

ROOM 13 CLASS LETTER

Hello, Kia ora, Talofa, Malo e Lelei. A very warm welcome students and whānau!

What a full on Term One we have had! Our powhiri on the first day had the hall filled to the brim with whānau and friends to welcome our new year 7s and new staff to the new year. Our Mini Athletics was a fun start to the first week, revealing all the hidden athletic talent amongst our students. In Week Two our Night Markets was a success, fundraising enough money for our kai for Survival Camp. We want to thank our whānau again for your contribution, we appreciate it so much! Our Survival Camp was a challenging yet rewarding experience for our tamariki, they learnt important skills such as tent set ups, preparing food and learnt the history of Motutapu Island. It's safe to say our students grew closer during this time, practising teamwork and risk taking! Our student **Zahra Rezai** was also selected as Room 13's Tawa whānau leader and she is already doing an amazing job representing our class!

For Term Two we are focussing on Module 5, Optimism and we put this value into practise in our **first two weeks** with our **MI Art Expression** Module! Every class will be planning, designing and presenting art pieces at an art exhibition in **Week Three** so we hope our friends and whanau will get the chance to support us and come check it out! We also have **Boys Night Out** and **Girls Night In** coming up in **Week Five**, look out for notices and join us for some fun after school activities! **Week Seven** we have our class **marae stay** where our students learn the traditions of staying at a marae and using the wharekai. Keep a look out for notices!

Remember the winter changes to our school uniform take effect next term so students can wear plain black beanies, long black sleeves underneath their uniform and long pants. Thank you for your continued support, please feel free to contact me if you have any questions!



Malo,
C. Wolfgramm
Whaea Crystal



Module 4
MI Expression

Module 5
Optimistic

Module 5: Optimistic
Teachers for the year
Humanities: Whaea Crystal
Math: Ms Hobbs
Science: Miss Gafō'i
PE: Mr Byrne-Hansen

Module 5 Teachers
Digi-Comp: Mrs White
Art: Ms Hardwidge

Module 5 Form Time Subjects
Hauora: Keeping Ourselves Safe
Monday Magic: Communication Literacy
Life Skills: Taha Hinengaro
Friday Frenzy: Foundation Basics

Term Two Values: Responsibility | Honesty | Self-Management + Independence | Challenge + Competition

- May:** Mon 6: Class Marae Noho begin
- Mon 13: Module 4 Display in Gym
- Fri 24: Spelling Bee Competition
- Wed 29: Boys' Night Out
- Thu 30: Girls' Night In
- June:** Mon 3: King's Birthday
- Tues 4: Staff Only Day
- Tue 25: Cross Country
- Fri 28: Matariki
- July:** Wed 26: Cross Country
- Thu 4: Whole School Speech Finals

Important Dates

Whānau - for other important Term Two dates please refer to the 2024 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.



ATTENDANCE

I expect 100% attendance! Your child must be at school every day. If your child is not coming to school make sure to contact me in the morning preferably before 8:30 am. I will be contacting you or visiting your home if your child is away without a valid reason. Your child can not progress if they miss school and instead will be playing catch up with their academics.

LATES

School starts at 8:30 am but we encourage students to be here by 8:20 am. Students who are late and do not have a valid reason will be placed on Community Service during break time. If your child is running late please come into the school with them or a 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 provide them with a letter they can give to Mr. Peilua to receive a uniform pass.

CONTACT ME: