



Friday 12 November

Kia ora whānau I hope you are safe and well.

We are delighted to be able to welcome more tamariki back onsite under Alert Level 3 from next Wednesday 17 November.

We know learning kanohi ki te kanohi is the best option for children and young people. It's important for them to connect with their friends and teachers and it helps their social, physical and emotional wellbeing.

And so we look forward to starting to bring children back on site. **If your child is already attending full time they can continue to do so.** For other children returning, we need to manage the numbers of students attending each day to keep everyone safe.

When we return, we will manage the risk of COVID-19 transmission by implementing the following public health measures:

- limit the number of tamariki and staff onsite each day by allocating days to classes
- keep those onsite in separate groups
- ensure our classrooms are well ventilated
- learn outdoors as much as practicable
- continue to practice physical distancing where possible
- all staff wear masks indoors
- all children in Years 5 and above will wear masks indoors (unless they have an exemption)
- no large gatherings like assemblies

In addition to this, we'll ensure all staff and external contractors who are on site are fully vaccinated or will have had at least one dose of the vaccine and return a negative weekly test.

What you can do to help:

- stay at home if you or your child is sick
- avoid catching up with other parents, children and whānau at the gates
- wear a face mask - No mask, no entry
- no parent entry into classrooms
- maintain a two-metre distance from people not in your household bubble
- entry to the school office is by appointment only. Please email admin@cgschool.ac.nz or contact the school on (09) 2997490

Our plan to welcome tamariki back to school

We value that our students are able to connect with their classmates and teachers during this time. There has been careful consideration on how we at Conifer Grove School to ensure the on site management is conducted in the safest possible way for all people involved, whilst adhering to the Ministry of Health requirements. Students will be attending school on a part time basis this is the time table for the remainder of the year

GROUP ONE...	GROUP TWO...
Ara Tūāpapa: Ms Aston & Miss Kaur Room 2: Mrs Metcalfe & Mrs McLeod Room 3: Miss Bilk Room 5: Mrs Ng Waishing & Mrs Davidson Room 6: Mr Newman Room 7: Ms. Mahoney Room 8: Mrs van Aswegen Room 18: Mrs Naidoo Room 19: Mr Virk Room 10: Ms. Brown Room 11: Mrs Oh	Room 4: Miss Morgan Room 22: Mrs Douglas Room 21: Mrs Mohammed Room 20: Miss Petrie Room 17: Mrs Randhawa Room 16: Miss Maggs Room 12: Miss Ledingham Room 13: Mr Singh Room 14: Mr Hussein Room 15: Mrs Fourie Room 9: Miss Choat

Week	Date	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5	17 to 19 Nov			Group One	Group Two	Group One
6	22 to 26 Nov	Group One	Group Two	Group One	Group Two	Group Two
7	29 Nov to 3 Dec	Group One	Group Two	Group One	Group Two	Group One
8	6 to 10 Dec	Group One	Group Two	Group One	Group Two	Group Two
9	13 to 16 Dec	Group One	Group Two	Group One	Group Two	

Online learning Monday 15th and Tuesday 16th November

There will be content for online learning on these days. There will not be Google Meets on these days as teachers will be preparing onsite ready for our students on Wednesday

Gate Entry

All students are to enter at the side gate in the Evanda link (side pathway) The gate will be unlocked from 8:40 am. Students will also use this gate to leave at 3 pm

Mask wearing

Mask wearing is mandatory for all Year 5 -8 students. As the Haemata classes are composite Year 4 students are recommended to wear masks. All other students can wear masks if they wish.

Vaccination Status of 12 years+

If your child is 12 years and above could you please indicate your child's Covid-19 immunisation status by completing the [Form](#)

Parents onsite -

For Health and safety of all students and staff we ask parents to remain outside the school gates. If a parent wishes to be onsite they must arrange by appointment admin@cgschool.ac.nz access will only be from Evanda pedestrian gate once the appointment has been made.

We would encourage you to talk to your child about what our plans are and why this is happening.

Learning from home for those tamariki who will not be attending onsite will continue through the use of hard packs, and Google Meets on days when their class is not onsite.

As you will be aware the government has announced a tentative date of the 29th November when Tāmaki Makaurau will move into the traffic light system. We will continue to review our processes as situations change.

If you have questions or concerns, you can contact me or your child's teacher via email.

We look forward to seeing you back at school next week.

Ngā mihi,



Raj Dullabh

Principal - Conifer Grove School