



*Education for Life*

# CONTINUOUS LEARNING EXPERIENCE

## PARENT GUIDE

### COMMUNICATIONS

- We will continue communicating with you via our School website, newsletters, emails and Facebook
- Students will communicate with teachers through their OneNote and Microsoft Teams platforms

### HELP WITH WORK

- Show an interest in what your child is working on and the progress that they make. Get them to teach you what they are learning
- Help your student to use the resources available to them, especially their peers, to support their learning
- Help them become more resourceful rather than becoming a resource for them

### ESTABLISH ROUTINES

- Establish expectations for how your student will spend their learning time
- Check in at regular intervals
- Keep normal bedtime routines
- Encourage physical activity and/or exercise during breaks
- Prepare healthy meals and snacks as you would for a normal school day

### CREATE A POSITIVE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

- You should expect that your child is working to their scheduled timetable and a normal school day and times
- Establish a space/location dedicated for them to learn
- Make sure your student has access to everything they need i.e. laptop, power, pen, paper
- Encourage independence: be present but exercise 'light-touch' monitoring
- Stay updated with assessment schedules and monitor deadlines
- Establish clear expectations around social media, music and other device use especially during the "school day"
- Expect high standards of behaviour from your student while online
- Be patient – learning takes time
- Understand that there will be a level of trial-and-error for parents, teachers and students
- Keep communication open

### MAINTAIN CONTACT

- If your student is unwell and unable to learn online, please advise the School of absences via email at [absence@kenmoreshs.eq.edu.au](mailto:absence@kenmoreshs.eq.edu.au)
- Maintain communication with your student's teacher by email – ask questions if you are unsure about any aspect of your student's learning
- Please contact your student's Head of Year if you have concerns about their wellbeing
- For ICT Services Support email [helpdesk@kenmoreshs.eq.edu.au](mailto:helpdesk@kenmoreshs.eq.edu.au)
- For general enquiries email [office@kenmoreshs.eq.edu.au](mailto:office@kenmoreshs.eq.edu.au)