

**GOVERNMENT OF MANIPUR
DIRECTORATE OF EDUCATION [SCHOOLS]**

No. 8/9/2-12/15-DE(S);

Imphal, the 15th April 2017

To

All Zonal Education Officers
Manipur.

Sub:- Ensuring MDM rice entitled to children are distributed to school children for the period of closure of schools – regarding

Sir,

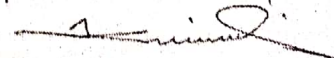
You are all aware that the closure of schools have taken place by the order of the Government dated the 12th March, 2020 and subsequently because of the lockdown till the 3rd of May, 2020 the schools are to remain close. Further closure/opening will be based on the instructions of the Government.

It is to be mentioned here that a Primary School children is entitled 100 grams of Rice per working day and 150 gms per working day for Upper Primary. For the above mentioned period of closure of schools there are a total of 35 working days [viz. 13 days March; 21 day in April and 1 day in May]. This would amount to accumulation of 3.5 kg and 5.25 kgs of rice for Primary and Upper Primary student respectively. Details are as per table below:

Sl. No	Category	Entitlement per child per day	No of working days (schools closed)	Total entitlement	Distribution to be quantity
1	Primary student	@ 100 gm	35	3.5 kg	3.5 kg
2	Upper Primary student	@ 150 gm	35	5.25kg	5 kg

All the ZEOs are to ensure that rice entitled per child be distributed to the child through their parent subject to compliance of the following terms and conditions:

- (a) Lesser quantity distributed for Upper Primary student that is equivalent to 250 gms shall be provided subsequently.
- (b) All norms of hygiene and social distancing as per guidelines of Health Department are to be followed in the process of distribution.
- (c) Distribution shall be done at the school premises and due information shall be ensured by the Heads of Schools. Information of causing notification are to be intimated to the concerned AIs/DIs and ZEOs also.
- (d) For students/parents who are outstation or could not come to the place of distribution, the entitled foodgrains shall be provided after the schools reopened.



(e) All heads of school shall be accountable and respond to any complaints that arises in future for the distribution of the food grains.

(f) All heads of schools shall compile the list of children along with names of parents, quantity distributed, date of distribution and submit the same to the ZEO concerned immediately after the lockdown period.

4. In view of the above, it is urged to all concerned to initiate all possible necessary steps to ensure delivery of food grains for the number of entitled days during lockdown days under intimation to the undersigned without fail.

Yours faithfully,



(Th. Kirankumar) 15/4/2020
Director of Education(S), Manipur

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1. The PPS to the Hon'ble Minister, Education, Manipur
2. The SO to the Chief Secretary, Government of Manipur
3. The Commissioner, Education (S), Government of Manipur.
4. All Deputy Commissioners, Manipur.
5. All the Chief Executive Officers of ADCs
6. All Addl. Directors, Education (S), Manipur
7. All Concerned Principals, Heads of Schools with Class 1-8 standards in their respective schools.
8. All AZNOs
9. All concerned.