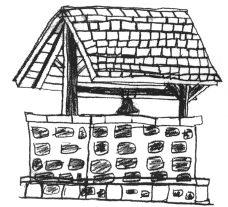


# KAIKORAI PRIMARY SCHOOL

22 Tyne St, Roslyn, Dunedin



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Dear Parents / Caregivers

### Supporting children with Health Needs.

We have identified a health need in the school that we require parents /caregivers to be aware of, and support, lowering the infection possibilities in the future.

To help lower the risk of on going sickness we ask that parents / caregivers keep children at home who have symptoms of the flu, colds and sicknesses, that are easily passed on in a school environment, until they are clear of these symptoms

We will continue to remind children what to do to avoid these bugs but also need your support to keep the school as healthy a place as possible.

### Some reminders:

#### **Hand washing and drying should occur after:**

- coughing,
- sneezing,
- handling used tissues,
- using toilets,
- touching objects, materials or hard surfaces that may have been contaminated by someone with the infectious illness or the infected person themselves.

### Dealing with illness at home:

#### **Children should be kept at home if they show the following symptoms:**

- chills, shivering and a fever
- muscle aches and pains
- sore throat
- dry cough
- trouble breathing
- temperature
- sickness
- sneezing
- a stuffy or runny nose.

**If children are kept at home please remember to ring in to the Office to keep us informed of where children are and symptoms they are showing.**

With the support of the community, last year we were able to keep the spread of any virus to a minimum. Please support this request again this year.

Nigel Wilson  
Principal

