



## FROM THE PRINCIPAL

**COVID-19 Update:** On Friday a note was sent home outlining the Department for Education's current stance on COVID-19 (Coronavirus) in schools. To recap:

### Site closures:

In the event of a confirmed case, the site will be closed for a minimum of 24 hours and we will contact you to come and collect your child immediately. The site will be subjected to a thorough clean and will only reopen on the advice of health experts and when it is safe to do so.

### Current advice on self-isolation and staying at home:

The Department for Education has issued the following in line with the latest Commonwealth advice:

- Any child, student or staff member who arrives in Australia from an international flight from midnight 15th March are required to self-isolate for 14 days.
- Any child, student or staff member who thinks they may have been in close contact with a confirmed case of coronavirus are required to self-isolate for 14 days.

### Hygiene standards:

Personal hygiene and the hygiene standards in our school are critical to reducing the risk of infection and SA Health has asked that children are encouraged to:

- Wash their hands regularly, particularly after using the toilet and before eating
- Avoid spreading infections to others by staying home if they are unwell
- Cover a cough or sneeze with a tissue or into your elbow

## IF YOUR CHILD IS UNWELL THEY SHOULD REMAIN AT HOME UNTIL SYMPTOMS RESOLVE

We are endeavouring to keep the highest standards of hygiene possible in the school, however we are struggling to obtain anti-bacterial wipes. If you are able to provide a packet (**not baby wipes**) to the school we will be eternally grateful. If you provide a receipt (with **only the anti-bacterial wipes listed**) we will be able to reimburse you within 24 hours.

**Danielle Green – Principal**

## REMINDERS

**END OF TERM**  
**THURSDAY 9TH APRIL**  
**EARLY DISMISSAL**  
**2PM**

## LEADERSHIP

### Principal

Danielle Green

### Student Wellbeing Leader

Vanessa Holloway

### Student Support Co-ordinator

Christine Isemonger

### Curriculum & Wellbeing Co-ordinator

Anthony McIver

## BIRTHDAYS



Joseph	Irfan
Declan A	Emily-Rose
Elliott	Lakena
Barry	Mia
Jessica E	Imogene
Sigh	Jade
Jaxson W	Franck
Duncan	Thomas
Yada	Tyler R
Oscar	Fiona
Josh	Asher



# ELIZABETH SOUTH PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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## D1

This term we've been looking at ways to make our learning visible so that we can show a really deep understanding of the topics we are covering in class. We've been using Harvard Visible Thinking strategies in HASS and Literacy to help build a culture of thinking in our classroom.



## HAND WASHING

### Use Hand Sanitiser When You Can't Use Soap and Water

You can use an alcohol-based hand sanitiser that contains at least 60% alcohol if soap and water are not available.

Washing hands with soap and water is the best way to get rid of germs in most situations. If soap and water are not readily available, you can use an alcohol-based [hand sanitiser](#) that contains at least 60% alcohol.

**Sanitisers can quickly reduce the number of germs on hands in many situations. However,**

- Sanitisers do **not** get rid of all types of germs.
- Hand sanitisers may not be as effective when hands are visibly dirty or greasy.

### How to use hand sanitiser

- Apply the gel product to the palm of one hand (read the label to learn the correct amount).
- Rub your hands together.
- Rub the gel over all the surfaces of your hands and fingers until your hands are dry. This should take around 20 seconds.



5 STEPS TO CLEAN HANDS



**WET**  
your hands with running water



**SOAP**  
your hands and lather well



**WASH**  
your hands for 20 seconds, including the front and back of your hands, your wrists, between your fingers and under your finger nails



**RINSE**  
your hands well under running water



**DRY**  
your hands with a disposable paper towel or air dryer

