



KĀKANO NEWS

• Term 3, 2023 •

Dates

17-21 July - Maths Week

24 July - Pōwhiri 9am

31 July - 4 August - Cook
Island Language Week

21 August - Pōwhiri 9am

4 September - Tongan
Language Week

5 September - Junior
Show 6-7pm

11-15 September - Te Wiki
o Te Reo Māori

22 September - Term 3
ends 3pm



Kia ora whānau and welcome to Term 3. We have got lots of fun activities planned for the term ahead. Term 3 is our production term. Each class will be learning a special dance to present on stage during week 8. This year the show will be separated into a junior and senior show. We will be doing lots of fun learning for our inquiry topic this term, comparing the past to the present and looking at how things have changed in Aotearoa over time. Just a reminder that each week your child will bring home homework. This homework is to support their understanding of letter names, sounds, word identification and breaking and blending of words. Some children will also be bringing home reading books. We really appreciate your support by making sure book bags come to school and you taking the time to sit with your tamariki and support them with their learning. Thanks for supporting us to keep tamariki safe by keeping them home when they are sick.

Seesaw Reporting

Keep an eye out for our Seesaw reporting posts throughout the term. This term will include one reading and one writing post with evidence of your child's learning in both areas.

Calendar Art

Each year Titahi Bay School runs a fantastic Calendar Art fundraiser. Students create a beautiful piece of art in their class. Parents can then order calendars, cards and diaries with their child's art on the front. These items make excellent Christmas gifts for whānau so keep an eye out later in the term for details on how you can purchase these. Thank you in advance for your support of our school.

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS TERM

Inquiry

Aotearoa Long Ago vs Today: This term we will be learning about what Aotearoa was like long ago and compared to today. What has changed and what has stayed the same? Why have things changed? How do we feel about these changes? What might our future look like?

Maths Week

Maths Week will be in the first week of Term 3. This is a time to celebrate and extend our Maths knowledge. Students will have the opportunity to participate in a daily Maths Quiz as well as some other fun Maths activities. Hopefully our Kākano students will see that Maths is a part of their everyday lives, which is why it's such an important part of our learning.

Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori

This term we will be celebrating Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori from September 11-15th. During this week there will be an increased focus to use the language and celebrate the culture. There will be events throughout the week and we encourage you to get amongst it.



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