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## Comeragh College Updates-March 12th 2021



# Welcome back to school!

- Please check school website for updates for parents guardians.
- Please follow school twitter page for updates
- Please download VSware app for parents

#### Return to school

- 5<sup>th</sup> year students and LCA1 students will return to school Monday 15<sup>th</sup> March
- Completed Covid 19 Declaration form link sent to all parents and students over 18.
- Declaration must be returned before students can return to school (
- Students are asked to use the main entrance for the next two weeks for entering and exiting
  the school building.

#### Base Classrooms

Students who normally use G-38 - please use G-33

LCA1 students are asked to go to G-49 for the next two weeks while online learning continues for the students in Comeragh Suite.

#### School Meals

- School meals will be available at 10.50a.m. and 12.25p.m. daily
- Walking breaks will be discontinued-until full school return after Easter

#### Masks

All students to present to school with correctly fitting masks

Masks must be worn correctly at all times (if students fail to follow this instruction, a parent will be contacted and asked to take the student home) We must do everything to protect everyone's safety. Masks must be composed of more than one layer. (you may need to wear two masks)

Masks to be worn at all times except when eating.

Students must comply with this at all times in the interest of everyone's health and safety



Mask should cover from just under the bridge of your nose to under your chin.

#### Social distancing

Students must maintain social distancing at all times

Students coming to and leaving school – bus stop areas etc.. must maintain social distance and wear masks.

#### Assessment

Students will be briefed on Summer assessment when they return to school.

#### School Laptops

Students are asked to bring the laptops to school on Monday and mind them until Ms Hallahan scans them back on the school system



#### Teaching and Learning

Some classes may have to be continued online where a subject teacher cannot return to school in accordance with Covid guidance

All students are required to bring headphones to school

#### Parents/Guardians

Please continue to follow protocols that were in place this year. Phone office if you have a query or if a student needs to be collected.

Students may avail of the school canteen or bring a packed lunch. Parents/guardians are not to present to the school office during the school day (unless by appointment, in line with Covid guidance).



Attendance- it is essential that all students attend school at all times

 ${\bf Illness/~Sickness-~students~are~not~to~attend~school~if~they~feel~unwell~-~please~notify~the~school~office}$ 

 Students who notify staff of feeling unwell, parents will be asked to collect them and take them home without delay.

Contact details for parents- please contact the office if you have changed you phone number in the last 6 months. Parents/Guardians must be contactable at all times during the school day.



Questions and Answers- students have been given the opportunity to forward any questions they have and we will respond with answers as soon as we have information that answers their questions.





### Student and Staff wellbeing

- Everyone in the school community to support the Covid Response Plan
- Wear correctly fitting masks at all times
- Adhere to social distancing guidelines
- Do not come to school if feeling unwell
- If feeling unwell during the school day- report this immediately to a member of school staff
- Parents/guardians to be available to collect son/daughter if unwell
- Parents/guardians are reminded to phone the school, please do not come to reception unless asked to do so.
- Eat healthy
- Exercise daily



We would like to send a virtual hug to all our students, their families and all our staff as we continue to do our best during this time.

#### **Key Tips**

- Attend school daily
- Do your best at all times
- Focus on each 40mins at a time
- Believe in yourself
- We are all in this together- everyone wants the best for you
- Everyone copes with stress differently- let us know how you are feeling and we will put a plan in place to support.
- Make a plan and follow it