

Beverly Hills Girls High School

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Learning from Home – Updated information

Tuesday 20th July

As we move into our second week of Learning from Home, we would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your ongoing support in ensuring our students continue their studies while at home. This is a considerable challenge for us all and we ask those parents, carers and students to make contact with the school via either a phone call, email or a google classroom message if they would like additional support or advice.

Below, you will find the latest advice from the Department of Education.

- If your child's school is within Greater Sydney including one of the LGAs Fairfield, Canterbury/ Bankstown or Liverpool - you must keep your child at home unless they need to be at school. Schools and Out of School Hours Care services are open for any child that needs it.
- Under the current health orders, there is nothing to restrict students who reside in these LGAs and who must attend school from moving between areas with different levels of restrictions. However, advice remains the same, try and keep your child at home.
- On Friday, we advised schools in Greater Sydney not to plan for HSC trial exams to be held <u>before 30</u> July 2021. We are working with NESA and expect them to provide clear guidance on HSC preparation this week. We will follow this up with further advice and support on this, as soon as possible.
- Until we provide further advice, HSC students in Greater Sydney should not access the school site unless absolutely necessary. This is in line with the expectation to minimise the number of staff and students on site, particularly in the Fairfield, Liverpool and Canterbury-Bankstown LGAs.
- Due to COVID-19 restrictions, Transport for NSW will be running a reduced timetable that will include changes to some school bus routes from Monday 19 July. While there has been a significant drop in students attending class in person due to learning at home in Greater Sydney, parents and carers need to consider all their travel options for students. Please plan ahead as your child's regular school service may not be running.
- Transport for NSW will continue working with the Department of Education and will monitor the network as these changes roll out. Please use your private vehicle if you can and for those essential workers needing to use the network, please plan ahead as there will be changes to your usual trip.
- Please go to <u>https://education.nsw.gov.au/covid-19/advice-for-families</u> for the most up-to-date COVID-19 guidelines, and contact our school directly if you have any questions.
- Learn from home resources are available on https://education.nsw.gov.au/parents-learning-at-home.

Message from the school:

On Tuesday 20th July we understand many of our students and their families will be celebrating Eid at home. Considering this, we would still like students to log into their Google Classroom, record their attendance and read any messages posted. We will give students additional time to complete Tuesday's tasks. The supervising teachers will expect tasks to be submitted by Friday 23rd July. The Department of Education recognises the celebration and the school's record of attendance will reflect this.

Stay safe.

Mrs C. Williams

Rel Principal