



Woy Woy Public School

A PRESCHOOL TO YEAR 6 SCHOOL

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"We challenge and support all students to achieve their personal best."

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COVID 19 – School Operations Update – Friday 27/03/2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

The transition to learning from home and to using online platforms for the delivery of lesson content seems to have gone relatively smoothly and we've had some very positive feedback from parents about the systems that have been put in place. Here's an example from a parent with children in Kindergarten and Year 3:

"I just wanted to let the school know how amazing everyone has been in this crisis. Knowledge dissemination has been great, you should be commended in your use of social media and the app. It feels as though we know all that you do. (My son's teachers) have been amazing in supporting learning online and having a library video today was great. Stage 2 has also been organised very well and there is plenty of work to keep us chugging along."

Feedback of this nature is always gratefully received, but even more so in stressful times such as these. The staff here at Woy Woy Public School really appreciate the fact that their efforts haven't gone unnoticed and that people have taken the time to thank them for their commitment. As principals, we are incredibly proud of the professionalism and dedication being demonstrated by the teaching staff of the school and would like to publicly acknowledge the amazing work that they are doing.

And once again we'd like to thank the parent community very much for your patience and for your support. It certainly feels like everyone in the school community is pulling together to support one another and it's genuinely something we can all be very proud of.

In terms of school operations, we are now seeing only about ten percent of the student population of the school in attendance each day. The vast majority of staff have been in attendance this week, however some staff members who have pre-existing medical conditions that place them at risk in the event of them contracting the COVID-19 virus, or who need to care for children with compromised immune systems, have exercised their right to work from home at this time. Please rest assured that all teachers will be contactable whether they are onsite or not, and that unless they are on leave, they will be available to answer any questions and provide guidance for students (and parents/carers) on how to complete the work that has been set for them.

If you have any questions at all, please don't hesitate to contact your child's teacher or to call the school to speak to a member of the school's executive team.

Stay positive and stay safe everyone.

Regards,

Ms Buckley and Mr Betts
Principals



Woy Woy Public School's mission is to provide a warm, caring, secure place where students and their efforts are valued by a committed staff and an actively supportive community.

I Aspire is our motto. Respect is our job.



