



7 July 2021

Dear Rouse Hill Anglican College Family,

You may be aware, this morning by NSW Premier Gladys Berejiklian announced an extension of the Stay at Home/Lockdown Order. Schools in the Greater Sydney area will remain open with the requirement to provide online learning from Monday 12<sup>th</sup> July.

"In relation to Greater Sydney, the reason why we took the decision around schools not resuming face-to-face learning next week is not because schools aren't a safe place, they are a safe place, but what we really need to do in Greater Sydney is reduce mobility."

"We need to stop literally hundreds of thousands of adults moving around and interacting with each other inadvertently as they drop kids off, pick kids up at those usual times."

#### **What does this mean for Rouse Hill Anglican College?**

*From Monday 12<sup>th</sup> July, we are expecting all families to keep their children at home, unless it is necessary for them to attend school as their parents are working in emergency, health, education or essential services and they are unable to provide supervision at home.*

*Homeroom and classroom teachers will use this day to contact parents and students to introduce or remind students of the online platform the College will provide during the Lockdown period.*

*From Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> July, we will be moving to our online learning platform which will be clearly outlined for each section of the College in further communications.*

For those who require their children to attend school, we will be providing supervision at school, however, these students will be participating in the same online learning program that will be provided to those who are at home.

Please follow [this link](#) should you need your child/ren to attend the College from Monday 12 July.

We will continue to communicate with you in regards to the delivery of the online learning programs.

Regards

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