

Monday 19 April 2021

Dear Families and Friends of Geelong Grammar School,

COVID-19 (Novel Coronavirus) - Update #14 as at 1.00pm on Monday 19 April

We are buoyed by the low number of locally acquired cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) within Australia. There have been no locally acquired COVID cases in Victoria for 52 days and all areas of Australia are now green zones under Victoria's 'traffic light' travel permit system. Please note that as per government requirements, all students returning to Victoria for the start of Term 2 from green zones still require a permit to enter Victoria; this information supports the speed of Victoria's response should the public health situation in any location change. Permits can be obtained at <u>Service Victoria</u>. For more information on Victoria's travel permit system, visit <u>Victorian Travel Permit System</u>.

Risk Mitigation

We will continue to take a highly precautionary approach and prioritise the health, safety and wellbeing of our students and staff as we evolve our wide-reaching risk mitigation steps in response to COVID-19. These measures will be campus-specific and will include an emphasis on spatial distancing, excellent hygiene practices and the completion of our Daily COVID-19 Health Questionnaire.

As ever, the School will communicate swiftly and accurately with our community if the COVID-19 situation evolves. As such, the <u>COVID-19 page</u> of the School website will be refreshed as required; we encourage you to check this site and thank you for continuing to direct all COVID-19 related queries to <u>C19questions@ggs.vic.edu.au</u>.

Yours sincerely,

- Coc Rebecca Cody Principal