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Principal's Report

Here we go again.....remote learning will now be the way of education for our students for the next 6 weeks as part of the State Government's COVID management strategy.

This is clearly a position we did not want to be in but we will make it work.

Remote learning this time around will look and be different. We have learnt what is possible and what is just too hard.

We know that short days are needed for everyone's best state of mind.

Do what you can and don't beat yourself up if the outcomes are not perfect. None of us are going to get everything completed every time much less perfectly presented.

Set up a routine, if in 3-6 log into Google classroom and answer the daily question every morning—that is our role marking system so we can monitor attendance. If in Early Years join the community circle.

Complete one or two tasks a day— especially Maths and Literacy upload to Google classroom or photograph and upload to see-saw. Follow the teacher instructions. Don't understand ask the question. Ring the school or post it as a private message . Mrs A has access to all Google classrooms.

Choose another task and work through the teacher instructions. Look out for Zoom meeting information and get involved. There will be more opportunities for social connection at school this time because we know how important it was for students.

Set aside time for fun stuff—do some art, do a phys ed session, tackle a STEM task or plan and research your own investigation on something you are curious about.

Plan for a 9am—2pm school day—if it's not done, its not done.

Declare Fridays—fun Fridays or Finishing off Fridays.

Do something that makes you happy.

Mrs A will be at school so come in and borrow a library book.

Years 5-6 are invited to attend school Friday August 7th and Wednesday August 12th to finalise their Who's who portraits so they can be delivered to the Geelong Gallery.

Please watch Skoolbag, PLPS Official Facebook page, and class Facebook pages for updates about programs, changes to advice etc.

Take care

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