

Planning for eLearning at Fahan School

In light of the recent lockdown preparation guidelines provided by the Tasmanian Government, we would like to share with you some of Fahan School's preparation and planning for online learning in the event that it may be required.

The Tree and Zoom

Our remote and online learning program will be facilitated through the use of The Tree, Zoom and email. The Tree will continue to contain a consistent daily schedule, instructions, resources, activities and links that will allow learning to be facilitated. In Kindergarten to Year 2, parents will use their own log in for the Tree and girls in Years 3 to 12 will login using their own student details.

Timetable

As in 2020, all girls from Kindergarten to Year 12 will follow their current prescribed timetable when online learning. In the Junior School (Kindergarten-Year 6), where possible, teachers will follow a consistent daily routine when planning lesson content for students. In the Senior School (Years 7-12), girls will begin their day at 8:30am via Zoom with their Pastoral Care group and resources and materials will continue to be made available online which will provide structure to the students and allow them to engage easily and consistently in their studies.

Devices

Students from Kindergarten to Year 6 will be provided with their classroom iPad or Chromebook to use for online learning. In the Senior School, our one-to-one program ensures that all girls have a device in which they can access online learning. All Senior School content and textbooks are also available to access via the Tree.

Timing

To allow our families adequate time to prepare a home learning space in the event of a snap lockdown, our contingency planning includes the possibility of one student free day that will take place prior to the commencement of online learning.

Supervision of children of essential workers

As per Government guidelines, Fahan School will provide supervision for the children of essential workers and those whose learning cannot be supported at home. Please note, we will follow Government directions which state that face masks must be worn outside the home by people aged 12 and older (unless still at primary school or otherwise exempt).

Wellbeing

As always, the wellbeing of our girls will be paramount and teaching staff will be in regular contact with students to ensure the support and sense of community at Fahan continues in line with our values of Learning, Spirit and Community.

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