



# MINARET COLLEGE

Islamic College of Melbourne South and East

21 July 2021

Dear Minaret Family

Assalamu Alaikum wa Rahmatullahi wa Barakatuhu and Eid Mubarak once again.

Following the announcement by the Victorian Premier, Mr Daniel Andrews that the current lockdown has been extended till 11.59 PM next Tuesday, the College has reviewed its plan and will implement the following from Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> July when students return to remote learning after Eid Holidays:

- All students from Foundation to year 12 will continue with remote learning until further notice.
- Children of frontline workers and those with special exemptions will be provided supervision at all 3 campuses. Lessons will still be delivered online.
- There are no changes to our Early learning Centres and both ELC's at Springvale and Officer Campus will be open from Friday for face to face learning.
- Primary school students will be provided with remote learning materials by their teachers through seesaw. Learning packs are not available in this snap lockdown, however if the lockdown is further extended, this will be reviewed, and parents will be notified of any changes. To manage screen time, the school day commences at 9.00am and finishes at 3.00pm with a good mix of activities provided by teachers.
- Secondary school students will commence full lessons on zoom as per timetable already distributed to students. Zoom links will be sent to High School students by their teachers through Edmodo.

The College will continue to support all its students and manage the COVID risk for our students, staff and the wider community in the best possible way. We understand the challenges of remote learning and pray to Allah SWT that this lockdown ends soon so we all can return to as normal a life as we possibly can.

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