

28 August 2020

Dear families of Green Bay School

We are looking forward to welcoming all our students and staff back at school on Monday following the return to Alert Level 2. There is no better place for conducive learning than in a classroom of students with a supportive teacher who can guide them in their learning, build positive relationships and ensure that all under their care, are safe. We want equitable outcomes for all students.

This has been a very difficult time for all of us, but we have hopefully come through. We would firstly like to thank all of you once again for your continued support. You are all valued and greatly appreciated.

As a school, we would like to thank the Board of Trustees for their ongoing support as well.

We would also like to acknowledge and thank all our staff for their contribution during this lockdown period and a big shout out to our staff who have delivered online lessons, as well as taking care of their own school aged children attending class from home.

Thank you also to all our parents who are essential workers – nurses, doctors, police, teachers, supermarket workers, construction workers etc., you have kept the country going. We salute you all.

We wish to advise that school has been thoroughly cleaned. All classrooms have been allocated hand sanitiser and all toilets have soap, water and hand towels. We will also be constantly educating our students on hygiene for hand washing and sneezing. This will be done at every opportunity throughout the school day, to align with what all families will also be practising at home.

The official NZ COVID QR Tracer Posters are at the entrance to every gate at our school. Please use them.

Please find attached our Level 2 Parent Protocols. We ask that you have a good read and familiarise yourself with them as our school is a safer environment if they are adhered to by our parents and caregivers.

We will continue to update you as we receive further information.

In the meantime, stay safe and be kind always.

Arohanui

He whānau kotahi tātou - We are one family



Anand Muthoo

Principal

Green Bay School