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KŌWHAI WHĀNAU

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TERM ONE VALUES: MANAAKITANGA | RESPECT | COMMUNICATION | ENGAGEMENT & TEAMWORK

TEAM 33 CLASS LETTER

Wednesday 4th February
Term One

Kia ora Whānau! I hope you are all as excited as I am. There is no doubt that this year will be another great year for Kowhai Whānau. Let's go!!!

I'm Mr. Elazegui and I am the PE Teacher and the Form Teacher for Room 33. I am super excited to start this year with your child in the best school in New Zealand! I enjoy competition and playing a huge range of sports. Church and family play a vital role in my life, and have taught me how to show love and gratitude.

I am looking forward to all the learning and memories that will be made throughout the year. I believe that strong and trusting relationships are at the core of effective learning.

Let's start the year together, with you (parents/caregiver), your child, and me the teacher! Together we will no doubt offer the best for your child as they deserve every bit of our efforts. Your role at home is as important as mine is here at school.

I hold high expectations of my students, both inside and outside of the classroom. Students need to be present, on time and in correct uniform each day. MI is an amazing place for children, there are many opportunities to get involved in extracurricular activities and this is something I will be encouraging each child to do!

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Kind regards

Derrick Elazegui



Module 1:

MI School Life

Module 2:

MI Survival

Module 3:

Risk-Taker - MI Way

Subject Teachers:

Humanities: Whaea Taania

Math: Miss Huang

Science: Matua Danny

PE: Mr E

Music: Mr Devereux

Sustainable Design: Ms Henare

Form Time Subjects:

Hauora: Graduate Profile

Monday Magic: Foundation Basics

Life Skills: Civics

Friday Frenzy: Languages

Important Dates:

6th Feb: Waitangi Day

11th Feb: Night Markets

17th Feb: Swimming Sports

26th Feb: Kowhai Overnight Camp

10th-12th Feb: Leadership Camp

24th-26th Feb: Whānau Leaders Camp

2nd - 5th Mar: Exhibition of Learning

16th Mar (All Week): Uniform Check

31st Mar: Student Involved Conferences

2nd Apr: MI Haka Competition

2nd Apr: Last Day of Term One

CONTACT ME ON: derrike@manurewaint.school.nz; (09) 266 8268 ext: 3033

ATTENDANCE:

I expect 100% attendance! Your child must be at school every day. 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:

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 lunch time 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 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.