

Good Afternoon Parents/Carers

As you are all aware advice is being updated every day regarding COVID-19. The best way that we can assist our school community is to keep up to date by visiting the WA Health Department website. At school we will ensure that healthy practices are put in place. If any child attends school with flu-like symptoms parents/carers will be contacted www.healthywa.wa.gov.au/coronavirus . The Department of Education is taking all its advice from them and then passing on information to Principals and Schools. The most important information that I can give you now is:

- If you have travelled to or transited through other countries (excluding China, Iran, Republic of Korea and Italy) you can attend school. If you display symptoms you should not attend school and seek medical advice.
- The best way to protect ourselves is to:
 1. Frequently wash your hands for at least 20 seconds with soap and water, or using an alcohol-based hand gel
 2. Refrain from touching mouth and nose
 3. If coughing or sneezing, cover your nose and mouth with a paper tissue or flexed elbow. Dispose of the tissue immediately after use and perform hand hygiene and
 4. Avoid close contact with anyone if you, or they, have a cold or flu-like symptoms (maintain a distance of at least 1 metre)

If you require more information regarding who should be quarantined or who should self-isolate please visit www.healthywa.wa.gov.au/coronavirus