

KŌWHAI

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ROOM 62 CLASS LETTER

Monday 14th July, 2025

Kia ora whānau,

Wow, what a whirlwind Term 2 was for Room 62! We've managed to pack in so much learning, laughter, and excitement, that it's hard to believe we're already at the start of Term 3!

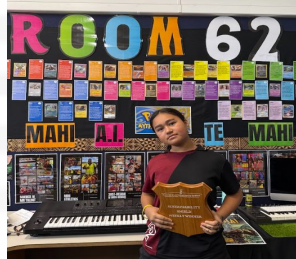
A huge highlight was our STEAM Fair, where we explored how Artificial Intelligence can be used in creative and meaningful ways. From digital art to smart storytelling, we loved sharing our innovative ideas with the school community. Another unforgettable moment was our Marae Stay, where we deepened our understanding of te ao Māori and strengthened our class whanaungatanga. Add to that Cross Country, where everyone gave it their all, Pink Shirt Day, where we stood proudly against bullying, and you can see why we're calling last term a success!

Term 3 is shaping up to be just as jam-packed. During Weeks 1-3, we'll be preparing for our UN Show, where Room 62 will represent **Hawaii**. We're creating a magical production inspired by **Hawaiian Gods and Legends**, complete with a potion that grants powers! Make sure to come and check out our performance on the **30th of July**. To match the island vibes, our Food Festival contribution, on the 23rd of July, will be a **Hawaiian-style punch** – colourful, delicious, and totally on theme. And don't forget – we're also hosting Assembly in Week 9, where we'll wrap up the term with another awesome performance. Again, come watch and support!

Our students are in for another great term of learning when starting **Module 7: Adventurous** in Week 3. They will continue with their awesome progress in their core subjects, as well as exploring two new Module Subjects: Cooking and Digi-Comp.

Ngā mihi for all your support this year. Bring on Term 3!

Jayvarn Simmonds



Module 6:

MI Cultural Breakout: UN Show

Module 7:

Adventurous

Subject Teachers:

Humanities: Miss Gielink

Math: Miss M

Science: Mr Talbot

PE: Mr Byrne-Hansen

Cooking: Mrs Rowney

Digi-Comp: Mrs White

Form Time Subjects:

Hauora: Nutrition

Monday Magic: Money Mojo

Life Skills: First Aid

Friday Frenzy: Media Studies

Important Dates:

23rd July: Food Fest Celebrations

30th July: Kōwhai UN Show

31st July: Year 7 Boostrix

4th August: All Week: Uniform Check

7th August: Student Involved

Conferences (SICs)

14th August: Year 6 Open Day

15th August: MID TERM BREAK

18th August: STAFF ONLY DAY

20th August: Whole School Mathex

Finals

17th September: Spring Social

19th September: Last Day of Term 3

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ATTENDANCE:

I expect 100% attendance! Your child must be at school everyday. If your child is not able to come to school, make sure to contact me in the morning, preferably before 8:30am. 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 your child at school everyday!

LATES:

If your child arrives to school after the 8:30am bell, they will be on Community Service at lunchtime the following day. To avoid this 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 send them to school with a note. They can take this to Mr Peilua to receive a uniform pass.