



Friday 24 April 2020

Good afternoon families,

Thank you for your continued support for the school community during these lengthening times of uncertainty surrounding the COVID-19 virus.

As South Australian schools prepare for the commencement of Term 2 next week, our desire at this time is to bring some level of clarity and certainty over those areas for which the College is responsible.

Term 2 – Weeks 1 to 3 - Online Learning continues

In line with the directives outlined in our communication at the end of Term 1, Temple Christian College will continue with its **Online Learning program and Online Timetable** for all subjects and all year levels during the first 3 weeks of Term 2.

All students will engage with the Online Learning model primarily through SEQTA, and will be enhanced by additional technologies as deemed suitable by each classroom teacher.

This will enable us to continue to provide the best possible learning opportunities for all students, those working from home, as well as those who need to attend the school premises.

Important Note: Whilst all students are currently encouraged to participate from home, we support families that will need to have their children attend onsite. Staff supervision will be provided in a classroom for students needing to engage with Online Learning program here at the school. Students attending onsite, will need to wear their full winter uniform.

Term 2 – Weeks 4 to Week 10 to be decided

By the end of Week 2, the school leadership Team will make a full assessment of all factors surrounding the management of the Coronavirus Pandemic and will decide as to the context of learning that will take place from Week 4 of Term 2.

All families will be advised as to the outcome of this review by early Week 3, so as to provide adequate time for preparation, should regular face to face teaching re-commence.

Whilst it is still too soon to tell, we are considering the very real possibility that we can resume face to face learning from within the school premises from Week 4 of Term 2.



The Online Learning program

With regards to the Online Learning Program and Timetable, all of the relevant information that you need to know has been added to Temple Christian College Website. To access this information please visit your campus website home page [Marion Middle School](#) and click on the Online Learning Advert or find the [Online Learning page](#) within the Education Menu.

There have been a number of important changes that have been made to support the **Online Learning Program** which you will need to consider. These include:

- The Online Learning timetable
- Change to Student Absentee notifications
- Introduction of specific Online Learning procedures & expectations for parents and students

Important Parent Survey

In order to prepare for staff supervision for students who will be engaging with the Online Learning program from within the school premises, we are asking all parents to complete a simple questionnaire as attached as soon as possible.

Click on the link below to complete the Online Learning – Term 2 School Attendance Survey

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=97BGvk33KkynCbTele3xGiksZI8_70BHp1PANeqljWVUMDkyVUU3SUs5UzBUNEpHTUVMUkVaNTNNNy4u

Term 2 – Summary of Key Points

- Term 2 will commence on Tuesday 28th utilising the Online Learning Program for Weeks 1,2 and 3
- No face to face teaching will take place during Week 1, 2 and 3
- All students are encouraged to engage with online learning from home during Weeks 1, 2 & 3
- Staff supervision will be provided for students who attend the school premises during Weeks 1, 2 & 3
- Leadership will advise all families during Week 3 the format of teaching that will be taking place from Week 4

We thank you again for your continuous support and look forward to keeping you up to date as the term unfolds.

Yours in Christ

Principal