

18 March 2020

Dear Parents/Carers

As a NSW Public School we follow all guidelines as set out by the Department of Education. Melrose Park PS is fully operational and teaching students face to face with measures in place to meet student safety as set out by the Department of Health.

To ensure continuity of learning, schools have been directed to set up a learning platform for all students if in the case that the NSW DoE makes the decision to close schools. This afternoon teachers will begin work to develop this learning package. We understand that not all students have online access.

In the meantime, teachers distributed their term one overview to their classes at the beginning of the term. This will give parents an indication of learning they can continue at home.

Students have their Snapshots of Learning/ Home Learning worksheets that have gone home on a weekly basis. Revise activities previously completed.

Students have access to the online subscription to:

- Mathematics
- Reading Eggs
- Typing Tournament

Please ensure your child has their password and is able to log on. Students are able to use these online subscriptions to work on numeracy and literacy activities.

I am sure you have many books at home, cards games, craft supplies and magazines that can be used to create collages and art works. Together, I hope you can both read a recipe and cook some delicious food.

Planned events for the coming weeks

Date	Event	Action
Wednesdays	School Banking	Cancelled for remainder of Term – as advised by Commonwealth Bank
Wednesdays & Fridays	Kick Start Cafe	Cancelled for remainder of Term – as advised by Kick Start Café. All orders placed for Friday 20/3 will be provided.
Thursday 7 May	Melrose Park Community Cup Golf Day & Dinner	Cancelled

We will continue to update you on a regular basis via our Skoolbag App.

Regards
Clare Kristensen
Principal