

"NO EXCUSES, JUST RESULTS!"

KOWHAI Whānau

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Term Four Values: Tolerance | Trust | Creativity & Innovation | Fun

ROOM 3 - TERM 4 CLASS LETTER - MONDAY 14TH OCTOBER 2024

Dear Whānau and Caregivers,

What a year it has been – a rollercoaster of memories and growth! It's hard to believe we're already in Term Four.

Your kids have been amazing, and I feel incredibly grateful to have each and every one of them in Room Three. It has likely been an adjustment for them, having a new teacher with a different style of teaching and support. However, I am confident that they know I work hard for them and always push them towards the next step in their learning journey.

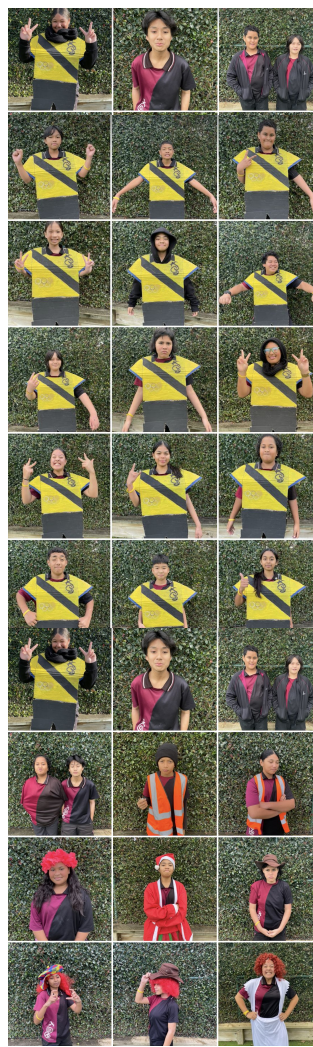
Term Three has been a time of blossoming for many of your children and it has been great to witness this each day. Everyone has shown focus and stepped up both academically and socially, which has tied in nicely with our Graduate Profile.

Term Four is a busy time for us, with a lot happening. As always, the expectation is that everyone will participate and contribute to the events coming up - beginning with MI Athletics Day, Boys' Night Out and Girls' Night In. Our MI Night Market will raise money for Year 8 Graduation and Whānau Fun Day. We also have Prizegiving and the MI Cultural Performance Night, all of which are listed in the 'Special Dates' section. I encourage everyone to make the most of the time we have left as a class and to enjoy these experiences.

I want to thank all whānau for your continued support, persistence, and communication. I truly appreciate you all for welcoming me into your country and culture. Please don't hesitate to contact me during this final term if you have any concerns about your child, or if you'd like to catch up on how they are progressing socially and academically.

Warm regards

James McCoy



Teachers

Core Subject Teachers

Humanities: Mr McCoy
Math: Miss Mousa
Science: Miss Hape
PE: Mr Byrne-Hansen

Module Teachers

Sustainable Design: Miss MCB
Digi Comp: Mrs White

Form Time Subjects

Module 8: Compassionate

Hauora: Myself and Peers
Monday Magic: NZ History
Life Skills: MI Skills
Friday Frenzy: Geography

Special Dates

MI Athletics Day

Wednesday 23 October

BNO: Wednesday 30 October

GNI: Thursday 31 October

MI Night Markets

Friday 15 November (4:30-6:30pm)

MI Cultural Performance Night

Wednesday 27 November

Year 8 Graduation

Friday 6 December (6-9pm)

Module 9: MI Experience

Monday 9 - Wednesday 11 December

Student Involved Conferences

Thursday 12 December

Prizegiving + Last day of 2024

Friday 13 December

REMINDERS

ATTENDANCE

I expect 100% attendance! Your child must be at school everyday. If your child is not coming to school, make sure to contact me in the morning preferably, before 8:30am. 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. We want and need your child at school everyday!

LATES:

If your child arrives at school after the 8:30am bell, they will be on Community Service at Lunchtime the following day. To avoid this from happening, please ensure your child is getting to bed at a decent hour each night so they wake up early and get to school on time.

UNIFORM:

Your child needs to be in 100% correct school uniform. This includes their whānau band. Refer to the MI Planner for more information. If there are any problems and your child does not have the correct uniform, please provide them with a note they can present to Mr Peilua to receive a uniform pass.