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## **INFORMATION REGARDING COVID-19 REPORTING**

Dear St Edward's College Community,

The safety and wellbeing of students and staff is a prime consideration in the day-to-day operations of the College. We believe that being together in a classroom is the most effective way for students to learn and grow, however we are closely monitoring health alerts that are provided by the **NSW Departments of Health and Education** in relation to COVID-19.

In recent weeks we have received multiple queries on what, if any, measures students identified as household or close contacts must take. Students and staff who are household or close contacts but have no symptoms may attend school if they adhere to the following guidelines:

- Notify the College that they are a household contact but will attend school (notify via the link on the News and Events tab on the College website: <u>Covid and Household contact reporting link</u>)
- Conduct a daily RAT and return a negative result each morning for five days.
- Wear a mask indoors except when eating or exercising.
- No student or staff member identified as a household/close contact will be permitted to participate in overnight excursions, including school camps

For more information on these guidelines, visit this page.

We thank you for your ongoing support of the College's efforts to maintain a safe environment for all College community members.

Kind Regards

Cameron Alexander Acting College Principal

