COVID-19 Management Plan

St Paul's School

- Positive cases will not be personally identified unless those individuals give the School permission to do so.
- Positive cases will be contacted directly by the Queensland Department of Health who will then advise the School.
- Any staff member or student who tests positive for Covid must follow the directives from the Queensland Health Department and not return to School for the mandated isolation period.
- For students who fall ill with COVID-19, any support given will be the same as if they were unwell with any other illness, i.e. they will not be offered online learning.
- For those students who are instructed by Queensland Health to isolate, the School will support their learning while they are away in an age appropriate manner, which might include online learning.

Threshold 1

- Once five staff/students have tested positive for Covid within a ten day period, a deep clean will be conducted on high risk areas and a ventilation review undertaken.
- No isolation requirements for contacts though testing recommended.

Threshold 2

- 10% of students or staff who are likely to have mixed closely test positive for COVID-19 within a 10-day period;
- Deep clean of High Risk Areas or any common area identified during contact tracing;
- Review of ventilation in affected areas;
- Pause on high-risk activities and events that could increase the spread (e.g. House and School assemblies, face-to-face Staff Briefings, Supporter Group events, i.e. activities that will see Year levels mixing or high density gathering);
- Relocation of high risk activities to areas better ventilated, e.g. Music Ensembles;
- Return to mask wearing for all adults and Year 7-12 students when indoors and queuing at the Tuckshop;
- Temporary ban on parents on the campus;
- Temporary ban on unvaccinated volunteers on site (i.e. Coaches);
- Temporary pause on excursions and camps.

Threshold 3

- 40% of the school campus population infected within a 10 day period.
- Temporary closure of the School and a return to online learning (essential workers can still send their children to School);
- Deep clean of the entire School.