



Dear Parents/Caregivers

COVID-19

Over the weekend, you will have undoubtedly seen or heard about further changes taking place in regards to COVID-19 both at a Federal and State level.

At this stage, these changes do not directly impact us at the school. Communication from relevant authorities continues to be that schools will remain open.

However, in wanting to provide further measures to our students, staff and community around **minimising** and **preventing** transmission, we have made the following changes effective as of tomorrow.

As of tomorrow, we are suspending volunteers onsite. To that end, we have suspended Play Group, our Volunteer Program, practicum students (completing work placement for their course) and will be suspending Breakfast Club in the morning. Food will be available for students, through classroom teachers if required.

Additionally, in order to reduce the foot traffic in classrooms, we are asking parents/caregivers to drop their students off at wet area doors; classroom doors for Kindergarten and Pre-Primary.

I would like to acknowledge and thank our amazing volunteers and those completing their work placement with us for their understanding during this time.

Additionally, we are looking to set up Seesaw as a means of streamlining our communication between school and home. Please note, this app is free and can be downloaded from either the iTunes store or Google Play Store. In order to enrol your child/ren on Seesaw, we require your consent. Consent for this to occur, can be found at the bottom of the letter. Please could you sign and return the bottom of the letter to your child's classroom teacher as soon as possible.

It will take us some time to set up the app at school, as we have been notified of the high volume of school's purchasing and setting up Seesaw – given what is occurring worldwide.

At this stage, we are simply gaining consent for the app from our parents/caregivers and using this as an opportunity to let parents/caregivers know ahead of time that we are planning to make this change.

Once the app is up and running, we will inform parents/caregivers of how to connect to your child's classroom and classroom teacher.

Finally, the Department of Education has released a website with resources for students who are working from home. Parents/Caregivers may find this useful:

<https://www.education.wa.edu.au/learning-at-home>

Ben Jamieson
Principal
23 March 2020



Seesaw Consent Form

The following third party services are being used in our school. These services require us to share some personal information about your child and require you to provide consent for each service before we do so.

Please contact the school if you have any queries.

Name	Category	Information provided:	Terms of Use / Privacy Policy	Consent Status
Seesaw https://web.seesaw.me	Teaching and learning Communication	Information provided: Student name, student email, school, class details, school year, student work, profile or other photos and videos. How the information is used: A digital portfolio and communication platform that engages students and parents. Where the information is stored: USA	https://web.seesaw.me/privacy-policy https://web.seesaw.me/terms-of-service	<input type="checkbox"/> Consent <input type="checkbox"/> Do not Consent

I have read the terms of use and privacy policy for each of the websites listed. I understand that my child's personal information, as described above, will be provided to these third party service providers for the purpose of my child's education and that this information may be stored outside of Australia.

Parent/Guardian Name:	Student Name:
Date:	Student Year Level:
Signed:	