



What will Alert Level 2 look like at Peterhead School?

Kia ora Whānau, Anau, Aiga and Families of Peterhead School,

We would like to extend our warmest greetings to you all and say how very grateful we are that all of our Peterhead Whānau have been safe from Covid-19 in these times of change that we have had.

Here are the major details of what Level 2 will look like at school:

- School starts on Monday 18th May at 8.55am finishing at 2.45pm as per normal.
- **Gates open 8.10am** - no children are to be dropped off before this.
- Classes open 8.30am and all teachers will be in classes.
- One adult per whānau to enter school grounds at any one time. We would prefer if children are dropped off at the school gate.
- The procedures in the office will be on a one in one out basis still.
- All school bells will be the same as per usual.
- If younger children need you can enter the school ground to help them settle. No parents are allowed in the classrooms please stay outside and the teachers can come to you.
- All children need to come in clean school uniform each day.
- Your children will need to bring lunches for the first week. From the second week there will be the free lunches in schools scheme starting. You will receive a newsletter this Thursday 11th May to ask about any allergies your child may have so we can cater for these. Please email the office with any allergies admin@peterhead.school.nz
- **Sick children or whānau** - No one who is sick will be allowed to come to school. This means students or you as their whanau. Please be a part of our team keeping our Peterhead kids well. You must be able to be contacted and must pick up your sick children immediately. You must strictly adhered to this.
- All staff have been briefed about **safety procedures** which at level two mean hand washing and sanitising regularly, coughing into your elbow, avoiding touching others or being too close to them. There is no one metre rule but teachers will do their best to ensure children are kept as safe as possible.
- We will be working on their **Hinengaro - Mental Health** and feelings of physical and emotional safety for the first two weeks. Working towards helping our tamariki feel safe in school.
- Our *Positive Behaviour for Learning* focus for the first two weeks is **School is Safe**.

- The school environment is controlled - we know who will be entering and will contact trace any one else that enters our environment.
- We really need you all to be diligent and update your contact details. It was really concerning how many of our students for whom we did not have correct contact details. In the case of an emergency this would pose huge issues for the school and for you as the children's family. So please no excuses fill in the forms that are sent next week to update or check you details and get this back to us asap.
- Term dates will remain the same so school ends **Friday 3rd July**.
- There will be no assemblies, Kapa Haka or Pasifika for the time being.
- Taiohi students will start back at Technology at Flaxmere College in the first two weeks or so. We are just organising details around safety and hygiene.
- All learning support will resume as normal.
- If your child is immunocompromised and can not attend school we require a medical form from their doctor to state this.
- If you have a child starting school this term, you may bring them for school visits. One child/one adult only. Please contact the office for times.
- Home work Centre starts the first day back Monday 18th May. All children will need to be picked up promptly at 4pm. Failure to do so will mean your child may not be able to attend any longer