

24th April 2020

Dear students and families,

## Re: New Information for Parents and Carers

There have been continual updates in the media describing what Term 2 will look like for our students, teachers and their families. It is vital that all members of our school community are informed regarding any development in how Warrawong High School will operate in the context of COVID-19.

The Premier and Minister for Education have announced a phased operating model for NSW schools during COVID-19. The new model will see students being reintroduced to some face-to-face learning on campus starting from Week 3.

After two staff development days on Monday 27th and Tuesday 28th April 2020. Term 2 will begin with the majority of Warrawong High school students learning from home. Warrawong High school will be open and operational from Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> April, for students that need to attend but where practical, parents are encouraged to keep their children at home.

Teachers will continue to plan the same learning for students at school and at home with the new learning resources available for students available from the school office from 9am Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May. Students will be able to return their previous booklets at this time for marking.

Beginning Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May, (Week Three of Term 2), we will begin a managed return to school whereby school students will be rostered on to attend Warrawong High one (1) day per week.

Detailed information on the new model and operational changes will be provided to parents and students before Week 3 of Term 2 begins. Warrawong High School will continue to advise you of the plan for this phased process of students returning via the schools communication platforms including website, school app and Facebook.

Please contact the school if you require any further clarification.

Yours sincerely,

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