



Ronday 14th October 2024 RODO Term Four Class Letter

Tëna koe, Talofa Lava, Malo e lelei and greetings

What an incredible year it has been! It's hard to believe we are already approaching the final stretch of the school year. Term Three has been a fantastic ride, with our students achieving so much over the past three terms. We kicked off Term Three with our Olympic bid, where Room 71 represented the United Arab Emirates. The enthusiasm, dedication, and energy the students put into their presentations was truly remarkable. This term has encouraged many of our learners to excel and embrace new challenges, especially with the increased participation in various Period Six activities. It has been inspiring to see how the students have grown over these months, not only academically but also in their personal development. Their willingness to take risks and push their boundaries has been a highlight of Term Three.

Thank you to all the families who attended our Student Involved Conferences last term. It was wonderful to discuss your child's progress and future steps and to work together on how they can continue to thrive as valuable members of both Manurewa Intermediate and Room 71. Your feedback and participation are crucial in helping us support each student's unique journey and ensure they reach their full potential.

As we look forward to Term Four, we're excited about the many opportunities that lie ahead. Although we're nearing the end of 2024, we are committed to maintaining the same excitement and determination we started with in Term One. We have many opportunities on the horizon for our students to further develop their academic and social skills. Upcoming events include Night Markets, Athletics Day, Graduation, Student Involved Conferences, Cultural Night performances, and more.

As we look forward to Term Four, we aim to make the final term as enriching and fulfilling as possible, ensuring that every student leaves the year with a sense of accomplishment and readiness for the next stage of their educational journey. As we wrap up this busy year, I want to express my deep gratitude for your ongoing support, which has kept Room 71 thriving throughout the past three terms. Your involvement and encouragement are greatly appreciated and have played a significant role in making this year so successful.

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Mr Tanaki	Performing Arts
Mr Cope	X-Plo Tech



FORM TIME SUBJECTS

Module 8: Compassionate Module 9: MI Experience Module 10: MI Experience

TERM FOUR MODULES

Hauora: MI Self and Peers Monday Magic: NZ History Life Skills: MI Skills Friday Frenzy: Geography **TERM FOUR VALUES**

Tolerance, Trust, Creativity + Innovation, Fun

Wed Oct 23rd: MI Athletics (Massey Park)
Fri Oct 25th : Staff Only Day
Mon Oct 28th: Labour Day
Wed Oct 30th: Boys Night Out
Thur Oct 31st: Girls Night In
Fri Nov Ist: Gumboot Friday
Fri Nov I5th: Night Markets
Wed Nov 27th: Cultural Performance Evening
Thur Dec 5th: Sports Awards
Fri Dec 6th: Year 8 Graduation
Thur Dec 12th: SIC
Fri Dec 13th: Prizegiving, Last Day of School

We aim for 100% attendance, rain or shine, Monday to Friday! If your child is not coming to school, please make sure to contact me in the morning preferably before 8:30am.

School starts at 8:30am. 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 8:20am.

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 in to Mr Peilua to receive a uniform pass.