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IMPORTANT UPDATE FOR PARENTS.

Dear Parents,

I welcome you all back to school and look forward to a successful Term 3.

Today I received a new set of guidelines from Catholic Education Commission of Victoria for School Operations for Term 3.

This document provides our school with procedures and actions supporting schools during the COVID 19 outbreak. At present you may be aware our shire has not been placed in lockdown and our schools are to continue to provide quality learning in a safe and supportive environment.

To assist us with our schools operation I would ask that all parents, families and visitors to our school continue to practice the following:

- *Ensure social distancing when waiting for your child and / or when you pick them up from school.
- *No parents or visitor is to access the school. You are to ring the school and wait at the front gate to be attended to.
- *Ensure your child stays at home if they have any illness or flu like symptoms. Make sure you phone the school if this is the case.
- *Make sure you leave the school promptly after drop off or at the end of the day.
- *Ensure your child has their own drink bottle each day.
- *Access the school using the front gate if given permission, and enter using the office entry.

I thank you for your co operation and support in these uncertain times. A full copy of our CECV Operation Guide will be available on our school website.

Adrian Cheer

Principal