



HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA

VISITOR AND BOOKED TOUR GROUPS COVID-19 SAFETY PLAN

The Visitor and Booked Tour Groups COVID-19 Safety Plan is prepared to help maintain a safe working environment for staff, teachers, students and general visitors to the High Court of Australia.

Wellbeing of staff and general visitors

- Staff who are unwell, even with a negative RAT result, are required not to enter the building.
- Members of the public who are unwell are encouraged not to enter the building.
- Disposable masks are available for members of the public who wish to wear a mask while visiting the building.

Wellbeing of participants of booked tour groups

- As recommended by ACT Health, excursion participants displaying symptoms consistent with COVID-19 are tested using a Rapid Antigen Test (RAT).
- Booked tour groups are required to inform the Booking Coordinator of any excursion participants who return a positive RAT during their Canberra excursion (for interstate schools) or the day of impending visit (for local schools) via the bookings@hcourt.gov.au before their booked tour time.
- Excursion participants who are unwell are encouraged not to enter the building.
- Excursion participants who present with a positive RAT are requested not to enter the building.
- Booked tour groups who have a member test positive to COVID-19 are encouraged to wear masks during their tour.

Physical distancing of booked tour groups

- For booked groups:
 - Booked groups will be met and escorted by a Guide before entering the building;
 - Guides will request assurance from teachers that no member of the group is unwell; and
 - Maximum time in the Court building will be 60 minutes for booked groups.

Hygiene and cleaning

- Posters to encourage and educate on good hygiene practices placed in kitchens and bathrooms.
- Hand sanitiser is accessible at entry and throughout the building.
- Bathrooms well stocked with hand soap and paper towels.