



Walliston Primary School

Dianella Road, Walliston , WESTERN AUSTRALIA 6076

COVID UPDATE – A TIMELY REMINDER TO GET TESTED IF SHOW SYMPTOMS

Dear parents/carers;

I am writing to advise you that there has been a positive case of COVID-19 associated with staff and community members.

It has been determined that the staff member and parents of students did not attend school while infectious. Therefore, our school is **NOT** recognised as a school-based close contact.

As many of our local schools are managing positive COVID cases, it is important to understand that the virus is in our community and it is important to keep our students home if they are sick.

This news should come as a timely reminder for all members of the community to monitor COVID-19 symptoms and seek testing if symptoms develop.

Advice for all families and staff:

- The school remains open.
- We ask that you monitor your child/yourself for symptoms of COVID-19 and get tested and isolate until you receive a negative result, if symptoms develop.
- If you or your child develop symptoms, please do not attend school.
- Please notify the school if your child tests positive to COVID-19.
- Please note that the Omicron strain can present with less typical symptoms such as diarrhoea, particularly in children.

Kind regards

Craig Mainard
Principal

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