



## DATES TO REMEMBER

### TERM 2

Monday 27 April	Staff Development Day - No Lessons
Tuesday 28 April	Staff Development Day - No Lessons
Wednesday 29 April	Online learning commences (as per the end of Term 1)
Monday 11 May	Students staged return to school



## PRINCIPAL NEWS

Welcome to term 2. I hope you all had a wonderful break and were able to find some time for relaxation and quiet time. It certainly has been a very different school holiday for us all.

After the Premier's announcement last week, we will start the term with not 1 but 2 pupil free days, where our staff will be engaged in some professional learning and forward planning, as we prepare for a staged return of students from May 11<sup>th</sup>. [Learning at home recommences on Wednesday, April 29<sup>th</sup>.](#)

I know home learning has been a challenge for many of you, but I ask that you continue to support the "Kiny Staff" as we prepare for the next steps. Amongst other things, we must consider student and staff needs, social distancing requirements for adults and planning learning for students both in and out of school.

*If you can, please keep students at home in weeks 1 and 2. Of course, essential services and those who have no options, can send students to school, as they did in term 1. There will be a skeleton staff at school to supervise, while others will be developing lessons etc. in preparation for the return of students.*

A schedule of the staged return will be distributed as soon as possible, to give families time to adjust to it. We will be trying our best to have whole families attend on the same day. Students will attend 1 day per week, to start with, with only 25% of the school present on any one day. This will allow for social distancing while at school, with very small groupings.

This model of return is to support all students to engage in learning, both at home and school. The goal is to re-establish connections between our teachers and every child and to support learning at home, while slowly reintroducing students to school.

On behalf of all of the staff at Kingscliff PS, I want to thank you for the way in which this community has supported the teachers throughout this period. It is very much appreciated.

Before long we will be back at school, but as we move toward this goal, we must be vigilant. Stay safe and healthy, at home.

Kind Regards,

**Diana Foley**  
Principal

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