



PARENT BRIEFING #6 TERM TWO

Dear Parents and Caregivers

A warm welcome to Term Two! I hope you have had plenty of opportunities to spend quality time with families and friends over the Easter break. Our prayers continue to be with our students, families and colleagues who have been affected by Cyclone Seroja and we thank God, that in spite of the devastation, no injuries have been endured but we will however have families and staff members, whose lives have been significantly impacted.

We welcome the recent COVID-19 announcements that have included the following information:

COVID-19 venue capacity

Venue capacity changes were announced on Friday 9 April and came into effect at 12.01am, on Saturday 10 April 2021.

The following school-based indoor and outdoor venues will be ale to move to 100% of the **fixed seating** capacity:

- auditoriums
- amphitheatre
- theatres
- performing arts centre

Places of worship will be able to have 100% of capacity of a space being used for formal worship.

The two square metre rule will continue to apply to all other venues and facilities with a mixture of seated and standing areas, unfixed seating or standing alone.

The full media statement on the COVID-19 changes can be read here: <u>WA Premier's Media Announcement.</u> <u>Friday, 9 April 2021</u>

With the information contained in the Premier's Media Announcement on Friday, parents and carers will at last be able to move freely around the school and enter their child's classrooms and other learning areas such as the Library. While this advice is welcomed and will be appreciated by our school community, it is also a timely reminder that we must continue to strictly follow COVID-safe principles. Please note the important information below:

All parent and visitors entering the school grounds and classrooms <u>must scan</u> the SafeWA QR code positioned at entry gates and again outside individual classrooms, if you enter classrooms before the bell sounds to begin the school day. <u>It is extremely important in the event of any future outbreaks that all parents and carers consistently scan the class specific QR Code before entering your child's classroom or any other enclosed learning area. The QR Codes will be positioned at the main classroom doors and windows so please only enter the classrooms from the main door. Please make sure you use the hand sanitiser provided, just inside the entry door, before entering the classrooms. I thank you for your consideration of all community members by strictly following COVID-safe protocols.</u>

Yours sincerely

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