



14th November 2022

Kia ora e te whānau,

This morning we have unfortunately had to close three classes across the school due to a rise in COVID cases and also increase in staff illness.

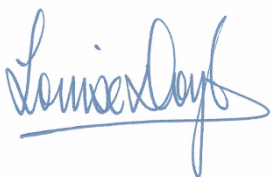
The decision to close a class is not made lightly and is usually the last resort when we have a significant number of staff away in a class and we deem the class / staffing levels unsafe to remain open.

I am writing to make the whole school community aware that we may indeed need to close classes over the next few weeks - so please be prepared.

Often, we don't get the staff absence information until 7.30 in the morning and so have to make decisions quickly and then action taxis and calling whānau in a timely fashion. We do apologise in advance for the disruption this causes to you all and for the late notice.

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to email me directly on
principal@oaklynn.school.nz

Thank you for your ongoing support,
Nāku noa nā



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*He aroha whakatō, he aroha ka puta mai.
If kindness is sown, then kindness is what you shall receive.*