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### NEW ORIENTAL EDUCATION & TECHNOLOGY GROUP INC.

## 新東方教育科技集團\*

(continued in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 9901)

### VOLUNTARY ANNOUNCEMENT

This is a voluntary announcement made by our Company. We have filed a Form 6-K with the Securities and Exchange Commission of the United States in relation to our response to certain media reports. Please see the attached Form 6-K.

Shareholders and prospective investors are advised to exercise caution when dealing in the shares and other securities of the Company.

By order of the Board

New Oriental Education & Technology Group Inc.

Mr. Michael Minhong Yu

Chairman

Beijing, China, July 23, 2021

As at the date of this announcement, the board of directors of the Company comprises Mr. Michael Minhong Yu, Mr. Chenggang Zhou and Mr. Louis T. Hsieh as directors and Mr. Robin Yanhong Li, Mr. Denny Lee and Mr. John Zhuang Yang as independent directors.

\* for identification purposes only.

# New Oriental Education & Technology Group Inc. Responds to Media Reports

BEIJING, July 23, 2021 — New Oriental Education & Technology Group Inc. ("New Oriental" or the "Company") (NYSE: EDU and SEHK: 9901), the largest provider of private educational services in China, today noted that certain English and Chinese language media outlets reported that the PRC regulators are considering a new set of regulations concerning after-school tutoring service related to school subjects taught in China's compulsory education system. The regulations have not been published, and the Company has not received official notification of the regulations. It's the Company's policy not to comment on market speculations.

### **About New Oriental**

New Oriental is the largest provider of private educational services in China offering a wide range of educational programs, services and products to a varied student population throughout China. New Oriental's program, service and product offerings consist of K-12 after-school tutoring, test preparation, language training for adults, pre-school education, primary and secondary school education, education materials and distribution, online education, and other services. New Oriental is listed on NYSE (NYSE: EDU) and SEHK (9901.SEHK), respectively. New Oriental's ADSs, each of which represents one common share. The Hong Kong-listed shares are fully fungible with the ADSs listed on NYSE.

For more information about New Oriental, please visit <a href="http://www.neworiental.org/english/">http://www.neworiental.org/english/</a>.

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