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Dear Parents/Carers,

Update on picking up your child's 'Learning from Home' pack

Thank you in advance for your support with the 'learning at home' situation that we find ourselves in once again. As previously mentioned, Department guidelines are asking for children that can be 'learning from home' do so, however, our school is open for families that need it. As all schools in the Greater Sydney area, please also remember that there will be limited staff onsite.

I would like to thank all my staff in advance for working so diligently in their holidays to ensure that these packs are ready for all our students.

The grade appropriate learning packs will be printed and individually packed for each student with their name and class. We have made the following arrangements for you to be able to pick up the learning packs for your children.

- Monday from 12:00pm – 2:00pm – drive through on Old Kent Road. You do not need to get out of your car, we will deliver to you. There will be 2 staff members stationed outside the gate.
- Monday from 2:30 – 4:00pm from the school's front gate. There is no need for you to come inside the school grounds. Buzz the office and let us know you are there and a staff member will bring the package out to you at the gate.
- Tuesday all day. The same as above. If you buzz at the gate, a staff member will bring the package out to you.

We understand that students and parents may have many questions. You are able to contact your child's class teacher through our Seesaw App. Teachers are available during school hours. Teachers will also endeavour to answer questions from parents and students after school but we ask that communication ceases from 4pm to allow teachers time to prepare lessons and importantly spend time with their families.

Your child's attendance will be marked as 'F' – flexible learning, if they are working from home. This is equivalent to being marked as 'present' if they were at school.

We kindly remind all parents that students should not attend school if unwell, even with mild symptoms of COVID-19. Any person with any COVID-19 symptoms should be sent home and should not return to school until they have received a negative test result and are symptom-free.

In circumstances where children have other medical reasons for recurrent symptoms, a letter from their GP is sufficient to negate the requirement for a negative test.

Please inform the school as soon as possible if your child's circumstances change at any time. Our success during this difficult time will depend on our collective effort as a whole school community.

Thank you for your continued support.

Androula Kavallaris
Principal