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## ROOM 34

Monday 6th October

Kia ora Whānau, a warm welcome to Term Four. I am really excited to get back into learning for the last term and also sports and ECAs. The high expectations and standards remain in all areas we take part in for Room 34.

Term Three was as jam-packed as ever, with good academic progress made in all the core subjects, as well as committing to plenty of sports.. I am very thankful to you all for all the support and help with these. I know they were long commitments.

Students learnt about the Graduate Profile, focussing on what this meant for them at school and also how they can use this practically in school and at home in their local community. Students also explored new topics in Humanities, Math, Science, for example looking at famous orators and their speeches. Room 34 are looking forward to the new modules for this last term.

Homework Club will continue in Term Four. It will be on Mondays, finishing at 4:15pm. This is compulsory for all students in Room 34. With students being involved in sports during the weeks and missing academic lessons as they represent school, this is a great chance for them to catch up on work and keep on top of their learning.

In Term Four our class focus continues to be our big three; Attendance, Lates and Uniform. These are crucial for overall growth in academics. We are looking to finish the term and year strongly with our focus on academics.

There are a number of Zone Sports Days for Term Four to look forward to. Students are encouraged to check the sports training schedule and keep up to date with dates and times for their trainings.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Byrne-Hansen

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## MEMORABLE MOMENTS



### Module 8:

SUST

"Stand Up, Stand Tall"

### Module 9:

MI Experience

### Module 10:

MI Achievement

### Subject Teachers:

Humanities: Ms Misa

Math: Mrs Sharan

Science: Ms Gafu'i

PE: Mr Byrne-Hansen

Performing Arts: Mr Tanaki

X-PLO Tech: Mr Cope

### Form Time Subjects:

Hauora: Myself and MI Peers

Monday Magic: NZ History

Life Skills: MI Skills

Friday Frenzy: Global Discoveries

### Important Dates:

15th October: MI Athletics Day

20th October: Uniform Check Week

22nd October: Girls Night In

23rd October: Boys Night Out

24th October: STAFF ONLY DAY

27th October: LABOUR DAY

6th November: Spelling Bee Finals

14th November: MI Night Markets

19th November: MI Cultural Night

3rd December: Sports Awards

Evening

9th December: Year 8 Graduation

10th December: MI Whānau Fun

Day

11th December: SICs

12th December: Prizegiving and

Last Day

TERM FOUR VALUES: TRUST | TOLERANCE | CREATIVITY & INNOVATION | FUN

## REMINDERS

### 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.