



St James

Catholic Primary School, Brighton

Dear Parents,

No doubt you have heard Premier Dan Andrews' news this morning that Lockdown 5.0 will be extended till next Tuesday the 27th July. We will continue with our remote learning format for Year 3/4 as we have for the past 2 days. The children have made a great start to this week of remote learning and we are extremely proud of each child's efforts.

As always we ask that if you have any questions or concerns regarding the daily timetables etc. please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher. We acknowledge that it is an extremely trying time for adults as well as students. If we can provide any additional support or if you feel there is any information we need to know please contact your class teacher, Head of wellbeing Mrs McNamara or Mr Flanagan so we can support you. We are here to help.

We will continue to have a daily timetable of learning activities and lessons will be posted at 845am. In this daily timetable is where you will find the Google Meet link. Again there will be suggested times for the learning tasks, but children are welcome to complete them at their own pace or choose when to complete them in the day.

ALL learning activities are expected to be completed each day. There will be some additional work that is optional - which will say 'optional extras' in the timetable. This is particularly for families that have a student who works quite quickly or would like to do additional work.

If children can save work in their google folder or share it with us via email that would be wonderful, but as it is for such a short period of time we will look at their work and offer feedback when students return to school.

Each morning at **9:00am**, we will have a daily google meet. This will be held with their class teacher. The link will be posted on Google Classroom in the daily timetable. We will go over the set work for the day. We encourage all children to have read through the activities for the day before joining the meet so we can answer any questions they may have. At **11:30am** the teachers will be online again for the children to ask any questions and touch base. This second meet is optional, but we strongly encourage children to join. It is also a wonderful opportunity for us to provide your children with feedback about their work so far for the day.

Each remote learning day will look like this:

Time	Day
9-9:30am	Google Meet - all students must join to take the roll
9:30-10:15am	Reading
10:15-11am	Writing
11-11:30am	Break - Recess
11:30-11:45pm	Google Meet - check in - optional
11:45-12:30pm	Maths
12:30-12:45pm	Brain Break
12:45-1:30pm	Religion/Inquiry/STEM/ SEL

1:30pm

As outlined in the letters to parents, the afternoon is set aside for your children to play, create, read and more)

If there are any questions please email us and please remind your children that they can email us at any time:

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Take care and we will see you soon,

Sarah, Cathy, Mandi and Jess