

ROOM 4 TERM TWO CLASS NEWSLETTER

Monday 28th April 2025



Kia ora, Mālor e lelei, Talofa lava and Welcome

Term One Reflection

We had a wonderful start to the school year, and I am very proud of how my students have settled into the routine and demonstrated their enthusiasm for learning. I have been impressed with their efforts, particularly in Humanities and their learning about the Graduate Profile.

I am also extremely proud of how they embraced all the challenges this term had in store and always looked on the positive side, no matter what. It has been a busy term, packed with activities and adventures.

We had a successful Night Market, which led to the exciting trip to New World, where we did our shopping for Survival Camp. **SURVIVAL CAMP – we survived!** It was inspiring to see my students brave the hike and make it one of the most memorable moments at camp. Seeing them come together at mealtimes and the way they took on all activities with smiles on their faces showed just how much they enjoy life here at MI.

A huge congratulations to Liahn Nathan, who was elected to the Pastoral Council, and Jahzay Tioriori, who was chosen to be our Whānau Leader.

Term Two

In Term Two, we will dive deeper into all things STEAM. Some of the highlights include our assembly item in Week 6, the STEAM Fair, and our marae stay.

We also need to focus on our Big Three: Uniform, Lates, and Attendance. It is extremely important that all students are at school, on time, and well-prepared so that each child has a successful and fulfilling term.

Vriendelijke groete,
RaeAnn Gielink



TERM TWO VALUES: RESPONSIBILITY | HONESTY | SELF-MANAGEMENT & INDEPENDENCE | CHALLENGE & COMPETITION

KAURI CELEBRATION:

We managed to successfully organise Night Market and Survival Camp within the first three weeks of Term one. Then won the first two weeks of the Whānau Competition. Our Big Three remained impressive across the term and everyone should be as proud as I am. Keep it up!

Ms Brooking - Kauri Whānau Leader

Class Marae Noho

Each class will have a stay in our own school Marae - Te Kahurangi. This is another opportunity to be involved in an authentic cultural experience while also maintaining the strong class culture established at Survival Camp in Term one.

KAURI BIG THREE!

ATTENDANCE

I expect 100% attendance! Your child must be at school every day. 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 or visiting your home if your child is away without a valid reason. Your child can not progress if they miss school and instead will be playing catch up on their learning. We want and need your child at school every day!

LATES

School starts at 8:30 am but we encourage students to be here by 8:20 am. Students who are late twice in a week will be placed on Community Service. If your child is running late please come into the school with them or write a note to explain their lateness.

UNIFORM

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

Module 4

MI Expression (STEAM FAIR)

Module 5

Curiosity

Teachers for the year

Humanities: Ms Gielink

Math: Ms Ikenasio

Science: Matua Kalen

PE: Mr Innes

Module 5 Teachers

Digi - Comp: Mrs White

Sustainable Design: Miss Henare

Module 5 Form Time Subjects

Hauora: Sexuality Road

Monday Magic: Communication Literacy

Life Skills: Taha Hinengaro

Friday Frenzy: Foundation Basics

COMING IN HOT 🔥🔥🔥

28th April: STEAM Fair Begins

5th May: Class Marae Noho Begin

12th - 15th May: STEAM Fair Exhibition of Learning in the Hall

16th May: Pink Shirt Day

26th May: School Photos

28th May: Boys Night Out

29th May: Girls Night In

2nd June: King's Birthday

20th June: Matariki

25th June: Mid Year Social

27th June: Last Day of Term Two

Important Dates

Whānau - for other important Term Two dates please refer to the 2025 MI Whānau Calendar you received, and 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.