

2024 CURRICULUM OVERVIEW - TERM ONE

MODULE 3 - Risk Taker

(WEEKS 5 - 10)

Kia ora whānau: we would like to let you know what we envision the focus of each learning area will be in Term One. We have deliberately not put in the weeks for each focus as this is very much dependent on the students in each class. One size does not fit all and we pride ourselves on being flexible and having our students play a part in their learning. The Locus of Control should include both teacher and student. Please check out what your child will be learning/developing this term. Ask them how their different subjects are going and what their favourite part has been.

CURRICULUM AREA		FOCUS
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		Reading: Skimming and scanning, discussing main ideas
		Oral Language: Listening, presenting and sharing their learning
		Social Science: Learning about the Broadening Horizons Model and being risk-takers
	MATH	Number: Addition and Subtraction Strategies Strand: Algebra
	SCIENCE	Science 101 - The Scientific Method
PE		Team Building Skills: Through invasion and problem solving games; Swimming
COOKING		Cooking a range of food using basic kitchen skills
DIGI COMP		Using a variety of resources and new skills to achieve different digital outcomes
SUSTAINABLE DESIGN		Learning the concepts of sustainability and regeneration by solving real-world environmental issues using a design process
TE AO MAORI		The Legend of Manurewa and Tikanga on a Marae
X-PLO TECH		Explore and develop skills associated with hands-on learning opportunities using hard materials such as wood and textiles
ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION		Regenerating our natural environment to support a rich and healthy ecosystem that supports us all to thrive: Animal Welfare (five domains of husbandry) and Human Welfare (achieved through caring for our natural environment)
MUSIC		Focus on music and instruments from Aotearoa
PERFORMING ARTS		A focus on Dance styles and Music that makes inspirational links to Aotearoa
VISUAL ART		Creating Art inspired by artists from Aotearoa

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