



**Emmaus Catholic Parish Primary School Sydenham**

Emmaus Catholic Parish Primary School has a commitment to the care, safety and wellbeing of children.

Thursday, March 25 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

As you know, the intended start date for Term 2, 2020 for students is Wednesday, April 15, 2020. However, due to the current situation, we may be required to switch to home learning. We will notify you if this is the case.

We would like to assure you that Emmaus has now set up a home learning system for Prep to 6 using Google Apps for Education, Gmail and Hapara (Online Learning System- Year 5s and 6s already use this). We have had some families testing the system over the last few days and all seems to be working well. Teachers will be able to contact you next Term and advise you of how to log your children into the system. We will also provide online tutorials and further details at the commencement of Term 2 if need be.

All parent emails have now been added to the "Emmaus Parents" group email. There have been some emails that have "bounced" and we have had some issues with the "Hotmail" email addresses.

I would like to recommend that if you have a "Hotmail" email and/or are not receiving any group emails that you could sign up for a free Gmail account. Once you have updated your email address you can email at : [laura.chamberlain@emsydenham.catholic.edu.au](mailto:laura.chamberlain@emsydenham.catholic.edu.au) and you will be added to the Emmaus Group.

You can sign up for free Gmail by clicking on the link and following the prompts.  
<https://support.google.com/mail/answer/56256?hl=en>

Wishing you a safe term break.  
Thank you for your continued support,  
Laura Chamberlain

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