



KAITAIA INTERMEDIATE

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Confident, connected, actively involved, lifelong learners who demonstrate Respect, Responsibility and form positive Relationships

Thursday 30th January 2020

Whakatauki o te marama

Hapatia te ara tika pūmau ai te rangatiratanga

Mō ngā uri whakatipu

Foster the pathway to knowledge to strength, independence and growth for future generations.

Tēnā koutou katoa

He mihi mahana tēnei ki a koutou katoa ngā akonga, ngā matua, ngā kaiako, ngā kaitautoko o Te Kura takawaenga o Kaitaia.

A warm welcome to you all for another exciting and fabulous year. A special welcome to all our new students, parents and teachers who have joined our whānau here at Kaitaia Intermediate. We look forward to working closely with you throughout the year and to support all our students.

Positive Behaviour for Learning (PB4L)

At Kaitaia Intermediate School we develop positive relationships and become successful learners by:

- Staying, *safe*
- Showing *respect*
- Being *responsible*, and
- Striving for *Excellence*

These expectations encompass everyone who works and learns here. We have the same expectations for staff and visitors to the school as we do for the students. We also have the expectation that everyone will carry these expectations to all aspects of their lives. Our focus for weeks 1 and 2 is: '*Wearing the correct uniform*'.

Swimming

Class swimming starts next Monday.

Swimming is part of the school curriculum and we expect all the students to participate.

Our pool will also be open to all children at lunchtime for swimming.

Please ensure your child has a swim cap and all

items are labelled. Caps are available for sale in our office for \$5.00.

Kaitaia water restriction

As you are aware, there is a water restriction in Kaitaia which will have health and safety issues for the school and also the operation of the school pool. This will be monitored closely over the next few weeks.

Waitangi Day Holiday

The school will be closed for instruction this Thursday 6 February as it is a public holiday to celebrate Waitangi Day.

Teacher Only Days

We have scheduled two Teacher Only Days:

Friday 7th February - Mana Potential

Monday 24th February - NZC

Therefore, school will **not** be open for instruction.

Uniform

The students must wear either a 'bucket' or 'aussie' hat. The hats are available from the school office or DD Gold. It is great to see the majority of students in the correct school uniform. If your child still doesn't have a school hat or black shoes, please make sure that they have them as soon as possible. They are not allowed out in the sun if they don't have a hat and they need to have proper shoes before they can attend technology. Shoes/sandals must be black only. Not black with white or any other colour.

Please if all parents can ensure all clothing and footwear is clearly labelled. Students are responsible for their belongings whilst at school. We advise not to leave anything laying around and that these are put into student's bag to avoid the loss of any belongings.



School Uniform



Moko Team

The Moko Team will be swabbing all students who have registered with them on Tuesday February the 11th. This will start at 11:10. They will also come back for a whole school swab in 6 months and then again at the end of the year. The purpose of this is to reduce the number of students who get strep throat.

School Buses

On occasions, we get phone calls from parents who want to change their 'normal' procedure for catching the bus. It would be extremely helpful if we are informed as soon as possible in the day as it gets very busy at the end of the day. We have compiled a list of bus students according to the bus they normally catch and unless we hear otherwise, we will be checking to see that all students are on the correct bus. If we haven't received notification from parents of any changes then we will be sending the child home as per their normal arrangements.

whānau Day - Open Day @ KIS

We are holding a whānau Hui on a Saturday 22 February. This is to enable parents /caregivers /whānau to visit the school, and meet their child's teacher in the classroom. The beginning of the year reports will also be handed out at this time. There will be a complimentary barbecue organised.

The technology teachers will also be available to meet with in their classrooms. This will be an ideal opportunity for you to have a look through the technology block. The day will start at 10 a.m. and conclude at 1 p.m. This day will count as a school day and your child will need to attend with an adult to be marked present.

ManaiaKalani Chromebooks

A massive thank you to all those whānau who have taken up the opportunity to purchase their child a device. For those who placed an order at the end of 2019, we hope to have these delivered next week. Whānau in this first delivery who have taken up the weekly payment option through the 20/20 Trust, will receive a call to make an appointment with Whaea Sheree to go over the 20/20 Trust purchase agreement forms before these are handed out to the students.

For those interested in purchasing a device and have not yet done so, forms are available at the office and will require a \$40 deposit to secure your order. The 2nd order will be placed on the 10th February. Therefore, **orders close next Wednesday 5th February** with a delivery expected at the end of the month.

Students will not miss out on programme delivery as we have school devices for all students in the interim.

For those using their own devices (not setup or purchased through us) you are advised to contact the office, as using your own will change how your current device is accessed in the future at home by whānau. We are wanting to ensure whānau are aware of this sacrifice.

Should you have any further questions regarding your purchase or about the devices please do not hesitate to contact Whaea Sheree.

(ph) 408 1490 or

(email) accounts@kaitaiaint.school.nz

Valentine's Day Mufti

On Thursday 14 February we are holding our first mufti day for the year. Students are to dress in "Valentine's Day" theme. The cost is \$2.00. Proceeds go towards our end of term Tu Meke prizes. Prizes will be awarded for best dressed costumes.



Our board/ staff for 2020:

Board members

Kevin Matthews (Chair)

Diane Laurensen

Kelvin Holsford

Krystal Rose

Amy Bolstad (Staff rep)

Sheree Petch (BoT Secretary)

Principal

Wayne Lunjevich

Deputy Principal

Allanah Quinn

Classroom Teachers

Room 1	Harry Kapa
Room 2	Sue Shelswell
Room 3	Jasmin Patrick
Room 4	Jordan Wills
Room 7	Rhonda Oien
Room 8	Dominique Hancock
Room 9	Tai Rerekura
Room 14	Brenda Nathan
Room 15	“Jo” Charteris-Axe
Room 16	Margo Christie

Specialist Teacher

Ros Mitten

Resource Teacher of Māori

Pamela Enoka

Technology

Hard Materials	Craig Benjamin
Food Tech	Jane du Flou
Soft Materials	Usha Mangar
ICT	Aaron Russell
Weaving/Raranga	Ruth Port

Office

Admin Officer	Tui Ussher
Executive Officer	Sheree Petch

Librarian/Attendance Officer

Amy Bolstad

Teachers' aides

Gloria Matthews
Mahara Nathan
Sara Reihana
Danielle Elliott
Tania Wharewaka
Shayna Rogers-Christensen

Caretaker/ Groundsman

Jamie Beran

Cleaners

Maysie Tahu and Faye Kupa

ICT Technician

Alvin Alvrez

Resource Teachers of Learning & Behaviour (RTLB)

Justine Gamble

Social Worker in School (SWIS)

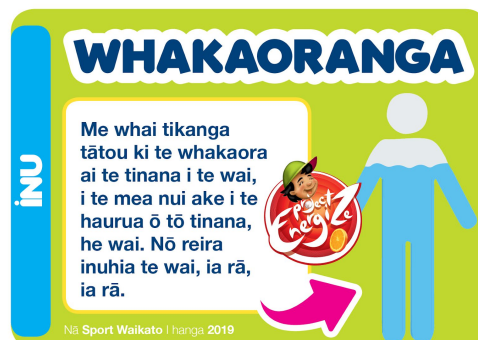
Anna Toia

If you wish us to email the Kaitaia Intermediate School newsletter to you and you have not already informed us, please complete & send to school.

My child's name is:

My email address is:

My name/Signature:



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