



MESSAGE FROM PRINCIPAL—21 April 2020.

Kia ora koutou

We hope your children's Home learning has gone well since Term 2 started on Wednesday last week. There have been some challenges for us all.

As you will have heard on the news yesterday, the Government decided to move to Alert Level 3 as from Tuesday next week.

SCHOOL OPEN--our school will be open only for students who **NEED** to attend. The Government are asking parents to keep their children at home in their safe bubble if possible. If your child has a health condition they will be at greater risk so you must keep them at home.

So that all children and staff are safe we will be operating with strict enforcement of health and safety measures. Our teachers will be contacting you in the next 2 days to ask if your child NEEDS to come to school as from Wed 29th April, this will be only for parents being essential workers and have no home carer. If this is so, your child will be enrolled in a Level 3 School register and only the child you list will be able to come to school every day. FOR THE NEXT 2 WEEKS OR SO NO OTHER CHILD CAN BE ADDED TO THE SCHOOL BUBBLE.

There will not be any Out of School Care programme or Study Centre. We are guided by the Public Health requirements.

For now we will continue to support your child's learning by distance for students with devices and will provide more hard material packs next week after we open, for those without devices, who will not be coming to school. Just let your teacher know if you need to collect packs from the office. We may be able to deliver locally.

Remember your home bubble is the safest place for your child if possible.

Noho ora mai , Malo aupito, Manuia le aso. Mauri.

Shirley Maihi---Principal

