



**24 November 2021**

## **Vaccination status - COVID-19 Collecting information begins today.**

Tēnā koe whānau/parents/caregivers/students

On October 14th we wrote to you regarding the Ministry of Health requirement for all schools to collect the vaccination status of students enrolled at their school. At this time we asked that you have ready the evidence we require to be shared with us. The process of gathering this information will begin today and is urgent.

The urgency around this has been created by the fact that the new Covid-19 Framework or 'Traffic Light' system kicks in soon. We need to ensure we too are ready for this. For example, our 'Activity Day' providers are now required to have evidence of whether customers are fully vaccinated. Without this, some activities may not run or students will be ineligible to attend. The sooner we know your daughter/young person's status, the sooner we can respond.

**We are asking you to share this via the KAMAR parent portal**, (accessed via our website), **The ability for you to do this is now open**. To access the portal you will need your daughter's username and password.

**We ask that you enter the vaccination status of your daughter/young person and upload the necessary evidence as soon as possible. When you log into the parental portal, look for the "Details" tab and then the "COVID Vaccination status" tab.**

In this tab, you will be given three options to choose from:

1. I decline to provide information.
2. I have an exemption.
3. Provide evidence of vaccination (date and dose 1 and/or dose 2 from "My Covid Record" website). Linked [here](#) is MoH information about "My Covid Record" accounts.

All information is collected under strict Privacy settings. Only you can see your daughter/young person's details, no other parent. At school, only 4 staff can access this information, including the Principal.

Please upload the COVID-19 vaccine status of your daughter/young person today. If you are having trouble uploading this information, please email Deb Taylor [dtaylor@tgc.school.nz](mailto:dtaylor@tgc.school.nz)

Many thanks for your support

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