



Principal's Update Thursday 26 March

Dear Parent/Caregiver

Good morning. Yesterday was a much quieter day for emails and questions from parents. However I would like to say thank you to all the parents who took the time to send messages of support for the school and my staff.

Clarifying attending school:

All parents/caregivers have the choice to either send their student/s to school for the last two weeks or keep them home during the COVID19 crisis. No matter which choice a parent/caregiver makes the educational program will remain the same to support all our students. By using the Prime Minister's words about supporting parents working in essential services and industries some parents were unsure if they had a choice. This was raised at Governing Council so I am happy to clarify.

Thank you to the all the parents who emailed student services to register their student/s attending school. If you have not done so already please email student.services@uhs.sa.edu.au as soon as possible. This will help us to coordinate supervision and create attendance lists. Students studying from home do not need to register.

Unley HS is Open:

Unley HS is open and our teachers are at school. We were still receiving enquiries yesterday, mostly from outside our community, asking if we were closed. If you are asked, I appreciate your support in correcting the rumour.

At Professional Development yesterday afternoon I was proud to see my technology savvy champions working with colleagues to teach them how to use a range of new programs. A couple my staff gave me a quick tutorial on how to use the online meeting ZOOM which we successfully adopted for our Governing Council meeting this week.

Parent request for Unley HS Lesson times:

		MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
8:45am	HG					
9:00am	L1					
9:55am	L2					
10:45am	RECESS					
11:05am	L3					
12:00pm	L4	Ext HG				
12:50pm	LUNCH					
1:30pm	L5					
2:25pm	L6			PLT		
3:15pm	DISMISSAL					

Lastly, thank you to all the parents who have joined 'School Stream'. For those who have not yet joined, this app will improve the way the school communicates with parents/caregivers. The link to School stream is: <https://uhs.sa.edu.au/school-stream/>

Please note that this app is for parents and caregivers, it is not for student use.

Regards Greg