

## Darul Ulum College of Victoria

28 October 2021

Assalamu Alaikum Wr Wb

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

## **Return to Onsite Learning**

Consistent with the recent update to the staged return to onsite learning, please be advised that as of **Monday 1 November**, students of all year levels will return to onsite learning on all weekdays.

A courtesy reminder that Tuesday 2 November is a public holiday.

As a school, we are exceptionally excited and thrilled to welcome our students back to full time onsite learning, however, we are equally cautious and conscious of the high risk of exposure to the virus due to the high case numbers that are reported daily. Unfortunately, we have had a few confirmed cases onsite last week, resulting in a need to send the relevant year levels back home to isolate and to continue with remote learning. Consequently, we ask parents to be prepared in case their child' class needs to resort to remote learning at any point of time, should a confirmed case report onsite during the remaining part of the term.

I would also like to take this opportunity to encourage parents of students who are 12 years and over to consider vaccinating their children, as per the recommendations of the Department of Health and subject to the advice you receive from your health care practitioner.

## **Exceptions to Onsite Learning**

Students of all year levels are required to attend <u>onsite</u> learning as of Monday 1 November. However, the school will continue to run remote classes for students who are absent - yet able to participate remotely - due to:

- being in isolation;
- being in quarantine;
- feeling sick;
- attending to vaccination appointments;
- being vulnerable;
- other approved leave; or
- having an underlying health condition whereby if the student was to attend onsite their health will be compromised.

Students continuing with remote learning will be able to attempt their Term 4 assessments online.

This arrangement is only temporary and will cease upon further review of the situation.

Parents are strongly encouraged to refer to the school's Covid Safe Measures and Health Directives in the link below which outlines the procedures the school is undertaking to mitigate the risks of exposure:

https://schoolbox.dulum.vic.edu.au/homepage/9251

We ask Allah to keep us all safe and gift us with a smooth ending to the year.

Regards, Abdurrahman Gokler Principal