



Pōhutukawa Newsletter

Term 1 2024

Our 2024 Team

Year 3

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Reminders

Hats must be worn outside during Term 1

Bring a water bottle daily

Wrapper free lunch box

Whakatauki (Maori Proverb)

Our Term 1 school Whakatauki (Maori proverb) is "Manaaki te katoa" (kindness to all), which links to our school value of kindness. We want children to show kindness to themselves, others and our environment. We practise kindness in the classroom, in the playground and moving around the school. We also hope that they show kindness at home!

Home Learning

This year there is no formal homework being sent home. We encourage your child to read daily and practice their basic facts.

School Assembly

Friday 2pm Even Weeks

Term 1 Learning

Inquiry: 'Tangata Whenua' an exploration of early NZ
Maths: Statistical Investigation, Measurement: Timelines
Number: Addition/Subtraction and Problem Solving
Literacy: Personal writing and descriptions
Art: Self Portraits

Upcoming Events

Monday 12th February	Meet the teacher Friday
16th February.	Family Friday
Week 5 and 6	Year 4 Swimming Daily
Friday 8th March	Year 4 Swimming Sports
Thursday 28th March	Teacher's Only Day
Week 9/10	Life Education Caravan
Friday 12th April.	Last Day of Term 1

Birthdays

Please leave birthday treats for your at home celebrations