

Dear Parents/Caregivers

STUDENTS ATTENDING SCHOOL NEXT WEEK

I hope this email finds you well.

As per my letter yesterday and as per the instructions from the Premier, all schools in Queensland will be pupil free as of next week.

What this means is that there will be no school until further notice. However, we are envisaging that the College will begin lessons again as of the first day of next term which is Monday 20 April at this stage. We will keep you informed of any developments that may impact on that date.

This means that effective as of Monday, students will be on vacation.

We know that we have been asked to stay open so that 'essential workers' can continue with their jobs if they have no option for child supervision.

For this reason, we will be offering a rudimentary version of school, where students will be working from work set by their teacher. The work will not be assessed so there is no disadvantage to those students who will be on vacation.

Please note that students will need to wear College uniforms, they will need to bring their usual equipment for school such as stationery etc and particularly they must bring their school computer/iPad.

If you are intending to send your child to school next week please complete this form. If there is more than one child please complete one form per child.

<https://forms.gle/5c88ZdBuvfjbbMeH9>

Tuckshop

Our tuckshop will **not** be operating so please make sure your child brings food from home.

Helping Hands

Helping Hands will still be running for **before and after school only**.

Buses

GCC buses **will not run** next week. If you use another bus service, please check with them to find out their arrangements and stay up to date with any changes they may make.

Once again I would like to thank you so much for the cooperation that our GCC community has shown and the desire to make the best of a bad situation.

Warm regards

Mike Curtis
Principal