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Dear parents and carers,

I would like to inform you that the Term 2 Staff Development Day (pupil free day) will be moved from Monday the 19th April to Monday the 3rd May. I apologise for the late notice, but this opportunity has only just become available to us.

This change of date will allow staff to undertake professional learning in the ALARM learning and responding matrix. This professional learning will be delivered by Max Woods, the teacher who developed and implemented this very successful matrix at Freshwater High.

This professional learning will support staff in the explicit teaching of higher order responses to support our students in achieving the best academic outcomes.

If you would like to learn more about ALARM an introduction to ALARM is available via the following web address:

<https://youtu.be/gnZ2TiBh-QY>

Yours Sincerely,

Leisa Conroy

26 March 2021