## Appendix

Table 1: Annual myopia prevalence of children aged six to eight before, during and after pandemic restrictions.

|                    | Annual myopia<br>prevalence before<br>COVID-19 pandemic<br>(2015 to 2019) | Annual myopia prevalence during COVID-19 restrictions (January 2020 to | Annual myopia prevalence after COVID-19 restrictions (March to December |
|--------------------|---|--|---|
|                    |   | February 2021)   | 2021)   |
| Overall            | 23.8%   | 28.8%  | 36.2%   |
| (Age six to eight) |   |  |   |
| Age six            | 13.9%   | 18.5%  | 25.2%   |
| Age seven          | 25.8%   | 30.4%  | 34.1%   |
| Age eight          | 37.3%   | 42.1%  | 46%   |