

Dear parents and carers

The Chief Minister has announced that remote learning will continue for the remainder of Term 3, which ends on Friday 17 September. A decision about learning in Term 4 will be made and communicated to families by the end of Week 1 of the holidays (Friday 24 September).

Families should continue to keep their children at home for the rest of Term 3. All ACT public schools will remain open for children of parents who cannot work from home and vulnerable children. Transport is also available for these students. All students aged 12 and older attending school for supervised remote learning are required to wear masks.

During this extended period of remote learning, students can expect daily check-ins and structured lessons, direct teaching and time to complete learning tasks, and online collaboration with their peers. Please continue to encourage your child to include physical or creative tasks in their day.

To assist parents, carers and the broader school community, frequently asked questions and other information including Home Learning Resources by year level is available on the Education Directorate [web site](#).

I'd also like to acknowledge the strength of our school community. This has been a challenging period for our families and students, and I thank you for your continued support of each other. Please contact us if your child is struggling with remote learning.

Please also regularly check the latest advice from ACT Health at [Home - COVID-19 \(act.gov.au\)](#), and more information continues to be available from ACT Health social media channels.

Students and families will receive a new timetable for home learning for weeks 9 and 10 in tomorrow's email.

Kind regards,



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