



Students Returning to School

General Principles:

- If you are sick, you must stay at home
- You are required to 'keep your hands to yourself' and ensure you aren't close enough to any other person where you could feel their breath
- You will need to keep your spaces clean, and your hands clean
- Keep individual lunchboxes and drink bottles – no sharing

What will school be like?

- Good hygiene matters.
 - You are expected to follow good hygiene practices –wash and dry hands regularly, cough into your elbow, don't touch your face, and use hand sanitiser.
 - It is important that you do not share any food, drinks or equipment with others at school.
- On the way to the school or centre site:
 - If you are dropped off at school, or picked up, you'll need to do this at the top of the driveway (exceptions made for students with special needs and new entrants).
 - On the bus, keep the seats closest to the driver clear, use hand sanitiser.
 - At the end of the school day, bus students will line up in the designated space inside the gym.
- School will be similar to normal, but not the same.
 - You will need to sit in the same spot in each classroom used.
 - Students will need to observe 'keeping your hands to yourself' principles, and maintaining a distance between them and others so that they cannot feel each other's breath.
 - Activities at interval and lunchtime that involve physical contact will not be possible.
 - You will be asked to sanitise your hands, high touch equipment and work spaces at every transition during the school day.
 - There will be no sharing of lunch items or drink bottles. Drink bottles can be filled from water fountains, but you cannot drink directly from the fountain.
 - Playgrounds and shared playground equipment (like balls and skipping ropes) can be used. Hygiene practices will be expected.



- No students will be allowed off school site during the day (e.g. Y13 visits to 4Square).
- Singing, Assemblies and Kapa Haka will not be able to start initially.
- On days where you have PE, you may come to school wearing your PE uniform (to minimise crowding in changing rooms).

What to bring on the first day (go directly to your normal classroom or tutor class):

- The work you completed at home
- Your digital device (these will need sanitising on the first day)
- Your normal school stationery and equipment
- Lunchbox and drink bottle (filled)
- Optional: Personal supply of hand sanitiser

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