

StudioMade by Darren McGinn

2021 Co-VID-19 safe plan

CoVid OH &S Protocol

As outlined in the Victorian Government's COVID-19 roadmap, all authorised workers - including those working in Ceramic studios are required to be vaccinated in order to attend the workplace. Staff at StudioMade are fully vaccinated and we ask that our students attending classes follow this also.

By the 15th October, 2021 all persons entering the Studio space must have received one dose, followed by a second dose by 26th November, 2021- unless a medical exemption can be provided.

As part of this roadmap, we are asking for you to share your current vaccination status with us when you check in.

Please be aware that even with relaxation of COVID - 19 regulations - the virus remains in our community.

We all have a responsibility to minimise the spread of the virus.

We welcome you with these measures and planned strategies in place to ensure the safety of you and our community.

This is how we are helping to keep you and ourselves safe:

We pay attention to client health screening, physical distancing as much as is practicable.

We maintain small class sizes.

The studio and back of house areas undergo comprehensive cleaning between classes.

We reduce the spread of any virus or germs by regular environmental cleaning using appropriate cleaning products.

We clean and disinfect high touch surfaces such as benchtops, work tables, pottery wheels, door knobs, taps, door handles before and after every class.

We increase the amount of fresh air available by keeping doors and windows open as much as practical during, before and after each class.

The bathroom area and wash areas are cleaned and disinfected before and after each class.

Ensure you bring your own clean apron and clean towel to each class.

We recommend that you please take the time to read our protocol below:

Before Class:

Masks on and QR scan on arrival (alternatively use the paper sign in form)

We value our students downloading the Service Victoria COVID - 19 safe app.

Please do not attend any class if you are unwell or if you have been exposed to anyone who has had or may have or is quarantining for COVID -19.

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Please phone or email if you are not able to attend your class and we will try and organise some studio access (when you are well) during the school term if this is possible.

Please try and minimise the items you bring into the studio space.

On Arrival:

Once you have QR scanned in, secured your belongings (and mask) sanitised your hands using the hand sanitiser provided, put your clean apron on - then come and join the class. We prefer you dont bring your phone into the studio - if you must please sanitise it or keep it in a snap lock bag/ keep your phone on silent and - we ask that you take all calls outside and re-do the hand sanitising procedure before you return to the studio.

During and end of class:

Social 1.5m distancing between people is maintained as much as is practicable during class. Avoid touching your face or your hair - remember to sanitise your hands if you do so. Hand sanitising prior to, during and after the session is essential. Please sanitise your hands before and after eating too.

Hand sanitiser is available for your use at all times.