

Te Awamutu College COVID-19 Level 2: Student Instructions

- Schools are open to everyone, and all children are expected to attend.
- If students are UNWELL with any cold or flu like symptoms, students **MUST STAY HOME**.
- A high level of socially responsible behaviour is expected at all times.
- Maintain sensible social distancing at all times.
- Face masks may be worn by students or staff, but are not compulsory. There may be a range of reasons why staff and/or students choose to wear a face mask, or not. Students are not to engage in the pros/cons of, or sharing of opinions about mask wearing.
- When you arrive to a class, before you take out books, pens, devices your desk/table must be sanitised. The teacher will spray disinfectant on the surface. You will be given a cloth to wipe the disinfectant over the surface. The cloth is to be then returned to the teacher's bucket. This sanitisation is to keep you and others safe from any possible virus/bacterial infection.
- You are expected to be sensible and responsible when sanitising your desk/table. This needs to be done quickly and without fuss, to enable the teacher to begin the lesson promptly.
- Hand sanitiser is provided in the Library, A1, R13, R14 and where school/communal computers are provided. You may use the hand sanitiser provided before you use one of these computers.
- In other classrooms (where it can be provided) the use of hand sanitiser is not compulsory (frequent use of sanitiser is not recommended, especially for people with sensitive skin or eczema). The main method of sanitisation in classrooms will be the frequent disinfecting of hard surfaces.
- Hand sanitiser will be provided in Hard Materials workshops, which students may use before handling tools or machinery.
- Students are to wash their hands and use safe food hygiene practices in Food Technology Rooms.
- Hand sanitiser stations will be set up around the school (2 x Gym, Student Centre + 2 others).
- Soap is provided in the toilets for your hygiene. Wash your hands with soap for 20 seconds, then dry.
- You are expected to bring your lunch to school with you. Parents/caregivers are not expected to come onto the school site unless contacted to collect an unwell child, or unless prior arrangement has been made (e.g. appointment with Dean etc.). Casual food drop offs are unable to be accommodated during COVID 19 Level 2. The canteen will be open.
- Students are expected to be at school all day, as per a normal school day. Students may not come and go during the day (part time attendance is not an option).
- Year 13 students **must be onsite** during their **Study Periods**.
- Because most students have been engaged with distance learning on devices, you will need your fully charged device, ready for use each day.
- If students are absent, please e-mail absentees@tac.school.nz in advance.



Wash your hands with soap and water often (for at least 20 seconds). Then dry.



Cough or sneeze into your elbow or by covering your mouth and nose with tissues.



Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces and objects, such as doorknobs.



Don't touch your eyes, nose or mouth if your hands are not clean.



Put used tissues in the bin or a bag immediately.



Stay home if you feel unwell.



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if you are sick