



Rutherglen High School

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RESUMPTION OF VCE, VET & VCAL CLASSES

Parents & Carers;

You should be well aware of the forthcoming resumption of on-site teaching and learning for all VCE, VET and VCAL classes commencing Tuesday 26th May 2020.

The advice of the Chief Medical Officer and the Victorian government is that students do NOT need to adhere to a 1.5 metre separation or a 4 square metre exclusion zone from each other. These social distancing requirements apply to adults (including teachers and bus drivers) and students.

There are a number of arrangements put in place to maximise safety and minimise risks. They include:

- Students are to be dropped off at the front of the school and parents are to leave immediately.
- Students are NOT to sit in the front 2 rows of seats on buses to distance themselves from the driver.
- Parents are NOT to enter the school grounds unless they have made an appointment.**
- Students are to hand sanitise before entering buildings.
- Hand sanitiser is available in every classroom and is to be used if students touch their face etc.
- Surface sanitiser and cloths are available in every classroom to ensure surfaces are clean and safe.
- Increased cleaning ensures rooms are thoroughly cleaned daily.
- Increased cleaning ensures high-contact areas are cleaned during the day.

Of greatest importance is the strict rule that students (or staff) who are ill are NOT to come to school until they are fully recovered, sought medical advice and/or been tested.

Students (or staff) who become ill during the day will be isolated until they can be collected and taken home.

Students are advised:

- the microwaves and sandwich makers in the VCE area and Cafeteria have been removed on health advice.
- consistent with health advice, the microwaves etc. are NOT available for re-heating in the Food Tech area.
- students wanting a hot meal should purchase a wide mouth thermos flask or buy from the Cafeteria.
- to place a lunch order from the Cafeteria as there will only be a limited amount of other hot food available over the counter.
- to bring a refillable water bottle as drinking fountains are not to be used.

We will be following the timetable available to all students and parents/carers on Compass.

Students with 'study periods' during Periods 1 & 2 and/or Periods 5 & 6 are encouraged to either arrive at recess and/or leave at lunchtime in order to limit the amount of time they spend together.

However they can only do so if they have registered this in writing (see over page.)

Clearly if they are bus travellers, they will need to stay and will be able to study in the Senior Study Centre, Cafeteria or Library.

There are a number of Year 10 students studying VCE or VET subjects. The expectation is that these students will attend both double periods next week. The following week we do not expect them to attend the single period on Monday but we do expect them to again attend the double periods that week.

Year 10 students undertaking VCE or VET studies for the next two weeks can either only attend the specific class or stay for the full day. Either way we will need confirmation in writing (see below.)

After checking the timetable on Compass, my child has 'study periods' at the following times:

Note: place a thick black cross across the block/s your student does NOT have a subject in their timetable.

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	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Period 1	Block D	Block B MATHS METHODS 3 MN FURTHER MATHS 3 JM VCAL NUMERACY JD	Block E ACCOUNTING 3 BA CHEMISTRY 3 MN VET HOSPITALITY 3 BR	Block F LEGAL STUDIES 3 BA VCE VC&D BR ANCIENT HISTORY 1 SA	Block D BIOLOGY 3 CO PHYSICAL EDUCATION 3 CM VET ENGINEERING 3 CP
Period 2	Block E	MATHS METHODS 1 CO MATHS GENERAL 1 AN	VCE PD&T PJ CHEMISTRY 1 AN PSYCHOLOGY 1 SE	PHYSICS 1 AS VET ENGINEERING 1 CP	VET MUSIC PT VET HOSPITALITY 1 BR
Period 3	Block C	Block A ENGLISH 3 A MC ENGLISH 3 B SA VCAL LITERACY KW	Block D BIOLOGY 3 CO PHYSICAL EDUCATION 3 CM VET ENGINEERING 3 CP	Block E ACCOUNTING 3 BA CHEMISTRY 3 MN VET HOSPITALITY 3 BR	Block B MATHS METHODS 3 MN FURTHER MATHS 3 JM VCAL NUMERACY JD
Period 4	Block F	ENGLISH 1A RK ENGLISH 1B GN	VET MUSIC PT VET HOSPITALITY 1 BR	VCE PD&T PJ CHEMISTRY 1 AN PSYCHOLOGY 1 SE	MATHS METHODS 1 CO MATHS GENERAL 1 AN
Period 5	Block A	Block F LEGAL STUDIES 3 BA VCE VC&D BR ANCIENT HISTORY 1 SA	Block C PHYSICS 3 AS VCE ART DK VCE H&HD DJ	Block C PHYSICS 3 AS VCE ART DK VCE H&HD DJ	Block A ENGLISH 3 A MC ENGLISH 3 B SA VCAL LITERACY KW
Period 6	Block B	PHYSICS 1 AS VET ENGINEERING 1 CP	VCAL PD NT	VCAL PD NT	ENGLISH 1A RK ENGLISH 1B GN

Classes in which Year 10 students are taking an accelerated subject have the teacher's initials shown with a white background.

Student Name: _____

Date: ___ May 2020

Parent Name: _____

Parent Signature: _____

They will be in attendance for the full day on: _____

They will arrive at Recess on the following days: _____

They will leave at Lunchtime on the following days: _____

Please return this information/form to rutherglen.hs@edumail.vic.gov.au as soon as possible.

Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Regards

Phil Rogers

Principal