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Dear Members of the Lindisfarne School community,

**Principal's COVID-19 Update 15 to the Community  
Extension to Lockdown to 10 September 2021 - All of NSW**

This morning the New South Wales Government announced an extension to the lockdown until midnight Friday, 10 September 2021 for all of New South Wales including regional areas. The current Public Health Orders will remain in place until Friday, 10 September.

Lindisfarne Anglican Grammar School will continue to deliver our remote and online learning until such time as the lockdown and Stay at Home Public Health Orders are lifted. The School will remain closed for face-to-face learning and only open for children who are vulnerable or the children of essential workers who cannot conduct their learning from home.

The efforts this week of our School parents, our students and our committed staff have once again demonstrated the strength and resolve of the Lindisfarne Anglican Grammar School Community.

We remain committed to honouring and celebrating Year 12 students and their rites of passage at Lindisfarne Anglican Grammar School. Head of Senior School, Mrs Kate Cornell will communicate separately with all Year 12 students and their families early next week to outline our plans regarding these special events.

It is anticipated that NESA will provide further updates in relation to HSC exams and these will be communicated promptly as they come to hand. HSC students are encouraged to continue their preparations for the HSC, working closely with their teachers and key staff.

The Dean of Studies, Ms Caroline Jeffries communicated with Year 11 students regarding the Preliminary examinations scheduled for Week 9. A further update will be provided about the mode of delivery in the coming days.

This is a difficult time for the community and I am grateful for your ongoing patience and cooperation. I continue to make representations to all levels of Government along with other business and community leaders in relation to the Queensland/New South Wales border and its impact on our school families, students and staff.

Please continue to follow all requirements of the lockdown and to get tested if you have any COVID-19 symptoms, no matter how mild.

We remind parents to log any absenteeism from remote and online learning via Parent Lounge, otherwise, all students are expected to be engaging in the learning programs being provided to the best of their ability.

Should you require any further assistance, please contact your respective Head of Subschool, Mark Douglas, [mdouglas@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au](mailto:mdouglas@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au), Jeremy Godden, [jgodden@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au](mailto:jgodden@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au), Kate Cornell, [kate.cornell@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au](mailto:kate.cornell@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au) or Deputy Principal, Charlotte Lush [clush@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au](mailto:clush@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au) or Director of Community Engagement, Simon McKinley [smckinley@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au](mailto:smckinley@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au).

If you are experiencing genuine financial hardship as a result of the economic impact of the COVID-19 pandemic please contact the Business Manager Brett Dinsdale, [bdinsdale@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au](mailto:bdinsdale@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au) in relation to available support.

School Chaplain, Reverend Constantine Osuchukwu, [constantine.osuchukwu@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au](mailto:constantine.osuchukwu@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au), the School Psychologists, Sarah Broome, [sarah.broome@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au](mailto:sarah.broome@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au), and Julie Henry, [julie.henry@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au](mailto:julie.henry@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au) and senior staff are available to school families and students at this time.

As a school community, we encourage you to continue to maintain a strong circle of support for our students and one another.

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Stuart Marquardt', with a stylized, somewhat abstract shape below it.

Stuart Marquardt  
**Principal**