2025 CURRICULUM OVERVIEW - TERM ONE

MODULE 3 - Respectful (WEEKS 5 - 10)

Kia ora whānau: we would like to let you know what we envision the focus of each learning area will be in Term One. We have deliberately not put in the weeks for each focus as this is very much dependent on the students in each class. One size does not fit all and we pride ourselves on being flexible and having our students play a part in their learning. The Locus of Control should include both teacher and student. Please check out what your child will be learning/developing this term. Ask them how their different subjects are going and what their favourite part has been.

CURRICULUM AREA		FOCUS
Whilst Humanities is a set period each day with five periods per week, reading and writing permeates all other curriculum areas as well. For example, in science, a student could be working on both their reading and writing by analysing the results of an experiment and writing the steps down using a report genre.	HUMANITIES	Writing: Text structure and language
		Reading: Identifying the writer's purpose and point of view
		Oral Language: Listening and responding to texts orally
		Social Science: Analyse different perspectives and how they shape historical narratives
	МАТН	Number: Addition and Subtraction Strategies Strand: Algebra
	SCIENCE	Science 101 - The Scientific Method
DIGI COMP		Using a variety of resources and new skills to achieve different digital outcomes
TE AO MĀORI		The Legend of Manurewa and Tikanga on a Marae
COOKING		Cooking a range of food using basic kitchen skills
X-PLO TECH		Explore and develop skills associated with hands-on learning opportunities using hard materials such as wood and textiles
SUSTAINABLE DESIGN		Exploring the concepts of sustainability and regeneration by solving real-world environmental issues using a design process
PE		Team building skills: Invasion and problem solving games
ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION		Regenerating our natural environment to support a rich and healthy ecosystem that supports us all to thrive: Animal Welfare (five domains of husbandry) and Human Welfare (achieved through caring for our natural environment)
MUSIC		A focus on the basic 'building blocks' of music and popular instruments
PERFORMING ARTS		A focus on both the fundamentals of dance and contemporary styles
VISUAL ART		Exploring the elements of art using a range of media