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Dear Parents, Carers and Friends

As a school we pause to take a breath as we pensively await what is to come. At the end of the day, we go back to basics and really learn to value what is most important, that being our families, our friends, our health and our freedom.

The staff at St Joseph's have again worked above and beyond to an unprecedented level of intensity, in problem solving and being innovative to create a Home Learning Program that allows every family to stay connected to our school and to their child/ren's education. Right now, it seems that this will be how school looks at the start of term 2 but we will await the Government's Direction.

For now, I offer every family my fullest support in whatever way required. My staff are here to serve you well so please accept this invitation openly and willingly knowing the challenges that confront us across the board.

So

- If we return to school on April 14 then it's classes as normal OR
- If it's home learning, then we are organised and ready to serve you as best we can. The System to Distribute Individual Home Learning Packs will be communicated to you at Easter OR
- If it's Home Learning as well as the school being open for children of parents classed as Essential Workers (this definition is evolving) then we adapt our program and welcome these families willingly.

Otherwise, it's time to be disciplined in doing our bit for the greater good of all.

Live Life to the Fullest In Christ

Paul Arnel
Principal

What happens now ?

- We await instruction from the Government as to what Term 2 will look like
- You will receive an SMS from me to indicate this
- If it is Home Learning then you will receive an Easter SMS showing your time to visit school & pick up your pack

