



# Coal Point Public School



## Learning from Home

Dear Families,

Due to the current advice from the NSW Premier, Gladys Berejiklian, regarding the option of parents keeping students at home, we have created the following Learning from Home pack.

Learning from home will mainly be facilitated within the family unit. Shared language, ideas and constant communication through family discussions provide a unique learning opportunity. A digital device is needed to connect to some of the learning activities; however, where possible, we have provided an alternative paper version as well.

Please refer to the appropriate sample timetable for your child/children's year of schooling that outlines daily routines and suggested activities that may be used as a guide for learning from home. This can be adjusted as you see fit. Our school will be using Google Classroom as our preferred learning tool, with ClassDojo being utilised as our private communication method between individual teachers, students and parents only. Your child/children's confidential student portal login will be sent via ClassDojo. All students have been given access to their class on Google Classroom.

Teachers will provide support material work for each class via Google Classroom, in addition to the Learning from Home booklet and grid.

To access Google Classroom, follow the steps below.

1. Google DOE NSW (Department of Education – NSW Government)
2. Go to Login
3. Click on 'Student Portal' and your child will be able to log in using their details sent via ClassDojo.
4. Locate the 'Learning' section on the right-hand side.
5. At the bottom of the Learning section click 'show more'
6. Click on 'G Suite (google apps for Education)'
7. Under the Create and Collaborate column, click on Google Classroom.
8. Click on your 2020 class

While the work completed during this time does not need to be returned to school, you may like to upload photographs of your child/children's work to share with their class and teacher. Please call the school if you have difficulty accessing ClassDojo or Google Classroom and your child's class teacher or a member of the Executive team will call you back as soon as possible.

It will take the support and flexibility of everyone involved to make this uncertain process successful. Within this learning environment, students will need to take responsibility for their work and engagement. At Coal Point Public School, we strive for life-long learning regardless of where the teaching and learning takes place.

Thank you for your continued support.

Coal Point Public School Staff