



Annesley Junior School

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Dear Annesley Community,

It is wonderful to have the majority of our community back on campus, playing in the Autumn leaves, developing core skills and being creative collaborators. Our playground is shining in the sun after a disinfectant and clean! There is a real buzz of excitement at Annesley, with 72% of our Primary students back on campus. We predict attendance to continue to increase as the week goes on. It was lovely to catch up with some parents as we 'social distanced' outside the school gate at the start of today. In line with the current Public Health advice, we encourage you to please send your children to school where able.

We are committed to minimising risk for the whole community and we continue to action a range of advice received from the Australian Health Protection Principal Committee (AHPPC). According to the AHPPC, '...the greatest risk of transmission in the school environment is between adults.' We are very much looking forward to the day where we can reduce the amount of restrictions with regards to parents and caregivers on campus but in the meantime, we are grateful for you putting the following into action.

- ELC; drop your child to their room, sign them in and minimise your time in their room and on our campus
- Reception; drop your child to the entrance of their learning space but **please refrain from entering the room** and minimise your time on our campus
- Years 1 – 7; utilise the 'Kiss and Drop' zone and only come on our campus if you have an **essential** need
- **Maintain physical distancing** from other parents and teachers when on campus
- If your child is sick, they **must not** come to school. You **must** keep them at home and away from others

The AHPPC have made it clear, '**...the more space between people, the harder it is for the virus to spread.**' Thank you in advance for doing your part to keep our community safe.

Kind regards,



LUKE RITCHIE
Principal

