

May, 2019

# Kea Team Newsletter

Kia ora koutou, ngā mihi nui kia koutou katoa.

Welcome to all new Kea Team families



## What we are learning:

Literacy - The new children are learning the alphabet letter names, sounds and basic sight words.

The older children will be focussing on learning more basic sight words and beginning to use different reading strategies to solve unknown words.

They are also learning relate the text to their own lives and make predictions.

Maths - Most children are learning to count forwards and backwards to 10 and simple addition to 10 on materials. Older children will also be stating the number before and after up to 100 and doing simple addition in their heads.

Topic - We are doing mini units this term around "We are Explorers". We are also learning about dinosaurs and mini beasts.

Dance - We will be doing folk dancing this term.

## Upcoming Events

- Open Morning for parents and grandparents Thursday 9th May 9.00 - 10.30
- PCS Green Day Friday 7th June
- Year 1 Butterfly Creek Trip Friday 14th June
- Reports go home Wednesday 3rd July
- 3 Way Conferences Thursday 4th July

We are having a focus on wearing the correct P.C.S school uniform to school each day. This includes our school jumper and black shoes. Please ensure that everything is named!

Term 2 value: Honesty

The teachers are available for a quick chat in their rooms from 8.30. Please wait on the green seats outside the block until the bell rings at 8.30am.

## Teachers in Year 1

Room 1 - Mrs Joseph

Room 2 - Mrs Leyshon

Room 3 - Miss Chapman

Room 4 - Miss Stonestreet ( Learning Leader)

Room 5 - Miss Hermez and Mrs Pather

Room 6 - Mrs Ram

