

17 August 2020

Kia ora koutou

You will now be adjusting to a further period of Alert Level 3 and working through the impacts this will have for your family and whanau. It is pleasing to see how New Zealanders are responding to this latest outbreak by getting tested if unwell, and staying home.

Requirements at Alert Level 3

While most of us are familiar with requirements at Alert Level 3, we will continue to emphasise the importance of:

- Good hand hygiene and cough and sneeze etiquette
- Staying away if sick
- Keeping an appropriate physical distance from others
- Cleaning and disinfecting our high touch surfaces daily
- Staying in our bubbles whether at home or in school
- Displaying QR code posters at our entrances and encouraging all of our community to download the NZ COVID Tracer App and use it if they come on-site
- Keeping a visitor register for anyone who cannot use the app and for other essential visitors

We know all these things will help to keep our community as safe as possible. Because of these measures being in place, your child does not need to wear a face covering while at school.

Distance Learning Support

Devices

We will be redistributing the Ministry of Education supplied devices back to the students that returned them over the last couple of weeks as requested.

Therefore, if your child was supplied a MoE device during COVID-19 Lockdown -Round 1 you will be able to come and collect this from the school at the beginning of this week.

Collection dates and times for devices from Otahuhu Intermediate are:

Monday 17 August 2020

12.00pm – 3.00pm

Tuesday 18 August 2020

9.00am - 12.00pm

Wednesday 19 August 2020

9.00am - 12.00pm

When you enter the school, please do not get out of your vehicle. A staff member will come to your vehicle and give you your child's device and get you to sign for it.