



TERM 3 CLASS LETTER 2024



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Term Three Values: Pride | Fairness | Effort + Commitment | Excellence

## Teachers

### Core Subject Teachers

Humanities: Mr McCoy

Math: Miss Mousa

Science: Miss Hape

PE: Mr Byrne-Hansen

### Module Teachers

Art: Shar Hardwidge

Te Ao Māori: Char Tamaki

## Subjects

**Module Six: MI Cultural Focus  
Breakout**  
Olympic Bid

**Module Seven: Communicator**  
Hauora: Nutrition  
Monday Magic: Money Mojo  
Life Skills: First Aid  
Friday Frenzy: Careers

## Special Dates

### Exhibition of Learning in the Gym

Monday 5 - Thursday 8 August  
9am to 4:30pm

### Student Involved Conferences

Wednesday 7th August: 8am - 8pm

### Room Three Assembly

Friday 9th August: 10am

For other important Term Three dates please refer to the 2024 MI Whānau Calendar you received. It is also in your child's MI Planner on page 8. If there are any special events unique to our class, I will let you know.

## MONDAY 22 JULY 2024

Tēnā koe, Talofa Lava, Mālō e lelei and greetings!

Kia ora whānau. Term Three - Room Three - Let's go! So much has happened already and we're only halfway through the year. Room Three had their Marae Stay and got to swim in the new pool. They smashed their speeches and the Art Module was a great way for them to be creative! Thanks for all the support from you all.

Reading is one of the most important things for young people to do. Remember to get them reading at home and take advantage of the library books they bring home. If you would like any tips on making this more successful, please get in touch, I'd love to share some ideas with you.

This term begins with Book Week. I look forward to seeing students dressed in their favourite book character costumes this Friday. Module Six: MI Cultural Focus Breakout is about the Olympic Games and the country we will be learning about is **Ecuador**. The purpose of this module is to teach our kids about the world and help them understand all the different challenges when planning an event like the Olympics. Our Module Seven focus is Communicator this term, which is about building students' ability to communicate, investigate, share, collaborate and gain information in a variety of situations. SIC's are also happening again in Week Three and more information will come home with specific details soon! Our class assembly performance is in Week Three also, and we would love to see you in the audience!

A reminder that we have Muay Thai Period Six after school every Monday led by myself. I've trained, fought, and coached in Thailand and the UK. There are also lots of exciting other Period Six's available at school every day so get your kids involved.

Last but not least, please remember the importance of attendance, punctuality, and responsibility around uniform and hygiene. During Term Three, students are still allowed to wear:

- PLAIN BLACK shirts under their school uniform to keep warm (not hoodies)
- PLAIN BLACK long trousers or track pants
- Girls are allowed to wear black stockings
- PE uniform is the same all year (required for fitness every day)

As always, I welcome communication from our families as we will get the best out of your children when we work together.

Sincerely,

James McCoy

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## ATTENDANCE

We aim for 100% attendance, rain or shine, Monday to Friday! If your child is not coming to school, please make sure you contact me in the morning, preferably before 8:30 am. I will be contacting you if your child is away without a valid reason as they can not progress with their learning if they miss school.

## LATES:

School starts at 8:30 am. Students who are late twice in a week and who do not have a valid reason will be placed on **Community Service**. Please encourage your child to go to bed at a decent hour each night so they wake up early and get to school on time. Students should aim to be at school by 8:20 am.

## UNIFORM:

Your child needs to be in 100% correct school uniform, this includes their whānau band. If there are any problems and your child does not have the correct uniform, please provide them with a letter they can hand to Mr Peilua to receive a uniform pass. Winter uniform can still be worn this term - plain black long sleeves, plain black pants and plain black beanies only.