

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> April, 2020

**Transition to Remote and Flexible Learning (COVID-19) - TERM 2**

Dear Parents and Carers,

As per the directive made to Victorian schools, by the Premier, in order to ensure physical distancing across the population and to **slow the spread of Coronavirus** (COVID-19), children in Victorian government schools will move to remote and flexible learning at the commencement of Term 2.

This means that from the start of term two

***“all students who CAN learn from home, MUST learn at home”.***

**The Term 2 Remote Learning Program will commence for all students on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> April, 2020.**

In **exceptional circumstances**, as defined by DET, schools will provide on-site supervision programs for students who have no adult to supervise them at home during regular school hours and for whom no other arrangements can be made for Term 2. On-site programs will also be provided for students deemed as vulnerable by the school and whose health and safety would be at risk without access to a suitable learning environment.

Available on our school’s website is :

- The Victorian and DET coronavirus (covid-19) information sheet: “Transition to REMOTE AND FLEXIBLE learning in Victorian government schools
- The Hume Valley School onsite attendance application form, if required to be submitted via the website.
- Technology support for learning from home, if required to be submitted via the website.
- Remote Learning Resources prepared for your son/daughter by their teachers.

From Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> April learning resources for term 2 will be forwarded, in paper form, to those students who do not yet have access to technology. New learning resources for all students will be emailed, available on the website or forwarded in hard copy to students each week. If you have any difficulty accessing the learning resources for your son or daughter please contact the school.

The social distancing and isolation measures put in place to date are working well and the co-operation of everyone in the community has been the basis for this.

With the educational program across the state being provided through remote learning in term 2 we will continue to ensure the health and safety of our students, their families and the community.

“Stay Safe.”

Kind regards,

**Diane Bassett**  
Principal

