

Dear parents

This is our last message before we break for Easter and the school holidays. As Mr Mann is remaining on leave I will be here as Principal for most of Term 2.

As I know you are aware Term 2 will not look like any other Term 2 we have experienced. The Director General of Education has stated:

- All public schools will remain open.
- Parents are encouraged to keep their children at home. Those who need to send their children to school to maintain employment, children of essential workers and those who require schools to support them to overcome particular vulnerabilities, however, may choose to do so.
- To ensure that all students 'needs are met, staff will be present on school sites.
- All students will be taught

As we prepare for how Term 2 will operate these are the things you will need to know :

- In Term 2 the school will be operating with online lessons ( WebEx )and lesson information via Connect.
- A work package for all Year 7 – 10 students will be ready for collection from the Hamilton Rd school entrance during school hours FRIDAY 24 April and MONDAY 27 April
- This work package will also contain : A WebEx timetable for each student ,information on how to log in and download WebEx and an "Online Student Procedure " containing student behavioural expectations, equipment requirements and guidelines for parents.
- Work packages for Year 11 and 12 General English and Essential Mathematics will also be available from the front of the school Friday 24 and Monday 27
- All other Year 11 and 12 ATAR and General classes will be accessed via Connect and WebEx.
- SIDE ATAR classes will continue online as per usual.
- Completed assessments from Term 1 can be either uploaded on to Connect or deposited into year boxes at the front of the school Friday 24 and Monday 27.

When term 2 begins on Tuesday 28 April we will all be entering a " brave new world " together. Please be as patient as possible. We expect that there will be teething problems as we access our new teaching and learning realities. The teething problems will be felt at school and at home. We will all be in this together and learning together.

We do not know how long students will be out of school but I will be keeping you as informed as I possibly can .

Enjoy your Easter break at home .

Stay safe together

Kindest wishes



Mary Griffiths

Principal

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