



## Emmaus Catholic Parish Primary School Sydenham

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

Tuesday, April 7 2020.

Dear Parents and Carers,

I really hope this email finds you and your loved ones well during these tumultuous times. I know these Easter holidays have been very different for everyone but I hope you have been able to enjoy some family time together.

We have received an update from the CECV this afternoon explaining that on advice from the Victorian Chief Health Officer all Victorian schools are required to transition to remote and flexible learning arrangements for Term 2.

As we act to slow the spread of coronavirus, it has been recommended to us by the government and CECV (Catholic Education Commission of Victoria) to communicate to students and parents that all children who can learn at home **must** learn from home.

Schools are able to make exceptions for children of parents who cannot work from home and vulnerable children.

We are waiting on details to be sent from CECV over the next few days. As soon as we have more details we will let you know.

The teachers worked very hard over the last few weeks of term and particularly in the last week of term to prepare remote and flexible learning arrangements for your children. We ask for your patience while we work out the finer details.

As was the case last term, learning still does not begin for students until Wednesday, 15th April.

This is a challenging time for everyone, but together we will manage it.

Take care over the next few days.

Stay safe,

Jackie