



COVID-19 Moving to ALERT LEVEL 3 - 21 APRIL 2020

Kiaora, Malo e lelei, Talofa lava, Bula, Mabuhay, Annyeong, Ni hao,
Greetings to you all.

"Keep us, good Lord, under the shadow of your mercy in this time of uncertainty and distress. Sustain and support the anxious and fearful, and lift up all who are brought low; that we may rejoice in your comfort knowing that nothing can separate us from your love in Christ Jesus our Lord.
Amen"

Moving to ALERT LEVEL 3 - Students returning

Yesterday afternoon the Prime Minister announced that "New Zealand will move to Alert Level 3 at 11.59pm on Monday 27 April."

"The current plan is for schools to be able to re-open for a Teacher Only Day on 28 April as part of their preparation, and we expect those who need to attend, to be able to from 29 April."

"So here's a reminder of the principles for Level 3 when we get there. Stay home. If you are not at work, school, exercising or getting essentials, then you must be at home, the same as at Level 4.

Work and learn from home if you can. We still want the vast majority of people working from home, and children and young people learning from home. At-risk students should also stay at home, and they will be supported to do so. Early learning centres and schools will physically be open for up to Year 10 for families that need them."

THOSE ATTENDING SCHOOL WILL HAVE STRICT HYGIENE AND SOCIAL DISTANCES PRACTICES TO FOLLOW.

LEARNING WILL TAKE PLACE IN LEARNING BUBBLES THAT ARE NOT THEIR NORMAL CLASSES. FAMILY MEMBERS WILL BE TOGETHER. BREAK TIMES WILL BE STAGGERED.

LEARNING WILL NOT BE AS IT WAS PRIOR TO LOCK DOWN. STUDENTS AT SCHOOL WILL BE DOING THE DISTANCE LEARNING PROVIDED BY THEIR TEACHERS.

More information will follow.
We need to establish who will be returning to school at ALERT LEVEL 3 on Wednesday 29 April.

Please contact the admin@sjs.school.nz if your child/ren will be attending school during ALERT LEVEL 3

PLEASE NOTE:

- At ALERT LEVEL 3 SkiDs will NOT be open as per government guidelines.
- Strict school hours will be adhered to by both students and staff.

Be safe, Be kind
Carolyn Massey
PRINCIPAL

SUPPORT

This is a challenging time for many families – high stress levels, children at home, cut off from family and friends.

If you or anyone you know wants some advice or support over this time here are some options that might be useful.

Support services that remain open:

Womens Refuge 0800REFUGE

Shine 0508 744 633

Alcohol and Drug Helpline 0800 787 797

Oranga Tamariki call centre 0508FAMILY

CADS 09 845 1818

Narcotics Anonymous 0800 628 632

Alcoholics Anonymous 0800 229 6757

Lifeline 0800 543 354 or free text 4357

Youthline 0800 376 633

Samaritans 0800 726 666

Outline (LGBT) 0800 688 5463

Depression Helpline 0800 111 757

Suicide Prevention Helpline 0508 828 865

Work and Income services centres are closed, however you can apply for assistance via MyMSD or phone the contact centre on 0800 559 009.

If you need some assistance with food these food banks may be able to help out, ring first for instructions of how they are operating to ensure physical distancing:

Auckland City Mission, City 09 303 9200

Salvation Army Royal Oak 09 639 1103

Vinnies Auckland, Newton 09 815 6122 or 0800 6800

Hope Centre, New Lynn 02108048436

Vision West, Glen Eden (Mon, Wed, Fri only) 09 818 0716

**Be kind,
stay home,
save lives.**



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