



KĀKANO NEWS

• Term 2, 2023 •

Dates

24 Apr - Teacher Only Day

25 Apr - Anzac Day

1 May - Te Ahi Ora Rm 2,3,5

3 May - Te Ahi Ora Rm 1,18

5 May - Whole School Cross
Country PP 8 May

8 May - Pōwhiri 9am

15 - 19 May - Book Week

18 May - Book Week Parade
& Assembly

26 May - Electives Begin

1st and 2nd June - School
Photos

5 June - King's Birthday

19 June - Pōwhiri 9am

27 June - Parent Teacher
Interviews

28 June - Parent Teacher
Interviews school closing at
1pm today

30 June - Term 2 Ends

Homework

Most children will bring home a homework book with weekly tasks that connect with what they are learning at school (based on spelling rules). A reading book will also come home. For some children this will be one book per week and for more fluent readers this may be more frequent. Please return homework and reading books at the end of each week.

School Lunches

We are still seeing many tamariki waste their school lunches. Please have a kōrero with your child about whether they are eating and enjoying our school lunches and let your child's teacher, or the school office know if you would like to opt them out. Please remember to fill drink bottles with water only.

Welcome back whānau

We hope you had an enjoyable break! We are so excited to be back for Term 2- another busy term full of lots of exciting events and learning! We look forward to meeting with you later this term to discuss your tamariki.



Seesaw Reporting

Please keep an eye out for our Seesaw reporting posts throughout the term.

This term will include:

- 1x Maths post showing photo evidence of your child's learning
- 1x levelled report with your child's current Maths, Reading and Writing curriculum level alongside a general comment.



WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS TERM

Inquiry

STORYTELLING: This term we will be learning about how people tell stories through traditional fairy tales and myths and legends. How have myths been handed down over time? What are some myths unique to our local area? What elements are common to fairy tales and myths?

Book Week

Book Week has been a highlight for our tamariki for over a decade! This year we are looking to engage our tamariki by creating their costumes at kura and we'd love our awesome community to get behind this. It would be great to hear of children discussing ideas for costumes with whānau and whānau encouraging them to collect supplies at home to support their costume design and creation at school.

Winter

It's that time of year again that we need to wrap up warm. Please layer children's clothing, remembering that our classes get warm with the heating on, however, it can be cold outside. It is a good idea to have a change of clothes in your child's bag.



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