

## **Dear Parents and Families,**

This morning I received information from DET about arrangements for next term. In summary:

## From the start of term two all students who can learn from home, must learn at home.

The only exceptions are children on days when they are not able to be supervised at home and no other arrangements can be made. This will be available for children of parents who cannot work from home, and vulnerable children. I will provide further information about how we will identify students who meet these criteria and what process we will put in place to accommodate them.

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 myself but follow the teaching and learning program provided by their classroom teacher. Mrs Collins will be running the Grade 5/6 program.

It is going to be critical from now on that we work together and communicate well. We are all coping with many difficult changes, and I want to emphasise that the health and wellbeing of our students, our families and our staff is our top priority over the coming months.

Maintaining your child's learning progress is also important. The best way for parents to support a child's learning is to create the best possible physical space for them to study in, develop routines, and show positive interest in what they are doing.

I will continue to communicate with you regularly. I will provide regular opportunities for students, families and staff to provide feedback and suggestions for how we can improve our Home Learning Program. We will all learn together as we go.

## Arthur Lane

Principal