



# Learning at Home

Kia ora and Greetings,

This is our plan for learning at home. We are very aware that not every home has internet access, so we have allowed for this.

## Year 9 and 10 Students

We are posting home a set of printed workbooks for every year 9 and 10 student. Please work on these at home. Please do not throw these away, they will be brought back to school when we re-open.

**All** Year 9 and 10 students will receive these workbooks.

**Some** Year 9 and 10 students will also have access to online or other work, depending on their options. Students should check their school emails for more details.

This information will be inside the student pack, and will also be on our website and FaceBook page.

**We expect the posted packs for Year 9 and 10 students to start arriving to homes sometime next week.**

## Year 11, 12, and 13 Students

**Every Year 11, 12, and 13 student is asked to visit school TOMORROW (Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup>) to pick up a JCHS Laptop or Chromebook.**

**All** Year 11, 12 and 13 students have been enrolled into some Open Polytech NCEA courses using their specialist *i-Qualify* online learning system.

The *i-Qualify* system has been developed over the last few years, and staff from our school have helped in its development. *i-Qualify* is now used throughout NZ and in several other countries.

*i-Qualify* does not need to be on-line (connected to the internet) when you are using it, and it will 'sync' whenever you do connect or log in.

Students who don't have easy access to the internet may be able to stop briefly outside the school gates and use the school wifi, or the free internet available in other places.

So, students will be able to continue NCEA learning from home.

**Some** Year 11, 12, and 13 students will also have access to online or other work, depending on their options. These may include Google Classroom courses for many students.

Students should check their individual school email account for more details.

**Tomorrow, ALL Year 11, 12 and 13 students who do not have a laptop or computer at home are asked to come to school and collect a loan laptop that they can keep at home and use until school reopens.**

Our school will be open from 8am to 1pm, The whole process of signing for a laptop and then booting it up and checking your school email will only take a few minutes. Please come to the Main office.

*The two-week school term break now starts next week (Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March) and finishes after Easter. The first day of term 2 is now Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> April.*

*Although most people probably won't notice as their children will be at home and "locked down" from Thursday this week for at least 4 weeks.*