

### WEDNESDAY 7 FEBRUARY 2024 | TERM ONE

# **ROOM 03 CLASS LETTER**

# Term One Values: Manaakitanga | Respect | Communication | Engagement & Teamwork

#### Tena koutou katoa.

My name is James McCoy and I am your child's Form Teacher here at Manurewa Intermediate. My family and I have recently relocated to this beautiful country from the UK because of an opportunity to work at MI. I am passionate about language, sports and teaching - and I am excited to share my enthusiasm with your child and the students of Room 3.

I am committed to creating a supportive and engaging learning environment that aligns to the strong values here at Manurewa Intermediate School.

Weeks One to Four at MI are critical as this will be a time for the students to get to know me and their classroom peers. Room 3 will be introduced to the routines and expectations of our school during this time. During these four weeks, we will also cover their daily timetables, the whanau competition whilst we prepare ourselves for Survival Camp in Week Three.

Night Markets are this coming Tuesday (13 February) from 4:30pm to 6pm. This is the first step in preparing for Survival Camp. We will discuss as a class what each of us will be contributing to sell at our market. Your support will be appreciated.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns. I am here to support both you and your child throughout this year.

Warm regards,

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## **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 8:30 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. We want and need our students at school everyday!









Module 1 **MI School Life** 

Module 2 MI Survival - Survival Camp

Module 3: Risk-Taker Risk Taker - MI Way

**Teachers for the year** Humanities: Mr McCoy Math: Miss Mousa Science: Miss Hape PE: Mr Byrne-Hansen

**Module 3 Teachers** Performing Arts: Mr Tanaki X-PLO Tech: Mr Cope

Module 3 Form Time Subjects Hauora: Graduate Profile Monday Magic: Foundation Basics Life Skills: Service Friday Frenzy: Languages

Whānau - for other important Term One dates please refer to the 2024 MI Whānau Calendar you received. It is also in your child's MI Planner on page 6. If there are any special events unique to our class, I will let you know.



## 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.

REMINDERS