Corpus Christi Primary School Term 3 Arrangements and Onsite Learning

13th July 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

Hope you and your family are staying well and staying safe during this difficult time.

As you would be aware, the state government has made some significant announcements in relation to arrangements for schools in Victoria for Term 3.

Based on advice from the Victorian Chief Health Officer, Catholic schools in metropolitan Melbourne and Mitchell Shire will have specific arrangements in place for the start of Remote Learning on Monday 20th July.

It is very important to note that the Victorian Chief Health Officer has advised that schools can continue to operate. The Chief Health Officer has also provided advice about the health measures that should be taken by staff and students, and we will be following these.

The purpose of these changed arrangements is to reduce the number of students and families moving across metropolitan Melbourne and Mitchell Shire in order to reduce the spread of coronavirus (COVID-19).

Arrangements beginning on Monday 20 July

From Monday 20 July, our school will be moving to Remote and Flexible Learning. This will apply to all students apart from the following:

- children on days when they are not able to be supervised at home and no other arrangements can be made, including children of teachers in schools who are required to return to work onsite
- students with a disability
- vulnerable children, including: children in out-of-home care children deemed by Child Protection and/or Family Services to be at risk of harm children identified by the school as vulnerable

The learning program delivered on-site will be the same as the learning program delivered to students undertaking remote learning. Students learning on-site will be supervised by school staff.

The health and wellbeing of all in our community remains paramount.

When on-site learning is provided, temperature checks will be conducted, hand sanitiser will be available at the entry points and education will be provided on hand hygiene.

Physical distancing will be implemented in classrooms to the extent feasible and unwell students will be excluded from attending.

Victoria's Chief Health Officer has confirmed that the use of face masks or coverings by adults or children is not recommended in schools at this time. As has always been the case, students who wish to wear face masks in school and when going to and from school may do so.

Access to school grounds is still restricted to students and staff only.

If, as a parent/carer, you find yourself needing to send your son/daughter to Corpus Christi School for supervision, I ask that you email ccschooloffice@ccwerribee.catholic.edu.au the attached form and all information requested as soon as possible.

It is important we receive this information as soon as possible in order to be able to respond to the needs of our community in the best and most effective way possible.

Access to Devices and Wi-Fi

Please also find following a notice from Mrs Anne Walton regarding access to digital technology and wi-fi access at home. Should you have specific needs that we may be able to support you with we ask that you complete the form and forward to Mrs Walton at annew@ccwerribee.catholic.edu.au as soon as possible.

We will be providing further information in the coming days regarding Remote Learning 2.0 in readiness for Monday 20th July. Please look out for emails or Remind notifications from myself and your Home Group teachers.

Making this transition to Remote Learning, once again, is understandably going to be challenging for us all but with the benefit of prior knowledge and our learnings from our Remote Learning experience in Term 2, we are doing all we can to make the transition as seamless and supportive for families as possible. We will continue to welcome constructive and respectful feedback as we move through this process once again in partnership as home and school.

Stay well and stay safe!

With kind regards,

Linda Roynic Principal

Term 3 Onsite Learning Request Form

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Contact number		-
Occupation		
Parent/Carer Two: Name:		_
Contact Number:		_
Occupation		_
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My child/ren will walk to l	MacKillop College	
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