



**Learning Excellence
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KELLYVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

“We are a vibrant and innovative learning community that is committed to delivering excellence within a rich and diverse learning environment. Every student has the opportunity to achieve their personal best through engaged, active learning in a safe, respectful and supportive school. Students will grow into global digital citizens.”

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Parental Communication 23/03/2020- 6pm

Dear Parents / Caregivers

In addition to the email sent earlier today, we would like to update a few things:

1/ All assessment tasks, including assignments, examinations, projects, performances etc due before the end of this term have been postponed for all Year groups (except Year 11 Advanced English due 24/03/2020 which is to be submitted online or emailed by 8.30am). They will be re-scheduled in Term Two- some may be modified to be suitable for online submission if required.

2/ In the next 48 hours, all the access codes for the various on-line platforms will be put up on Sentral Parent Portal. Please check the Sentral Parent Portal at least once a day as this will be our method of communication. Please be patient as we navigate this space and be aware that we are all working hard to support ongoing learning. Please also try to avoid calling the school as information is changing rapidly and we will use electronic media to keep you up to date.

3/ An announcement from NESA will be made by Wednesday giving specific advice to Stage 6. Until then Stage 6 students should continue with their studies as per normal. HSC students who are completing major works may attend school for their scheduled timetabled period. Students can only work on their Major projects in these time slots as teachers will be following their normal timetables. They must be in full school uniform when they are on the school premises.

4/ Both the uniform shop and the canteen will be closed for the rest of the term. Students will need to bring enough food and drinks for the day. The students have been told we will be enforcing social distancing at school, keeping a 1.5m radius between students, including at lunch time. We also will be limiting the number of students in a classroom space, and continuing to encourage hand washing practices.

5/ Parents should check out the following link:

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/teaching-and-learning/curriculum/learning-from-home>

It contains a wealth of information about Learning from Home- including a section of advice for parents and caregivers.

6/ All students who are not attending school should remain at their own home. Parents should ensure the students are not socializing with each other- they should not attend local shops or visit each other, practicing social distancing as advised by the Department of Health.

We appreciate your understanding in these difficult times.

Your sincerely

Jennifer Hawken

Relieving Principal