

14 July, 2020

Re: Remote Learning arrangements 20 July onwards

Dear Cheltenham Primary School families,

There will be a newsletter coming out at the end of the week, with further detail re our return to remote and flexible learning next week. A few logistics need to be covered immediately.

We will be following a similar model based on the approach that was put in place last term with refinements. We will be commencing a staggered start to the school day from 8.20am (Foundation); 8.30am (Years 1 and 2) and 8.45am (Years 3 and 4) and 8.50am (Years 5 and 6) for those students working remotely from home for **daily roll call** (Seesaw and Zoom). We have introduced the earlier roll call time to assist families that may have to commence their remote work day from 9.00am (following your feedback to us).

Wednesday will be offline for the whole school. Students will complete their **expected** specialist assignments on this day. On Friday, students will do inquiry from 9.00 to 11.00am. Then working offline from 11.00am, they can self-select from a range of matrix activities. We hope that this will be helpful for all families working from home to complete your own work or responsibilities, whilst supporting your children.

This letter is to advise that the children's materials for home learning will be ready to be picked up from the school this **Thursday**, **16 July from 10.00am-4.00pm and again on Friday**, **from 10.00am-4.00pm** (main office). It is okay to ask a friend or family member to pick up for you.

We will endeavour to support students that require an iPad on request from families. However, please be aware that none of our iPads are data enabled, you will need to have Internet access at home. We will also support those families without Internet access, with paper packs.

For families that must work outside the home, on site remote learning will be offered. Families wishing to request on site learning Monday 20th July to Friday 31st July are asked to complete a request using the following link with full details. https://forms.gle/LLBvZzbiFW66C8yU9

These will be screened and families advised of approval for entry. All children entering the school for on-site learning, will be temperature checked each day, as are all staff.

Entry for on-site learning will be through the bottom car park gates. Gates will be opened at 8.45am. Children coming on site will be requested to wear their school uniforms, bring their water bottles, learning materials, lunch and snack for the day. Before and after school care will be available. The school day will conclude at **3.00pm**.

Kind Regards,

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Principal