

ROOM 4 NEWSLETTER

Monday 4th February



**Tena koe, Talofa lava, Malo e leilei, Ni sa bula vinaka,
Namaste, Fakalofa lahi atu, Ni hao, Kia Ora and Hello.**

To those that are new, like myself, welcome. To those students returning, welcome back! My name is Tessa Scholten and it is an absolute privilege to have your child in my form class for 2019! I am extremely excited for the year ahead and I cannot wait to share some awesome experiences alongside Room 4.

I would like to extend a warm welcome to all parents and caregivers. I look forward to meeting with you, getting to know you, and working together to inspire your child to succeed.

ABOUT ME:

Like many of the students this is also my first year at Manurewa Intermediate, so we can be nervous together as we begin our journeys at MI. I recently graduated teachers college and cannot wait to bring my passion, enthusiasm, and aroha to the classroom in 2019. I am of Dutch descent with both my parents being from the Netherlands, however I was born and bred in Manurewa and I currently live in the Gardens with my partner. I am the eldest of 4 children (2 boys 2 girls), I love the outdoors, swimming, and reading, and have experienced high level sport with my background in netball.

Some information to help your child start 2019 positively:

Attendance and lates:

I am a happy form class teacher when I see each and every Room 4 child and their cheeky, smiling faces in class by 8:40 am. The best place for your child is here at school, so please ensure that students are at school and on time. If students are late, they will need to have a note written by a parent /guardian or have an adult drop them off at the office. Similarly, if students are away, please ensure to get in contact with me or ring the school office.

UNIFORM:

Ensure your child is in 100% correct uniform everyday. Please refer to the MI planner if you are unsure what this looks like. If however for any reason your child cannot wear the correct uniform, please write a note and your child will need to get a uniform pass from Miss Doidge.

Naku nou na,

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Tessa Scholten

TERM 1 DATES:

FEBRUARY:

- Mon 4 Feb: MI Whanau Day
- Wed 6 Feb: Waitangi Day holiday
- Fri 8 Feb: MI Night Markets 5-8pm
- Tues 12 Feb: MI Swimming Sports
- Fri 15 Feb: Mini Athletics
- Wed 20 Feb: Rimu depart for survival camp
- Fri 22 Feb: Rimu return from survival camp
- Mon 25 Feb: Timetable starts!
- Tues 26 Feb: Zone Boys Softball

MARCH:

- Tue 5 Mar: Zone Girls Softball
- Fri 8 Mar: Zone Swimming
- Wed 13 Mar: Zone Ultra Rip
- Wed 27 Mar: 6.30-8.30pm: Easter Social and Whanau Hui

APRIL:

- Wed 3 April: Class and Individual Photos
- Tue 9 April: Zone Boys Football
- Thu 11 April: 8.00-8.00pm Student Involved Conferences
- Fri 12 April: STAFF ONLY DAY - NO SCHOOL

SUBJECT TEACHERS FOR TERM 1:

Humanities: Miss Tessa Scholten

Math: Mr Thomas Bartlett

Science: Mr Ian Svela

PE: Miss Melissa Lee

X-PLO Tech: Ms Amanda Scott

Digi Comp: Ms Tanya Kearny

