COVID-19 Advice
Chief Health Officer Recommendations for Schools
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School settings

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• To increase physical distancing across the population and prevent the transmission of COVID-19, children in Victorian schools should move to remote and flexible learning and care at the commencement of Term 2.

• Onsite learning in schools should continue to be provided for vulnerable children, and for children of essential workers who are unable to make alternative arrangements.

• When onsite learning is provided, hand sanitiser should be available at the entry points to classrooms and education should be provided on hand hygiene. Physical distancing should be implemented in classrooms to the extent feasible and ill children should be excluded from attending.