IN CASE OF INFECTIOUS DISEASE
PLEASE NOTIFY THE COLLEGE IMMEDIATELY...

10 November 2014

Dear Parents/Caregivers

We wish to advise that a student in our school community is currently receiving medical treatment for an illness. He/She will be attending school on occasions while engaged in treatment.

As a consequence of treatment this student’s ongoing health is at risk if he/she comes into contact with infectious diseases, in particular, whooping cough, shingles, chickenpox, measles or mumps. If your son or daughter is suspected of having one of these illnesses it is important he/she does not attend school. It is very important that while your child is unwell he/she remains at home until he/she is no longer contagious. Information on infectious conditions can be found on the NSW health website at www.health.nsw.gov.au or alternatively contact your local GP.

If your child has whooping cough, shingles, chickenpox, measles or mumps, or is suspected of having an illness, please contact the school immediately. This will allow the school to assess the probable contact and therefore, exposure of our student to the disease. Notification can then be given to the parents and medical specialists.

As a school community we value your support in relation to the well-being of all our students. Please do not hesitate to contact the Deputy Principal if you have any questions via phone: 02 4861 1488 or email: office@chevalier.nsw.edu.au.

Yours sincerely,

Chris McDermott
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