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Dear Parents and Guardians

Well, we've almost finished our first week of remote learning for Term Three!

Thank you very much for your support and hard work. We know it is not easy when many of you are trying to juggle working from home as well.

Because we know that our children miss the contact of school and this is very important to their wellbeing, on Monday each class teacher will have a zoom meeting with their class. This is not a lesson. It is a catch up. It is also not compulsory.

If your child does take part in the zoom there are a few things you should know. The protocols for the meetings are:

- Everyone must be dressed appropriately, not pyjamas or inappropriate clothing
- The meeting will be for 20 mins
- You will need to have **Zoom** installed on your device before the meeting
- This is not a time for parents to ask questions about class work
- Please have an appropriate background – these are available on zoom, not the child's bedroom
- Class teachers will provide a link to the zoom session via the Google Classroom on Monday.

We know that the children are doing great work at home and that Google classrooms have been used very efficiently, but we also know that the children sometimes have work that they would like to keep. With that in mind we have purchased a book for each of the students that they can work in or keep their work in. They may like to decorate etc. as a record of their home learning. Parents may pick up the scrap book (K-2) or exercise book (3-6) from school. We will have a table outside the office from Monday.

Have a good weekend and stay safe,

Patricia Carr
Principal