



Kakapo

T2 Newsletter

2nd May 2022

PARENTS & CAREGIVERS

Welcome parents and caregivers to term 2! Remember no hats this term. All hats have been sent home to be kept safely until term 4.
We are moving full steam ahead into term 2 with lots of options available for students. Please encourage your child to have a go at the many opportunities being offered.

The values for the term are honesty, perseverance and awhitanga. Whilst there is a big emphasis on teaching students about what honesty, perseverance and awhitanga looks and sounds like there is an overall expectation that students are honest, persevere and show awhitanga at all times.

It is great to see many students are making a huge effort with their homework. Please continue to encourage daily reading, basic facts and spelling word practice.

As we are heading into colder weather, students are being encouraged to dress warmly in their correct school uniform. Please note that black shoes and socks are part of the school uniform.

We encourage our students to be at school by 8:30 to set up for the day.

We would also like your support in encouraging healthy eating, so please ensure students come to school with healthy and waste free lunches to help them stay focused in class.

Soon, teachers will start working on students mid year reports, which will be followed by our end of term PTS Conferences in week 10.

If you would like to have a chat about your child's progress and learning you can contact the teacher via Seesaw or email.

The Kakapo Team

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KEY DATES

MAY

Thu 5: Mihi Whakatau 10am
Mon 9 - Fri 13: NZ Sign Language Week
Rotuman Language Week
Mon 16: Board meeting (6pm)
Mon 23: MODULE 3 BEGINS: Bringing Stories to Life
Mon 23 - Thurs 26: BOOK WEEK
Fri 27: Staff Only Day (NO SCHOOL)
Mon 30 - Fri 3: BOOK WEEK
Samoa Language Week
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Mon 6: MODULE 4 BEGINS: Our Place in Space
Mon 6 - Fri 10: Support Staff Week
Mon 6: Queen's Birthday (NO SCHOOL)
Mon 13: Board meeting (6pm)
Wed 15: Talent Show auditions (Year 4-6)
Thu 16: Talent Show auditions (Year 1-3)
Mon 20 - Fri 24: Te Wiki o Matariki
Mon 20: School photo day
Thu 23: Winter Sport Zones
Fri 24: Matariki Holiday (NO SCHOOL)
Wed 29: Reports sent home
Thu 30: Parent morning - Make and Take

JULY

Thu 7: PTS Conferences
Fri 8: Talent Shows
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CURRICULUM FOCUS

Maths: Number knowledge, Multiplication and Division, Fractions and Measurement

Reading: Retelling, Skimming and Scanning, Summarising, Fact Finding and Voice projection

Writing: Narratives, Information reports and Spelling

PE & Health: Invasion games, sport studies and large ball skills

Inquiry: Module 2 Continued: Land Ahoy, Module 3: Bringing Stories to Life and Module 4: Our Place in Space