

Supervised learning at school



# Central News

## Lockhart Central School



**Learning at LCS**

School will resume for everyone on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May.

Since this announcement Lockhart Central School has been working hard to ensure that this return to classroom teaching complies with Australian Health Protection Principal Committee (AHPPC) Guidelines and is in line with advice from the NSW Government.

To ensure we meet Government health advice, **only students and essential staff allowed on school grounds** and staff must engage in social distancing when on site. If you are picking up or dropping off your child we ask **that you do not enter the school grounds** and support us to maintain social distancing at all times and comply with any requests from our staff to ensure the safety of our school community.

This return to face to face teaching is essential for all students except for those who are still unable to return under health guidelines. If you, or your children, **are prevented from returning to school** for health reasons please contact Janine Dunne to establish the best way to support you. For all other students, school resumes on the 25<sup>th</sup> of May and they are expected to attend.

Additional cleaning arrangements and resources have been supplied to help ensure a safe environment for staff and students. Students will also be required to **undertake regular hand washing and sanitising** as part of daily routines.

If **unwell staff and students are not allowed on-site**. Please keep your children at home if unwell. If they are unwell they should not be visiting other people or around town. Stay at home.

For students return next week please take note of the following:

- Only the **front gate will be open** for drop off and pick up.
- All students are to **stay on site** all day.
- **No lunch passes** will be available so PLEASE SEND enough food for them for the day. **No food/drink deliveries** will be allowed during the day either.
- Bubblers are not available so your children will need to **bring a drink bottle**.
- All **secondary** students **must bring their laptop** each day and take it home every night. Please ensure that they **pack their chargers** as there are no spare chargers at school.
- Students will be **allocated one classroom** for the day.

I thank you all for your support during this transition. The Lockhart Central School Community have been fantastic and I thank you all for your on-going understanding. We are all looking forward to having everyone back, although this return will be different to our pre-COVID school. As the weeks go by we will continually try to put procedures in place to ensure that students can slowly return to most usual on-site school activities throughout the day.

**Janine Dunne**  
Principal



**SPECIAL REPORT:****Coronavirus - The Transition Back**

As lockdown restrictions are slowly being lifted to varying degrees, we enter a time of transition and adjustment. The circumstances of this situation have significantly impacted us all. For some it has been an opportunity to reflect on what is important, whilst others have embraced the opportunity to learn new things.

Many young people may be excited at the prospect of restrictions being lifted; others may feel mixed emotions. Reactions will differ depending on how well they cope with stress and change. Keeping a check on your child's mental health and wellbeing as they adjust to new routines, will be vitally important.

There is still a lot of uncertainty ahead of us, so focusing on the things you can control or enjoy doing or even value, can help establish predictability and familiarity for the whole family. Adult carers need to provide young

people with reassurance by acknowledging any concerns and fears they may have at this time. Consider this to be a normal reaction, however it may be best to focus more on their feelings and emotions, rather than the practicalities at this stage.

In this Special Report, we share a few ideas to help ease this time of transition and adjustment. We hope you take time to reflect on the information offered in this Special Report, and as always, we welcome your feedback.

If you do have any concerns about the wellbeing of your child, please contact the school for further information or seek medical or professional help.

Here is the link to your special report  
[https://lockhart-c.schools.nsw.schooltv.me/wellbeing\\_news/special-report-coronavirus-transition-back](https://lockhart-c.schools.nsw.schooltv.me/wellbeing_news/special-report-coronavirus-transition-back)

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**Term 2****Week 5 onwards**

School open.

All students expected to attend everyday

Please contact the school if your child needs to stay home due to illness.

**Week 10**

3<sup>rd</sup> July – Last day of Term 2

**Secondary Assessment Tasks - TERM 2****Year 12**

**Week 5:** English Standard, English Advanced, SLR, Food Technology

**Week 7:** Business Studies, Modern History, Maths Standard 1

**Week 9:** Ancient History, English Studies, Agriculture

**Week 10:** English Advanced, English Standard, Biology, Maths Standard 2,

**Year 11**

**Week 5:** SLR

**Week 6:** Agriculture, Photography

**Week 8:** Aboriginal Studies, Food Technology, Visual Arts, English Advanced

**Week 9:** Maths Advanced, Maths Standard, Modern History, Visual Design, English Studies

**Week 10:** Ancient History, PDHPE, Society & Culture, SDD, Eng Standard

**Year 9 &10**

**Week 5:** Visual Art, PDHPE, PASS, English,

**Week 6:** History

**Year 7 & 8**

**Week 4:** Technology Mandatory

**Week 5:** PDHPE, History

**Week 8:** Music

**Week 10:** Science

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