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Dear Students and Parents/Carers,

Providing students with belonging, connection and engagement in learning will remain as our highest priority during this lockdown period.

This communication is to clearly outline the key information and expectations regarding access to learning for all students during lockdown.

General Information

- For the duration of the lockdown the **Berri Campus will be closed**
- Children of essential workers and vulnerable students are welcome to attend school at the Glossop Campus, where we will have a small number of staff working
- The school bus service will still be fully operational to support the attendance of children of essential workers and vulnerable students. Berri campus students with siblings who catch a bus to Glossop can catch the bus from their siblings stop. Students who walk to school can be transported from Berri campus to Glossop campus. Please ensure you are at the Berri campus by 8:15am to catch a transferring bus.
- The school canteen will be closed during this time, students attending the site will need to bring sufficient food for each day

Student Attendance

Attendance matters!

Whether we are business as usual or flipped to online learning the attendance of students to their learning is paramount for continued success in student's educational growth, and personal health and wellbeing.

- **Attendance of Students at School** – Children of essential workers or vulnerable students are still able to attend school at the Glossop Campus. Students are asked to present to the Glossop Campus Library on their arrival for further instruction and support.
- **Attendance of Students online** – All other students who are not attending onsite will be required to attend all lessons online through Daymap. Student's attendance will be marked for each lesson by their subject teacher. Students are asked to sign in to each lesson by contacting their teacher through Daymap messages.

If your child is unable to engage in learning onsite or from home please contact the Glossop Campus on 08 8583 2004 to report this absence.

Engaging with Learning

Our School's timetable will remain unchanged during this lockdown. All students will be provided explicit instructions on their learning through the use of Daymap and facilitated at times with Microsoft Teams. Students are expected to engage with each lesson during their normal timetable period by:

- Being active on Daymap throughout the lesson
- Signing in your attendance with your class teacher each lesson through the use of Daymap messages
- Engage in learning content provided through Daymap
- Where possible, engage with online teams meetings specifically set by individual teachers
- Communicate learning questions or concerns with teachers through Daymap or email

If your child does not have access to either a computer or the internet during this time, please contact the Glossop Campus as a priority to ensure that your child does not miss important learning opportunities.

ICT Support

We understand that sometimes there are ICT issues which can create barriers to accessing learning. Our Friendly ICT team will still be fully operational during this time and can be contacted in two ways.

- Students can use their Education email to send an ICT request to ICT.Helpdesk525@schools.sa.edu.au
- Students and Parents/Carers may call the Glossop Campus on 08 8583 2004 and select number 3 to speak directly to ICT support

Additionally there is a range of how to guides for Students and Parents/Carers on accessing Daymap and Microsoft Teams. These are included as separate attachments to this correspondence.

Wellbeing Support

We will be continuing to provide wellbeing support to all students who may need this throughout the lockdown period. Our wellbeing team consisting of Donna Safralidis, Matt Lang and Kirralee Jury will be onsite and can be contacted through the Glossop Campus on 08 8583 2004 or by Daymap message.

We are here to assist and support our schooling community in any way that we can, please contact us if you need our assistance.

Take care and stay safe.

Kind Regards



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