



EMPOWERING YOUNG MINDS

25 October, 2021

Dear Parents

**RE: Return to School – Victorian Roadmap Update**

We are very excited to share that following the vaccination targets in Victoria, Premier Andrews announced yesterday that the staged return to onsite learning is being brought forward, with all onsite schooling at Oakleigh Grammar to commence **full time from Wednesday 3 November, 2021.**

All Oakleigh Grammar students from ELC to Year 11 will return to onsite learning from Wednesday 3 November, 2021, joining regional Victorian students who returned to onsite learning on Friday 22 October, 2021. The earlier return of students to full-time onsite learning is great news for our School community and families.

In line with the Government's announcement, our ELC will welcome **all students** (whether parents are vaccinated or not) from Wednesday, 3 November, 2021.

This means that interschool sport, excursions, school assemblies, music, singing and performances will be able to take place (in line with the community settings and vaccination requirements).

Face masks will not be required outdoors by teachers or school students but will remain an important part of our classrooms and in the community for the time being.

We will continue to encourage students to remain safe and practise good COVIDsafe behaviours for the remainder of term four.

Ahead of students resuming full-time onsite learning from Wednesday 3 November, Oakleigh Grammar will continue to provide onsite learning in line with the staged reopening plan. Students who were previously eligible for onsite supervision and care as children of authorised workers, or children experiencing vulnerability can continue attending onsite learning.

Please note, Oakleigh Grammar confirms that Monday 1 November and Tuesday 2 November are student free days.

While authorised worker permits are no longer required for onsite supervision and care, they should still be provided for those who were previously considered authorised workers until all year levels are back on campus.

Thank you again for your support during what has been a challenging time for all of us. I very much look forward to welcoming all of our students back to on-campus learning full-time next week.

Yours sincerely

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