

Welcome to another year of learning to returning students and to our new enrolments. It was lovely to see lots of happy, smiling faces this morning and I was surprised at how quickly everyone settled into classrooms. Next week on Wednesday 10th and Thursday 11th we invite you to book a time and come and tell the teacher about your child/children. Understanding your child enables the teacher to better meet their needs.

To book a time please follow these steps:

Go to www.parentinterviews.co.nz Click "Book My Interviews"

Enter Code A4HFXRGD Click "Start My Booking"

Enter first name, last name, email address and mobile number

Enter the number of students you are wanting to book for. Enter students first and last name

Click "Get started" Click on the box next to your child's teacher

Click "Choose Times"

The drop down at the top has an option for Wednesday or Thursday

Select the day you want and click on "Book" at the time that you would like. Click "Confirm Interview"

If you need to cancel or change your interview time click on "Already Booked" once you have entered A4HFXRGD.

It will show you the booked interviews and give you the option to delete or change.

If you have any trouble please come into the school office and we will help you.

Swimming

We are very lucky to have a school pool to use during these hot summer days. Swimming is part of the PE curriculum so we expect every child to participate unless they are unwell. On class swimming days, each child needs to bring named swimwear and a named towel. Naming of all clothes is a very good idea as it is often hard to identify clothing when getting dressed at the end of the swimming lesson.

Sun Safe

We expect every child to have a brimmed sunhat at school so they can wear it whenever they are. Children without hats will be restricted to shady areas.

Sunscreen is available for children to use although it is a good idea for you to apply it at home also.



Reminder: School gates open at 8.20am

Healthy Lunches Programme, Ka Ora, Ka Ako.

This government initiative started today, February 3rd, which means that a healthy lunch is delivered daily for every child. **ALL** meat used is Halal. There will be **NO** pork or nut products used and there are gluten free, dairy free and vegetarian options. Fruit will still be available from 15th February.

Depending on how much your child eats, you may need to send a healthy snack for them as well. They will no doubt tell you what their needs are.

For the children who have specific dietary requirements please return the from below to the school office as soon as possible.

Name: _____ Room: _____

Gluten free

Dairy free

Vegetarian

Other _____



Regards, Kay Cleaver, Principal.

