



# SET THE STANDARD

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MANAAKITANGA - RESPECT - COMMUNICATION - ENGAGEMENT + TEAMWORK

## ROOM 30

### TERM ONE NEWSLETTER

Wednesday 4th February

*"Ma te huruhuru te manu ka rere"  
With feathers the bird will fly*

Tēnā koutou katoa, my name is Charlene Tamaki and I will be your child's Form and Humanities teacher this year. I have a lot of experience in the education field and I am looking forward to working with you to support your child's learning this year. We are a very goal-oriented school and as a class this will be our norm. I am ready to set and achieve goals to adorn each student with the feathers to fly successfully in a constantly changing world - and I hope you are ready to come along for the flight! Their dreams can become a reality with learning, achievement, hard work and focus.

MI has so much to offer. It is exciting, energetic and provides your child with a range of different opportunities. In Week 2 we have our annual MI Night Market on Wednesday 11 February from 4pm - 6.30pm so please come along and buy from our stall. We also have Mini Athletics and Swimming Sports so please ensure your child is ready to make the choices that will provide them with the best MI experience possible.

Last but most importantly, it is important that your child is at school on time and in the correct uniform everyday: "We learn, We fly".

Naku noa

*C Tamaki*

Miss Tamaki

*Ko Pohatu te marunga  
Tawhanga te awa  
Mataatua te waka  
Ko Rahiri o te rangi te Marae  
No Te Waimana Kaake ahau*



#### Welcome Rimu whānau

'Setting the Standard' is our Rimu whānau mantra for 2026. We set high expectations in how we look after ourselves and each other. As one unit, we will support one another and challenge ourselves to be adventurous, focussed, and persistent in our pursuit of achievement.

*Mrs Rangi Ropati*

Rimu Whānau Leader

Module 1: MI School Life

Module 2: MI Survival

Module 3: Risk Taker

#### Subject Teachers

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| Humanities  | Miss Tamaki  |
| Math        | Miss Misa    |
| Science     | Matua Kalen  |
| PE          | Mr E         |
| Te Ao Māori | Whaea Alazae |
| X-PLO Tech  | Mr Rodriguez |

#### Form Time Subjects:

Hauora: Graduate Profile

Monday Magic:

Foundation Basics

Life Skills: Civics

Friday Frenzy: Languages

#### IMPORTANT DATES

For important Term One dates please refer to the 2026. 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.

Email: [chart@manurewaint.school.nz](mailto:chart@manurewaint.school.nz)

Phone: 09 266 8268, extn 3030

#### 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.