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ROOM 3

TERM THREE NEWSLETTER

Monday 20th July

Hola... or should I say, 'Asalamu Alaykum!' as they would in **Saudi Arabia** but more on that soon! Welcome back to Term 3. This year has flown by, and I am excited to begin the term with Room 3 now, fully under my guidance.

My name is **Mr Daniel Rodriguez**, and I have been teaching at Manurewa Intermediate for five years. During that time, I have taught both Mathematics and X-PLO Tech. I have a passion for sport, the outdoors, and travelling. Something I love most about MI is seeing students involved in every aspect of school life.

When we look back at Term Two, I am incredibly proud of how far Room 3 has come. We were awarded **Class of the Week** in Week 8, achieved the best attendance in Rimu Whānau for the term, put together a fantastic assembly performance, and enjoyed a memorable Marae stay. I have loved seeing students taking part in a wide range of Period 6 activities and giving new experiences a go.

Now... onto Term Three! We kick off the term with our **Global Games** module, where each class competes for the opportunity to host the event. Room 3 has been assigned **Saudi Arabia**, and I cannot wait to see what we create as we aim to become the host nation. It is going to be an exciting term filled with creativity, teamwork, and plenty of learning.

In **Week 5**, we will be holding **Student-Involved Conferences (SICs)**. I am looking forward to meeting many of you for the first time to discuss your child's learning, celebrate their successes, and identify ways we can continue supporting them together. If you ever have any questions or would like to discuss anything, please don't hesitate to get in touch.

Kind regards

Mr Rodriguez
Daniel Rodriguez



Module 6: MI Cultural Focus
Breakout - Global Games
Module 7: Communicator

Subject Teachers

Humanities	Mr Shephard
Math	Miss Hobbs
Science	Miss Brunjes
PE	Mr Byrne-Hansen
Art	Whare Shar
Te Ao Maori	Whaea Alazae

Form Time Subjects:

Hauora: Nutrition
Monday Magic: Money Mojo
Life Skills: First Aid
Friday Frenzy: Careers

Important Dates:

July 20: First Day of Term 3
July 29: School Mathex Competition
Aug 3: Exhibition of Learning Opens in Gym; Uniform Check Begins; Cook Island Lng Week
Aug 17: Tongan Lng Week
Aug 19: Student Involved Conferences (8:00am-8:00pm)
Aug 24: STAFF ONLY DAY
Aug 28: Book Character Dress-Up
Sep 10: MI-Sci Competition
Sep 14: Māori Language Week
Sep 23: Spring Social
Sep 25: Last Day of Term 3 and Rewa's Got Talent

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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 cannot progress with their learning if they miss school. **We want and need your child at school every day!**

LATES

School starts at 8:30am, though we encourage arrival by 8:20am. Students who are **late twice in a week**, or **three times in a term**, will be assigned Community Service. A **fourth instance within a term will result in after-school detention**. If your child is late, please escort them into the school or provide a written note of explanation.

UNIFORM

Your child needs to be in 100% correct school uniform and this includes their whānau band. Refer to their 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** for their incorrect uniform.