



Adventure School

23 March 2022

Kia ora tatou e te whanau

Subsequent to the Prime Minister's announcement today, the Adventure School staff is happy to welcome whanau back onto the school site from next Monday. This is not to say that we expect to be inundated though I imagine it will be a novelty for a while. I will provide some guidelines that I hope you will appreciate. Most of these relate to our pre-covid settings anyway.

Before I bullet point, I will say one of the few positives coming out of school entry restrictions is that our young tamariki have built up a level of resilience around entering and leaving school. This is a practice you may wish to sustain, if it is working for you.

Protocols we would like you to observe:

- Masks are still required to be worn inside
- When dropping children off inside, best practice is to settle the children quickly, say hi to the teacher, then not linger. Lingering is unsettling for the children
- We respectfully ask that parents are not in the classrooms after the school bell
- Our office area is quite small so we would prefer no more than four adults at once waiting inside

We are expecting a communication from the ministry that will, hopefully, provide more specific direction for schools. This detail will not make this week's newsletter but we will share any relevant information that is necessary, on Friday.

Welcome Back

Ngā mihi

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