

Friday 11 February 2022

Dear Parents/Caregivers

**Re: Late arrival on Wednesday mornings**

At Norwood Morialta High School teachers engage in quality professional learning every week. This valued opportunity enables staff to work in teams to investigate, develop and implement innovative strategies, thus rejuvenating their practice to develop our students as global citizens. Students have benefited from this learning with the introduction of new learning programs and targeted teaching approaches that has both improved engagement and performance.

In 2022 our staff professional learning community (PLC) time will be conducted on Wednesday mornings. This will mean our students will have a later start and they will commence their learning from 9:40am. We request that students arrive at school from 9:20am.

The school understands some students may not have adequate supervision at home on Wednesday mornings and will require to come to school. These students will be supervised by a relief teacher in the Learning Hub and will be supported to undertake homework and community service activities. Based on our previous experience and community feedback we believe most families are in a position to make alternative arrangements for this time.

The school asks parents/carers to complete the slip below if their child requires supervision at school on Wednesday mornings. Please return this form to your child's Connect teacher by Tuesday 15 February. This is an 'opt in' process and the school will only be responsible for students registered to attend school on Wednesday from 8:45am – 9:20am. Other families who do not require this supervision will not need to complete and return the form.

We request that families discuss the late arrival arrangements and appropriate travel practices with their student to ensure their safety and well-being when travelling to and from school. Students are also reminded to avoid visiting local stores and fast-food restaurants in large groups, to adhere to school expectations and to present themselves positively in public.

Please do not hesitate to contact a member of the Executive Leadership Team on 8364 2299 if you have any further questions.

Yours sincerely

Jacqui van Ruiten  
Principal



**Wednesday PLC Supervision:**

Please complete and return this section to your Connect teacher by Tuesday 15 February 2022.

Student Name: .....Connect Group: .....

is required to attend PLC Supervision sessions from 8:45am – 9:40am in the Learning Hub every Wednesday morning.

Parent/Caregiver Signature: ..... Date: .....



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