



## Delay to Start of Term One

**Communication to C&K families – 10 January 2022**

Subject: Announcement of Delay to Start of Term One

Dear Families,

Yesterday the Queensland Government announced the start of the 2022 school year in Queensland would move from Monday 24 January to Monday 7 February to avoid opening schools during the predicted peak of the Omicron wave and allow more time for children to receive their COVID-19 vaccinations.

We understand this announcement has raised questions about how this change will affect the start of the kindergarten term. We anticipate that kindergartens will be open for children of essential workers and children experiencing vulnerability during these first two weeks.

C&K is currently awaiting clarification of the information from the Department of Education, and we will get back to you as soon as we have more information.

We thank you for your patience, and if you have any questions or concerns in the meantime, please contact [advice@candk.asn.au](mailto:advice@candk.asn.au).

Take care,

Dr Sandra Cheeseman

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