



SACRED HEART COLLEGE

Te Kāreti o Ngākau Tapu | Hearts and Minds in Harmony

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Kia ora, Talofa Lava, Malo e Lelei, Dia Duit,



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Message from Lucy and Jacinta



Hey! It's your girls Lucy and Jacinta quickly dropping in to say a huge well done for getting through these last few weeks! You have all done our school so proud, and the way everyone has adapted to our new learning environment has been outstanding! As you should have heard, the government has announced that we are back down to level 2! If you hadn't got a message through the school app, we are all expected to be back to school on Monday 18th May. With this being said if you have any worries or concerns about going back to school, you can message us privately or check-in with tutor

teachers, to clarify any queries how our first Monday back at school will run. Don't forget your teachers will not be on line on Friday but you should continue to complete the work that has been set for you. Even though you may have a ton of assignments due, it is also really important you guys take a break this weekend to relax and have a breather before we return, so that we all can have clear heads ready to jump back into our normal learning. We know that this term has been very different and we have all had to face our own personal challenges, but we do encourage you girls, to take this time to step away from your screens and find something else to do that makes you happy. Remember to be kind to yourself, family, friends, and teachers as we all need each other's support, care, and kindness at a time like this! We are proud of how you girls have adapted to online learning, and we think we speak on behalf of everyone that we can't wait to return back to school! We hope that you are still staying safe during this time and we hope to see your beautiful faces back at school on Monday. Kia Kaha Sacred Heart!

Health & Safety Plan for Covid 19, Alert Level 2



The following link will take you to a document that has been emailed to our school community. It outlines our plan for a safe and managed return to school at Alert Level 2.

<http://www.sacredheartnapier.school.nz/NewsCentre/Download/89e1624d-9f36-4567-a899-665cad1dd12c/Health%20and%20Safety%20Plan%20for%20Alert%20Level%202.pdf>

COVID-19 Wellbeing & Learning from Home Survey Retest

Thank you to those parents and students who answered our Learning From Home Retest survey this week. Here are the results from the agree-disagree questions. The results show an increase in most areas that were surveyed. It is good to know that the changes we made have had a positive effect on your experience. Thank you also for your comments which will be used to shape our next steps. Your input is very much appreciated.

Student

Question	Original Score	Retest Score
I know about the coronavirus (Covid-19) and what to do if I feel unwell	90%	88%
I feel safe from coronavirus (Covid-19) while I am learning from home	84%	89%
I have adults I can talk to if I am worried about something	84%	84%
I know how to contact my teacher if I need help with my work	83%	89%
I have friends I can talk to while learning at home	82%	78%
I am doing exercise and eating healthy while I am learning at home	71%	72%
The home learning materials and resources that my school have given me are useful and easy to use	67%	74%
Teachers are providing me with feedback that helps my learning	63%	71%
I can focus on my learning at home	56%	54%

Parent

Question	Original Score	Retest Score
I believe my child/children feel safe from coronavirus (Covid-19) while learning from home	89%	90%
My child/children are able to access the school's learning resources easily	81%	82%

Question	Original		Retest	
	Yes	No	Yes	No
Is there anyone in your immediate family/whānau who is particularly vulnerable to the impacts of coronavirus (Covid-19)?	33%	67%	29%	71%
Do you have any concerns about your child's/children's emotional or physical wellbeing? If YES, please provide details and your name if you would like someone to contact you.	8%	92%	9%	91%

St Vincent de Paul



St Vincent de Paul Napier Conference team know that many families are experiencing hardship and financial difficulties as a result of Covid 19. We care deeply for our community and are here to help.

If you know of anyone who is in need of food or firewood please get in touch with our Principal Maria Neville-Foster 021 2122406 or our Youth Minister Victoria Vo 0210712898 for assistance.

God Bless

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GENERAL MANAGER

- **Key Senior Management Position**
- **Organisational Leadership Focus**
- **Palmerston North**

The General Manager is the custodian of the physical, financial and staffing resource (people) of the Diocese of Palmerston North and is responsible for ensuring they are appropriately protected, efficiently managed, utilised in the provision of pastoral services (as directed by the Bishop) and that all resources are strategically managed for the future.

With the impending retirement of the current long-standing General Manager, the Diocese is now seeking applications from suitably experienced professionals for the position.

Reporting to the Bishop, and leading a capable and committed team of people, the General Manager will:

- Take responsibility for the effective and efficient operation of the diocesan office by providing leadership and direction to the organisation and ensuring that the strategic objectives of the Diocese are met;
- Demonstrate excellent all-round skills in financial and resource management, human resource management, planning and risk management;
- Be an excellent communicator with well-developed interpersonal and problem-solving skills and with the ability to relate effectively with stakeholders;
- Hold appropriate tertiary qualifications in business or in a related discipline.

The successful applicant will have an empathy with and affinity for the Catholic Church and its teachings.

This is a challenging and rewarding senior management position. The appointee will have the chance to play a key role in the strategic management and development of the Diocese of Palmerston North.

For more information please contact Mike Hurdle on 04 917 7355 or apply via www.ocg.co.nz

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