

Serving with Faith and Love

27 August, 2020

Kia ora Whanau,



We are all one and together we will pull through.

Monday 31st August, if we are at Alert Level-2 the school will be open for instruction. The guidelines we will follow will be very similar to those of Monday 18th May, when we returned to school after our last lock-down.

- The school will open on Monday 31st August, 2020. With Level 2 restrictions we ask that **no child is onsite before 8.20am.**
- When you drop off your children, please do not get out of your cars. A staff member will wait for them at the gate and bring them onsite.
- When you pick up your children, DO NOT come onsite. Your children will meet you at the gate.
- If, for any reason, you need to come onsite, you MUST register at reception and either scan the QR Code or complete the Contact Tracing Register. This is a Ministry requirement.
- Parents are to display social distancing outside the gates. Minimum 1 metre apart from other adults. Physical distancing of 2 metres is recommended for parents and caregivers, from people they don't know (to align with public health measures outside the school grounds).
- Every child is to bring in their own water bottles. No one will be sharing. The water fountains will not be accessible but we will provide distilled water to refill their bottles.
- NO sharing of morning tea or lunches.
- If your child has the sniffles or feel unwell, keep them home or if they come to school they will be sent home immediately.
- We will remain vigilant about hygiene and cleaning. Wash and dry hands, cough into elbow and don't touch your face.
- There will be no assemblies during Alert Level 2.
- After School Care will be operating as usual until 5.20pm.
- Face covering at school is **NOT** mandatory but is on Public Transport.

Take special note of this message: "If a school or early learning service has a confirmed or probable case of Covid-19, they must close for 72 hours to allow contact tracing, and then potentially for a further 14 days."

We will take every precaution to keep your children safe and happy at school.

Due to the Alert Level 2 we have to postpone our Fiafia night. The restrictions at Alert Level 2 in Auckland state that we are not allowed gatherings larger than 10 people. This is a decision that is out of our control but rest assured we will try to organise something for term 4 with a focus on the rich cultures in the school. This is a part of who we are, a multicultural inner city school.

God bless you all and keep you safe.

Ngā mihi,



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