



Gillieston PS Update – Thursday 14 May 2020

Dear Families,

Over the course of this event it has become apparent that some families have changed their contact details from those originally recorded at the school. I would ask that if you have changed your mobile number or email recently that you ensure that the school has your most up to date contacts. A quick call to the office or message via SeeSaw would be a great help to help us maintain effective communication with you.

Thank you again for your support in the gradual return to school process which has students returning in their house groups on allocated days. This same pattern of attendance will be utilised next week – this has been very helpful to minimise overcrowding and allowing staff to make connections with your children. Today we had 92 students recorded in attendance at Gillieston Public School.

Our schedule is:

Monday - DAWSON

Tuesday - GILLIES

Wednesday - MAXWELL

Thursday - WALSH

Attendance on these days is voluntary and up to families to determine whether their child attends. If you determine to keep your child at home they should still engage with our online learning programs and work-packs.

Water bottles! Please ensure that your child has a labelled, refillable water bottle to have at school as our bubblers can only be used to refill bottles at the moment and are not available for drinking from.

Please be conscious that morning routines are as per normal with students that arrive after 9:05am needing to report to the front office to obtain a late note.

To assist with the return to normality, our Stage 3 students have recommenced selling water ice block tubes at recess at \$1 each. If your child will be enjoying these treats please send in the right amount of money to help minimise transferring coins.

Have a great day!

Mr David Crowe