



## 2020 School Closure (Covid - 19) Expectations for Students Working online from home

**Key communication** will be via Google Classroom and gmail.

We are making the transition to providing our programmes of learning 100% online until the end of the lockdown - expected at this time to be 22 April, 2020.

We want to emphasize that during this time, we will be offering a modified online timetable. This is **NOT** going to be the usual school timetable being done at home. We don't think this is sustainable nor good for your wellbeing. We have reduced the scheduled time slots and the teachers are modifying their programmes to concentrate on the essential learning during this time.

There will be a new timetable for this online learning, starting **TERM 2 - WED APRIL 15**  
We will be building in Atawhai time, House meetings, time for Student Activities to give you opportunities to connect to your wider groups.

There will be **4 one hour learning slots per day** - some of these will be scheduled classes and others will be independent learning.

Timeslots	What's on each day.
9.00 - 9.30	Student engagement activities
9.30 - 10.30	Online learning slot
11.00 - 12.00	Online learning slot
1.00 - 2.00	Online learning slot
2.30 - 3.30	Online learning slot

**Y11-13 students:** You will have 2 scheduled learning slots per week for each option class that you are normally timetabled for. This includes your RES classes.

**Y9-10 students:** You will have 2 scheduled learning slots per week for English, Maths, Social Studies, Science, Religious Studies.

You will have one scheduled online learning slot for each of your option subjects (Music, Art, Drama, Technology, Business Studies, French, Chinese, Te Reo, PE)

**Y7-8 students:** you will have two Core Learning Class slots per day where your CLG will be providing a learning programme for you.



When you are scheduled for an online learning slot, you will be expected to be online and participate in the lesson.

Independent learning slots are for you to work on the learning that has been set by your teacher in your Google Classroom. You might like to use google hangouts in this time to collaborate with other students.

The new online timetable will be available, via the Kamar portal, in the week before Term 2 begins. **Term 2 starts on Wednesday, April 15**

**Online etiquette:** remember when you are participating in Google hangouts and are visible on screen you need to be dressed appropriately. You are not expected to be in school uniform but not in your pjs please! Also make sure you have checked what is in the background of the screen to protect your privacy. Also note that if online and your video is buffering, you can switch to just audio.

We are setting up online services to support your wellbeing and learning. Further information will be sent to you.

If you have any problems with your learning, please make contact with your online subject teachers.

### **Contact Information**

General queries → contact your Atawhai teacher via email.

Concerned about your subject learning → contact your subject teacher via email.

Concerned about your wellbeing → contact your dean

Concerned about your Health contact Healthline:

- Coronavirus related 0800 358 5453
- General Health related 0800 611 116

Any further questions, Ms Allen is at her keyboard and can be reached via email [callen@carmel.school.nz](mailto:callen@carmel.school.nz).