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COVID Update #25

Dear Parents and Caregivers

I hope you continue to be well and expect you have heard the news from the Premier that schools will re-open from Monday 23 November.

This means the resumption of normal classes for all of our students.

Please note that we are seeking clarification on some other aspects of the operation of other school activities, but for the time being the school, and our OSHC, will be open as normal on Monday morning (23rd Nov), from 6:45am for Before School Care and 8:30am for school. Please book using FullyBooked if you are planning on using the OSHC service for your child/ren.

Students should return to school with all the materials and equipment they took home last week

You may have read reports about masks and my understanding right now is that masks are not compulsory. Some people may choose to wear masks, especially when travelling, but there is no expectation that your child needs to wear a mask whilst at school.

I am pleased to tell you that excursions are back on! Please be on stand-by for further information from your child/ren's teacher/s about the specifics of each excursion. This is of course dependent on the excursion sites opening up to schools but we are hopeful that most, if not all sites will open up.

I am also pleased to tell you that we are going ahead with Sports Day, on Friday the 27th November. Unfortunately, we will not be able to have visitors on site but we are investigating ways to live stream the event so that you can still enjoy the action albeit, virtually. Stay tuned for more details on this, next week.

In the interests of maintaining the health and well-being of all students, staff and families, we will return to minimizing the number of visitors on site. I am asking all parents to leave their children at the gates in the morning and collect their children from the gates or Kiss and Drop, after school. I do recommend that people collecting students wear a mask, especially at the busy drop off and pick-up times.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact us by email, info@emmaus.catholic.edu.au or phone, 8322 7211.

Please keep safe and well in this time and I look forward to seeing you Monday.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Catherine Gurr".

Catherine Gurr
Principal
20th November 2020

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