



COVID-19 UPDATE

20th March 2020

Dear Parents & Carers,

Thank you for your continued support during our COVID-19 journey. We have really appreciated the positive parent feedback and the acts of kindness demonstrated by families.

It is still business as usual at Pentland Primary School and at this stage, we remain open.

Schools have been provided with additional funding for cleaning. We have already implemented additional cleaning, however, our cleaning program will be further enhanced. This will involve increased disinfecting and detailed cleaning of the common touch points including washbasins, all entry and exit points and shared surfaces including chairs and desks/tables. All of the mentioned items will be cleaned at least twice daily.

If the school is closed we will continue to teach our students by either providing resources online or via work sent home. We are in constant communication with DET regarding the development of online learning and will advise you as we learn more.

SCHOOL BANKING:

Please see below for the advice from Commonwealth Bank suspending school banking till further notice.

The health, safety and wellbeing of our communities and our people is our first priority. Due to the rapidly developing situation with coronavirus, School Banking has been temporarily paused from 20 March 2020 until the start of Term 2. Please don't bring your deposit book with your weekly banking into school and we will notify you when banking will recommence.

SOCIAL DISTANCING:

It is essential that your child remains at home if they are displaying any of the following symptoms:

- Runny nose
- Sore throat
- Cough
- Fever

- Difficulty breathing

If any of these symptoms present at school, then you will be notified and asked to collect your child as soon as possible.

Can I thank you once again for your support during this unprecedented situation. If you have any questions then please do not hesitate to contact me on 5367 6080.

Kind regards,

Andrew Harrison

Principal