



Kingsgrove North High School

Promoting excellence in a caring environment

16 August 2021.

Dear Parents and Carers,

It is with great sorrow that I provide you with the information that one of our Year 10 students, Osama Subuh, passed away in hospital over the weekend.

On behalf of Kingsgrove North High School I offer our sincere sympathy and deepest condolences go to Osama's family, other relatives and friends.

Since starting at the school in Year 7, Osama was noted among staff and students alike for his intelligence, hard work and kindness towards others.

Osama was also active in our school community, which made him well-liked and respected. He was a gentle soul, who will be missed intensely by everyone.

It is normal for us to grieve individually and as a school community over Osama's passing, but we are glad to have known him, albeit too briefly, for the outstanding young man he was.

Although current COVID restrictions mean on-site grief counselling is not possible, the school will provide a list of support services that all families can access. Any student who is seeking counsellor support should do so through the usual channels. If you are unsure of these processes please refer to your year adviser and access google classroom.

Alternatively, the following 24/7 no cost phone counselling services are available:

- Kids Helpline – 1800 55 1800.
- Beyond Blue – 1300 22 4636.
- Lifeline – 13 11 14.

If your child or children seem distressed or affected by Osama's passing please contact the school for support, see your local doctor or phone one of the counselling services.

Yours sincerely

Angelo Stasos