

## **IMPORTANT Information for Parents of Children returning to school under Covid19 Alert Level 3**

- You will be told what Pod your child will be in, including the room number they will be working from prior to Friday 03 September.
- Your child is to go to that room at 8.50am each morning to sign in. They will be released from that room at 2.55pm each day.
- You will be told which school gate you are to use to reduce pedestrian traffic (this is inline with physical distancing guidelines).
- **Children are not to be dropped at school before 8.50am as we cannot control the mixing of groups prior to that time.**
- Please do not linger at the school gate and always maintain the 2m distancing required of all outdoor activities under Level 3.
- School office will remain closed. Please call 439 7255, if you have any questions.
- At pick-up time, please maintain 2m distancing and return directly back to your vehicle via the appropriate school gate.

### ***We can only have children on site who have been registered and accepted from the return of the enrolment form.***

- There will be staff on site to ensure we have the ratio required, but not all staff will be at school. Staff still have to maintain their contact with all those children who are still engaged in Distance Learning in their homes.
- A roll will be taken in each bubble and we will be maintaining a record of contacts during the day.

### **The school day:**

- No child can attend school if them or someone in the home bubble has been in contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19 in the past 21 days;
- No child can attend school if they are unwell, especially if they show signs of headaches, sniffles, sore throat or a cough;
- Your child will be doing the same distance learning as the students who stay at home;
- Students will be in a bubble of 10, and will not be able to mix with anyone from another bubble - that includes staff;
- Bubbles will have different break times and will be strictly monitored as to where they play;
- There will be restricted use of equipment at school due to Health & Safety requirements;
- There will be a high level of hygiene practices, as outlined by the Ministry of Health (personal and environmental) so that your child will be as safe as possible at school;
- There will be no food sold at or through the school.
- You cannot send your child to school if he/she is unwell;
- You will be contacted if your child becomes unwell during the day and they must be removed from the school – so you will need to have an emergency contact;
- If a child presents negative behaviours, you will be contacted to come and pick them up.