



DOMINUS LUX MEA
the Lord is my light

St. Dominic's College



14 May 2020

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

I hope the online learning experience has continued well for your son(s) throughout Week 3. It was wonderful to greet students back on to the campus this week. It always reminds me that the relationships with our students lies at the core of what we do at St Dominic's. Seeing students walking back into the College has been such a wonderful experience this week. It was like our first day of the year where both students and staff expressed a real excitement about returning. Having the students onsite reminded me of why I became a teacher and the importance of social interaction for the wellbeing of both staff and students.

I would like to congratulate and thank all the students for their cooperation in transitioning back to on-campus teaching and learning. There were a number of health and safety measures implemented for Week 3 and the students have been outstanding in their support of these measures. I am confident that Year 7 will maintain the highest standards in following these measures.

As a result of the successful return to on-campus teaching and learning, the College would like to outline the next three weeks leading to all staff and students returning by Week 6, Monday, 1st June.

WEEK 4

Monday 18 th May	Tuesday 19 th May	Wednesday 20 th May	Thursday 21 st May	Friday 22 nd May
Day 6	Day 7	Day 8	Day 9	Day 10
Year 12	Year 12	Year 12	Year 12	Year 12
Year 10	Year 11	Year 8	Year 11	Year 9
			Year 7 Modified T/T	

Year 7 will have a modified 5 period timetabled day (Refer to Appendix 1: Year 7 Day 9 Modified Timetable noting that the rooms will be provided on the day to students).

Year 11 and Year 12 will follow their Day 9 timetable Periods 1 – 3, then have an extra two-periods, i.e. Period 4 and Period 5.

Canteen

From Week 4, the College Canteen will be open. Students are encouraged to pre-order their lunches. Please [click here](#) to view how to use our online ordering system.

WEEK 5

Monday 25 th May	Tuesday 26 th May	Wednesday 27 th May	Thursday 28 th May	Friday 29 th May
Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5
Year 12	Year 12	Year 12	Year 12	Year 12
Year 11	Year 11	Year 11	Year 11	Year 11
Year 10	Year 7	Year 8	Staff Professional Learning	Year 9

The online platform will continue when staff and students are not required on-site or are unable to attend the College campus for various reasons such as health concerns or family commitments.

WEEK 6

All Year groups return to on-campus learning.

Start and finishing times (including Thursday)

8:35am – 3:00pm.

College Winter Uniform (to and from school)

Students are required to wear their full College Winter Uniform (to and from school) when they are scheduled to be on campus. This includes Thursday as there is no sport. Please ensure that your son meets the College grooming policy standards upon his return.

Online Learning

The online platform will continue while students are not required onsite or if staff are unavailable.

Timetabled Periods

The College will return to normal timetabled periods from Week 4, except for Year 7.

Bell Times

From Week 4, Monday, 18th May the College will return to the normal timetable and bell times. The only exception will be on Thursday, where bell times will align with the rest of the week (Mon, Tue, Wed, Fri bell times).

Attendance

In the absence of any health concerns, all students are expected to attend the face-to-face learning day. There will be an outline of the lesson or a MS Teams videoing invitation (for those classes whose teachers are absent and not onsite).

Absent from School

If students are unable to attend the face-to-face learning day, parents should notify the College of their son's absence by the normal procedures (phone call or message via College website absence note).

The College will continue with health and safety **protocols**.

As previously communicated, please **do not** send your son to the College if they are exhibiting cold or flu like symptoms, e.g. runny nose, coughing, sore throat, elevated temperature, etc. Any student who exhibits any sign of illness will be required to be collected by a parent/caregiver and then only return once he has a medical clearance.

Please be advised that whilst physical distancing practices are in place, that:

- no person other than the students are permitted to enter the College premises.
- Parents are permitted to drop-off and pick-up your son(s) however, you must remain in your car.
- The only exceptions to this requirement are when you are picking up a child from Sick Bay, attending the College Uniform Shop or if you have been invited to attend a meeting with a staff member.

The College will continue supporting those families who are involved in some of the essential services such as doctors, nurses, healthcare, police and others by offering **supervision on-campus** throughout Weeks 4 and 5.

As per previous communications, decisions relating to the health and wellbeing of our community remain our highest priority. We continue to monitor COVID-19 and the transition back to on-campus teaching and learning and will notify our community of any changes.

Thank you for your patience, understanding and support as we continue transitioning back to on-campus teaching and learning.

Stay safe, stay healthy.

God Bless you all.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Ronchetti'. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial 'M' and a long, sweeping underline.

Mr Michael Ronchetti
College Principal

APPENDIX 1: YEAR 7 DAY 9 MODIFIED TIMETABLE FOR WEEK 4, 21ST MAY.

Please note: Rooms will be allocated to students at the Student Briefing to commence the day.

STUDENT BRIEFING	R/C	PERIOD 1			PERIOD 2			PERIOD 3			PERIOD 4			PERIOD 5		
	07A	07MATA		NAIJ	07SCIA		EDWF	07VARA		COLD	07HSIA		AHEB	07ENGA		AHEB
	07B	07MATB		GEEJ	07SCIB		MONS	07MUSA		WILC	07HSIB		SIMR	07ENGB		SIMR
	07C	07MATC		MCKD	07SCIC		LISD	07VARB		THOC	07HSIC		DSOD	07ENGC		DSOD
	07D	07MATD		THOT	07SCID		TAHM	07MUSB		EDEV	07HSID		HALJ	07ENGD		HALJ
	07E	07SCIE		MONS	07VARC		KNOJ	07MATE		MCKD	07HSIE		ROBM	07ENGE		ROBM
	07F	07SCIF		TAHM	07MATF		GEEJ	07MUSC		HINL	07HSIF		CUMB	07ENGF		CUMB
	07G	07SCIG		LISD	07VARD		COLD	07MATG		NAIJ	07HSIG		MCKJ	07ENGG		MCKJ
	07H	07MUSD		HINL	07MATH		MCKD	07SCIH		WAYM	07HSIH		FOGB	07ENGH		FOGB