

Monday 20 September

Alert Level 3 Update

Kia ora koutou,

I hope this letter finds you and your bubble well.

As you are aware the latest decision from the Government states that we are moving to Alert Level 3 at 11.59pm on Tuesday 21 September.

The overriding principle for Alert Level 3 is for students to stay at home wherever possible and continue distance learning.

School will be open from 9am Wednesday 22 September if necessary for only a small number of junior students of essential workers who may need to attend with the following guidelines:

- The vast majority of junior students should remain at home connected to distance learning
- If you need to send your Year 9 or 10 student to school <u>because you are an essential worker</u>, you must 'enrol' your student using the link below. In order to assist with organisation for Alert Level 3 School opening please complete the form by midday on Tuesday 21 September. Only students of essential workers who have completed this form will be provided with entry on Wednesday 22 September.

MRGS AL3 Enrolment form

For those few students who may need to attend our usual Alert Level 3 safety processes will be in place:

- students who are unwell must stay home
- the wearing of masks is compulsory
- physical distancing (one metre inside and two metres outside)
- we will regularly clean and disinfect high-touch surfaces
- anyone on site will frequently wash/sanitise hands
- contact tracing systems will be in place, which includes our attendance register and visitor register
- we will be limiting staff onsite with the majority of our team working from home

If you have any questions, please contact Meagan Gaitau, Associate Principal, meagan.gaitau@mrgs.school.nz or 021 024 74966.

Thank you for your ongoing support of our students accessing their online learning.

Stay safe.

Meagan Gaitau Associate Principal