

# TE REO O TE KURA

No. 13/22

28 June 2022

Dear Parents and Caregivers,  
Welcome to the new families to Finlayson Park School.  
We trust your child is well settled and engaged in learning.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Wednesday 29 June:** TR6/7 - Weta works.
- **Thursday 30 June:** SM1/2 - Butterfly Creek.
- **Friday 1 July:** NHeW 2 Whanau Hui.
- **Friday 1 July:** OLT6/7 - Auckland Museum.
- **Friday 1 July:** SM5, OLT8/9/10 - The Cloud.
- **Wednesday 6 July:** Te Huringa Whanau Hui 3pm-4pm in the Hall.

## 2022 TERM TIMES

Term 2 ends on the 8 July at 2pm.

Term 3 starts on the 25 July at 8:40am.

## STUDENT DRESS CODE

All students are expected to wear the correct school uniform. No unusual hairstyles. No hoop earrings please.

## DONATIONS TO Roscommon Salvation Army

The sallyies would love your donation of good clean clothes and household items. You can drop off your donation Monday to Friday between the hours of 10-4pm. Many thanks for your support.

## STUDENT SAFETY

We are still concerned that far too many students are waiting for long periods of time to be picked up. Please ensure that you pick up your child as soon as the bell rings.

## ATTENDANCE

As winter is here, we have several children that are unwell. If your child is unwell, please make contact with the school. You can either txt or call the school.

## PHOTOLIFE

We have just heard from Photolife and we are expecting the photo codes to arrive next week hopefully.

## SCHOOL LUNCHES

We are very fortunate to receive free lunches and fruit daily. We encourage all students to eat the free school lunch and fruit. Some classes are also preparing toast in the morning for their students.

## MATARIKI

We had a fabulous week of celebrations.



## STAFFING

Michelle Deacon has resigned from FPS, we wish her well for the future. Parents of TRR4 will receive letters closer to the end of term.  
Welcome to FPS: Piilua Samuelu.

## WEARABLE ARTS

We want to wish our candidates all the best as they participate on Wednesday at Aotea Centre. Many thanks to Ongo and her group of students for the endless hours of work that has gone into making the outfits.

## HEALTH STATEMENT

Our requirement as part of the Education Act is to consult the community every two years, to update our statement on the delivery of the Health Curriculum. In the near future we will send a survey for you to fill in and return urgently. The Board will consider all suggestions from the parent community and send you the draft statement before finalising.

## FINLAYSON PARK CHILDCARE

We have some spaces available in our School's Early Learning Centre (Finlayson Park Childcare Centre, 247 Weymouth Road) for over 2 year olds. If you need childcare for your child, please get in quickly. Phone Yasamin Mansur our Centre Manager (09)267-8324. We run our exciting daily programmes. WINZ support may be available too. We are a "not for Profit Centre" so fees are very affordable. 20-30 free hours.

Noho ora mai,

  
Shirley J Maqhi-QSM

TUMUAKI, PRINCIPAL

  
Sumithra Naidoo

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