



Thursday 30 May 2024

This week's PB4L Focus: Acting Responsibly - Keeping Our Toilets Clean and Hygienic

This week classes have been discussing citizenship, being a reliable and responsible citizen. Children have talked about what it means to make sure we are in the right place at the right time, acting in a responsible manner. It is important that we keep our toilets safe, clean and hygienic for everyone to use. Please talk to your child about the importance of this.



He aha te tupu i Tirimoana! What's happening at Tirimoana!

Teacher Only Day: TOMORROW

I remind families that our school is closed for learning tomorrow, Friday 31 May, along with all other local primary and intermediate schools. Teachers at our school will be engaged in professional learning on Reading Literacy.

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TEACHER ONLY DAY

Friday 31 May

School is closed for Instruction
Please make suitable arrangements to keep your child at home.

This day is a Ministry of Education directed day where schools will have time to understand, prepare and engage with changes across The New Zealand Curriculum refresh.

Most schools in our local area will be closed on this day.



King's Birthday Weekend

This weekend is a long weekend with Monday a public holiday to celebrate the King's birthday. School will therefore be closed on:

Friday 31 May (Teacher Only Day) and Monday 3 June, (King Birthday)

School will be open at the normal time on Tuesday 4 June.



2024 Art around the World-Athon

This week your child has taken home the Athon booklet that best suits their learning level.

Please support your child to learn their Athon quiz at home. Encourage friends and family to sponsor your child.



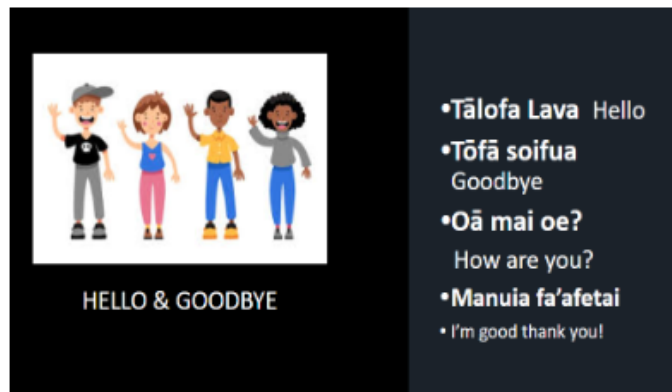
Vaiaso o le Gagana Samoa- Samoan Language Week

The theme for Vaiaso o le Gagana Samoa 2024 is 'Tautua i le alofa, manuia le lumana'i – Serve in love for a blessed future'.

Our Pasifika group has made videos and presentations to share with the classes each day this week.

Congratulations to the presenters Reuben, Rome and Lilly for the fun presentation. **Fa'afetai!**

Some words and phrases you can practise at home.



Football Zonal

On Tuesday 4 teams of Year 5/6 footballers represented Tirimoana at the Te Atatu Cluster Zonal Day.

For many of the players, this was their first time playing actual football matches, while for others it was a great chance to catch up with club team mates from different schools. Great skills were shown, everyone ran and ran and ran, and we even won some games!

Our top-achieving team was our Girls A, who finished with a big win in their third place play-off.

Congratulations on your efforts to you all.



Year 1 Zoo trip:

On Tuesday Year 1 students went to the zoo as part of their term inquiry term 'Animal Art Around the World'. Thank you to the Year 1 teachers and the many parents who supported the children on this trip.



Kia ora and Welcome to
Tirimoana School



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| Year 1 | James |
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Ngā mihi
Peter Kaiser
Principal

Dental Service

Your dentist provides care to keep your teeth and gums strong and healthy. Having regular dental checks means they can pick up on problems early before they get too bad.

In New Zealand, children are eligible for free dental care from 0 to 17 years of age, until their 18th birthday.

The Auckland Regional Dental Service (ARDS) School Dental Service provides free dental services to children enrolled with the service from birth to Year 8.

The service has school clinics across the Auckland region. For more information about the service or if you have concerns about your child's teeth, phone 0800 TALK TEETH (0800 825 583) and press 1, or visit or visit

<https://www.healthpoint.co.nz/dentistry/general-dentist/auckland-regional-dental-service-ards/>



Public Health Nurse

This week we have had the Mobile Health Clinic van onsite. This service is for children who need follow up screening for their hearing. **This is an appointment only service.**

If you have concerns about your child's health and would like to discuss if a referral to the Public Health Nurse would be beneficial, please come and speak to Mrs Matthews.



Help us earn sports gear for our school!

Tirimoana is collecting Yummy apple stickers this year to earn new sports gear. If you buy Yummy fruit, please send the stickers into school - there will be a collection sheet in each classroom. If you buy apples by the bag, you can cut out the label and barcode (each is worth 10 stickers!). Please ask your classroom teacher if you would like a collection to stick on the fridge at home.



1. Collect stickers from Yummy apples
2. Cut out labels and barcodes from bags of apples
3. Put them on the sheet in your class
4. Prize for the class who collects the most stickers!

Tirimoana School Events



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| Week 5 | Thursday 30 May Friday 31 May | A-THON learning begins Reading Together workshop for parents (Y3-6) #3 Ministry of Education Teacher Only Day (School is closed) |
| Week 6 | Monday 3 June Tues/Wed | King's Birthday (school is closed) Year 4 Trip to Auckland Art Gallery |
| Week 8 | Tuesday 18 June | Athon Quiz Day |
| Week 10 | Wednesday 3 July Thursday 4 July Friday 5 July | 3 Way Conferences 12.30pm -8.00pm School will close at 12.30pm on Wednesday 3 July 3 Way Conferences 3.15pm -6.00pm Matariki and Athon Celebration day Last day of term |

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