



## Update to parents-12 May COVID-19 Alert Level 2

Dear parents and caregivers

Kia ora koutou

I was delighted to hear the message from the Prime Minister yesterday outlining a shift to COVID Alert Level 2. We are now in a position of being able to share further information regarding returning to school under Alert Level 2.

### Key Messages:

- School will resume for children on **Monday 18 May** as the Ministry of Education and Ministry of Health state that under Alert Level 2 it is safe for schools to open
- Safe and sensible practices for hygiene and contact tracing will be the norm
- Keeping children home who are unwell will be very important at Level 2

### Specific Henley School Messages:

- As we are required to maintain contact tracing records for visitors to the site (including parents) we ask you to **drop your children at the William Street or Gilbert Street entrance**. If you need to see the class teacher please make an appointment via the office on 544 8904 or [office@henley.school.nz](mailto:office@henley.school.nz)
- Our Office will be open in a limited form as we are required to operate under public health requirements – please consider whether your visit is necessary
- We will not be holding assemblies or mass gatherings at this time

If you intend to continue self-isolation under Alert Level 2 please follow this link <https://forms.gle/FxGRXr9tEAYxg26w5> and complete the brief survey (one for each child) by Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May, 12 noon. *You only need to complete this survey if you are keeping your child at home under Alert Level 2.*

If you have any queries, please email the office [office@henley.school.nz](mailto:office@henley.school.nz)

Thank you for your continuing support of your child/children and the staff as we work to continue learning at a distance. It is much appreciated. We are looking forward to welcoming all our children and staff back next week!

Kind regards

Ngā mihi nui

John Armstrong  
Principal