

Novel Coronavirus – COVID-19 Update: 14

Dear Parents/Guardians

Yesterday the Premier Mark McGowan and Education and Training Minister Sue Ellery announced that, after consultation with stakeholders and health experts, schools are to return to normal operations. This applies to both government and non-government schools and is effective from **Monday 18 May**. This means that school students are required back at school. For full details please refer to the [media statement](#) issued yesterday.

There are exceptions for students who are medically vulnerable or those who have a family member with chronic health issues. These students will be assessed and can continue to learn from home and will be supported by the College. Please contact your child's Head of Year if you have any concerns regarding school attendance or other issues regarding your child.

For Year 12 students, the 2020 ATAR course written exams will go ahead as scheduled from Monday 2 November. Whole school assemblies, camps, excursions (with some exceptions) and interschool activities will still not be permitted.

In our last update we talked about a variety of topics including curriculum matters and changes to assessments. Letters have been sent to all Year 11 and 12 students and families about the program for the remainder of the Term.

We continue to pray for continued improvement regarding the COVID-19 pandemic and know that the situation can change very quickly. Please be mindful of all the health advice which is generally available and adhere to the Health Department and Australian Government guidelines.

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