10/23-10/24)
		27	◎Promulgated the Guidelines for Rewards for Outstanding Achievements in Outdoor Education by Ministry of Education.
11	7		◎Organized a Seminar on Inclusion of Indigenous Education under the Curriculum Guidelines of 12-Year Basic Education.
		11	◎Held the first national inter-ministerial school lunch meeting.
		13	◎Amended the purchase contract (template) for external catering services to implement the policy that all schools shall adopt domestic meat and its processed (remade) products as well as eggs.
		20	◎Published the Educational Staff's Handbook for the Convention on the Rights of the Child.
12	4		◎Issued an official letter to request each county and city governments to supervise the schools in their jurisdiction districts to complete the amendment to the purchase contract (template) for external catering services before December 31, and implemented it on January 1, 2021.
		8	◎The Taiwan International Educational Travel Alliance 2.0 Establishment Tea Party and Handover Ceremony.
		14	◎Promulgated the Guidelines for Performance Evaluation for Full-time Professional Counselor at National Senior High Schools.

		15	©Organized an Award Ceremony of Outstanding Lesson Plans for Indigenous Culture and Education.
		25	©Launched the second phase (2020–2024) of the Program for Promotion of Outdoor Education of the Ministry of Education.