



STUDENT FAQs For Remote Learning

Will I be required to do school work if the School is closed for a period of time?

Yes. While work will be delivered through the School's learning management system, Canvas, on a whole cohort basis, it will not follow each students' individual timetable. However, teachers will be available during their usual timetable classes and be able to accept work, provide feedback and answer questions via email, OneNote (where it is currently used in class) and Canvas.

Failure to complete and submit set tasks during the period of a school closure will be dealt with in the usual manner.

How will I access work that a teacher sets for me?

Students will be delivered lesson material for each of their subjects through Canvas. Subject departments have assigned Course Leaders who will coordinate the distribution of work through Canvas on a cohort basis. This means all students in a particular course will receive similar material.

What happens if I am unable to complete the set work?

Lesson material will be delivered progressively through Canvas in line with the number of periods for that subject. These will be staggered evenly through any closure so as not to overload you. If you are unable to complete the set work, you should email your teacher and copy your Head of House outlining the reasons why set work has not been completed.

Will my teacher monitor what work I am completing?

The class teacher will follow up with their classes using Canvas, OneNote, email etc. They will continue to provide feedback and assistance but through an online environment. Staff will check work and mark it where appropriate. The point of contact between home and school will continue to be your Head of House. There is an expectation that you will be completing and submitting work.

I am having difficulties accessing Canvas. Who do I contact for assistance?

Please contact iCentral on iCentral@barker.nsw.edu.au or ph **8438 7775**.

I have assessment tasks due during the period of the School closure. Do I need to still do these and submit them?

Unless there is scope for online submission, assessment tasks will be suspended. Depending on the length of closure, changes to the Year 7 – 11 assessment program may need to be made. Once the School re-opens your teacher will advise of changes to the assessment schedule.

Are there any suggestions as to how I should structure my workload to complete the set tasks?

We advise all students to follow their usual Barker timetable – that is, when you have Mathematics (for example) complete your Mathematics work. Should you have any questions then email your teacher. It is advisable that you keep up with the work on a daily basis and not leave set tasks until the last minute.