## **Message from Northern Beaches Council**

This week more students have returned to schools on the Northern Beaches. Council wants the drop off and pick up for school children to run safely, smoothly and quickly to help support Covid-19 restrictions.

With the return to school and Covid-19 restrictions in mind Council will be putting up the following temporary signs at all existing No Parking (Kiss and Drop) areas, 2 minute, 5 minute, and 10 minute parking areas. (see photo below)

Also, where appropriate, Council wants to temporarily expand the No Parking (Kiss and Drop) areas around schools, to give parents more space to drop their children off quickly. To implement this Council will identify locations and install additional signage. These signs will be installed by next week.

If your school can identify a particular area for an additional temporary No Parking (Kiss and Drop) zone and you have the opportunity to get back to us today, please let us know as soon as possible, and we will review your suggestion.

These temporary signs will be up as long as required under the Public Health Orders affecting bus occupancy. The Council Rangers have been briefed on the enforcement of these yellow Covid-19 signs around schools and will enforce them.



Please share this information with the parents, staff and any visitors.

Note that the new signs are enforceable regardless of the current parking signage restrictions.

We realise this is late notice, however we want to act quickly in these circumstances.