



Conditions of Residency – COVID-19

By returning to the College, students will be taken to agree to the conditions outlined below. The Conditions of Residency have been developed in response to the latest advice from the Australian Government and the Victorian Department of Health and Human Services.

The conditions are in place to ensure the health and safety of everyone in the Ormond Community and we all need to look out for each other. While we are a community of largely healthy young people, we do have students and staff with weakened immune systems or chronic medical conditions who are at great risk of becoming seriously ill from COVID-19. Therefore, it is incumbent on everyone to take responsibility, and accountability, to limit the virus entering the College by adhering to the current conditions.

The College reserves the right to amend these conditions at any time in response to changes in government advice relating to COVID-19 and community safety. This conditions of residency document must be signed by all students prior to returning to College.

Prior to returning

1. Students must adhere to and complete all onboarding processes to ensure a safe return to Ormond College.
2. Students must complete and submit the student health intake form.
3. Prior to arrival, if a student is unwell or displays any of the following symptoms, however mild:

fever, chills or sweats, cough, sore throat, shortness of breath, runny nose, and/ or loss of sense of smell;

they must not attend College. As recommended by the Victoria Department of Health and Human Services, you should get tested for COVID-19.

4. Prior to arrival students must ensure they have adequate support systems in place to relocate in the event of College closure or government advice to reduce population density.

While in residence

5. When departing campus, students must sign in and out indicating their destination for the purpose of contact tracing, should it be required.
6. No visitors or guests are permitted on campus at any time.
7. Students must adhere to social distancing measures as stipulated by government requirements. These are currently stated as 1 person per 4m². These measures apply in all College spaces. Each space has clearly signed information indicating the maximum number of occupants permitted.
8. Unapproved or impromptu parties are prohibited.
9. Students must follow all specified mealtime and dining procedures for health and hygiene.
10. All students must engage in appropriate personal hygiene, including frequent handwashing and cough/ sneeze etiquette.
11. Students are not permitted to congregate outdoors in groups of greater than 20 students. Even outside students must maintain 1.5m of physical distance between people.
12. If you are ill or unwell, you must inform reception ASAP who will then coordinate assistance.
13. Unwell students must submit written advice from a medical practitioner to inform the College of the necessary steps to manage and maintain the health of the individual and larger population.
14. Unwell students who are able to return to their family home, must do so to maintain the health and safety of the larger College community.
15. Any student who undergoes subsequent COVID-19 testing, outside of proactive testing measures implemented by the College, must self-isolate until a written medical certificate has been submitted clearly indicating a negative test result.
16. If you are ill, symptomatic or awaiting a test result and asked to remain in isolation by a College staff member or the medic, you must remain in your designated isolation room without any exceptions, with no visitors permitted. You can only depart isolation when you have had approval from a member of the College Executive team.

General

17. The College may at any time change these conditions of residency. The College will inform you in writing of any changes.

18. All students accept any potential health risks associated with returning to College and understand they are at all times responsible for their own health and safety.
19. Any breach of the above terms and conditions is serious and will be referred to the College Master. Students found breaching any of these conditions could have their agreement terminated, with no refund provided for semester fees, at the Master's discretion.

In addition to the compulsory conditions above, students are also requested to:

20. Download – and leave open and active – the COVID SAFE phone app in order to swiftly identify any close contacts in the event of a positive case
21. Take part in any community testing for COVID-19 that may take part in the course of the semester. In the event of a positive case on campus this may be mandated under the *Biosecurity Act*, but community screening may occur to assist Victorian surveillance of the virus.

Acknowledgement

I _____ (insert name) have read and agree to abide by the College's Conditions of Residence.

I understand that these Conditions are open to change, depending on the latest government advice and in the interest of community safety and wellbeing.

(Signature)

(Date)