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Dear Parents and Carers

Following the Victorian Government announcement of a 5-day circuit breaker lockdown from 11:59pm tonight, all Victorian schools will move to a period of remote and flexible provision from Friday 16 July to Tuesday 20 July inclusive.

For continuity of learning, tomorrow, Friday 16 July, will be remote 'any-time' learning for students. Staff will communicate by normal means and provide instructions for work to be completed at any time throughout the day – i.e. no scheduled online classes.

The College will remain open tomorrow and next week for vulnerable students, students of authorised workers and students with no/poor internet coverage. Due to the short notice, these students may attend the College tomorrow, checking in and working in the supervised Mulhall Centre, as previous.

A booking link for attendance next Monday and Tuesday will be provided tomorrow.

COVID resources continue to be available on the College website (*COVID Resources on the Home page*). Buses will continue to operate throughout the lockdown period.

Remote Learning will commence on Monday with all students to attend Mentor Groups online from 8.50am.

All College events scheduled in the lockdown period have been postponed.

If there are any students who need to access textbooks/equipment from their lockers, they can come to the College to pick up anything essential but must sign in through front reception.

At this stage we will return to onsite learning on Wednesday 21 July. We understand that this can be an uncertain time so please contact the College if you have any concerns. We will keep you updated with any further information through the Loreto App and email.

Yours sincerely

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