

Dear parents and caregivers.

**Greenhithe School is now closed for all staff and children.**

While we are in this period of lockdown it is important we all do our bit, hopefully a few weeks of inconvenience and self isolation will get New Zealand on top of Covid-19. **The school grounds are closed, which includes the playgrounds. We have been asked by the Ministry of Education to remind people to not be on the school site at all.**

While we are in lockdown our security company will be doing extra patrols around and through the school. However I ask that any member of our community who is taking their run or walk past the school please keep an eye out for anything suspicious, or groups hanging out at the school. Unfortunately we have had some vandalism recently, including people on the roof, which is dangerous and causes very costly damage, which comes out of the money for our school resources.

If you spot any suspicious or anti social behaviour within the school during the lock down please phone the security company Sure Control on 443-8003 and/or the police.

You will receive the distance learning from your child's teacher. If there are any questions regarding the learning, please email the teacher directly. Any other questions can come to me (principal@greenhithe.school.nz) or Michelle Butler (michelleb@greenhithe.school.nz) or Kelly Knowles ([kellyk@greenhithe.school.nz](mailto:kellyk@greenhithe.school.nz)).

Finally, please look after yourselves and your families.

Kia Kaha

Ngā mihi

Stephen Grady  
Principal  
Greenhithe School



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