



Education and Child Protection



What should I do for my child's education?

- Before embarking on your voluntary return journey, please ensure you bring the following school documents for your child.
 - **Certificate of Graduation and Academic Status:** The official requirement is that all documents obtained with school approval must be confirmed by the district/provincial governor's office and apostilled by the Turkish Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Ankara) or the Syrian Consulate (Istanbul).
 - **If these requirements cannot be met:**
Having school-certified documents approved by the district governor's office or provincial governor's office,
Final-year grade reports must be obtained from the school with the school's official stamp;
Providing a document proving that you have passed your final year (including a certified transcript) is sufficient.
- Once you arrive in Syria, use these documents to enroll your child in the nearest school.



As parents and caregivers, always strive to stay together as a family. This will help everyone, including children, feel safer and more comfortable. Also, teach your children your phone number and emergency contact numbers they can use if needed.



How can you keep yourself and your children safe?



- Teach your children not to touch or approach suspicious objects or objects they don't recognize. Such objects can be dangerous to you and your children.
- Teach and encourage your children to play only in areas designated as "safe zones." Tell them to stay away from unfamiliar objects and to immediately alert others if they see any.
- Explosive remnants can come in different shapes, sizes, and colors. If you see anything unusual, move away immediately and warn others around you. Due to a lack of information, children are the most vulnerable group to the dangers of mines and explosive remnants. Therefore, teach your children to recognize the danger signs of unfamiliar objects.
- Report any suspicious or unidentified object immediately to local authorities or the nearest non-governmental organization (NGO).
- Limit exposure to upsetting news and social media content, and avoid sharing unverified information.



For help

For all other matters, please contact the staff of your nearest NGO.



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