



# KAITAIA INTERMEDIATE

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

## Term 2 Week 3

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### Tena koutou katoa

#### Our whakatauki for this week:

**Haere taka mua, taka muri; kaua e whai.**

Be a leader not a follower.

In thinking about our school values this week - being safe, showing respect and being responsible. This whakatauki reminds me that we all need to be the leader of ourselves and our learning to be our best and the best we can be.

We are working hard to support and strengthen our childrens' ability to manage themselves more effectively and more appropriately where that is a need. We are also helping children understand how to learn so they can learn anything they want and need to learn.

This must be a partnership between the school and the home. IF you have any concerns and any issue, please don't hesitate to make contact, so we can find solutions together.

### Our Curriculum

A reminder that teachers are working with many of their students on another initiative with our curriculum. We are working with a facilitator to develop personalised pathways for learning in our localised curriculum. Teachers need to interview some parents from each class about their children's passions and interests. If you would like to be interviewed, please get in touch with your child's teacher. Teachers will be approaching parents, so we'd would appreciate it if you could make yourself available for these korero.

### Netball

On the 7th of June we are taking 8 netball teams to compete in the Far North Primary Netball Tournament at the South Road courts in Kaitaia. Your child has already registered their interest and this is a great day out for both males and females. We need an umpire for each team. If you are able to assist us with this and supervision, please leave a message for Whaea Jaz at the office.

### Netball Fundraising

On Saturday May 5th our three KIS netball teams had their fundraising day at the netball courts. We had an overwhelming amount of support, and thanks to the whanau contributions of baking and time, we raised over \$1000! The funds raised will go towards each team receiving a large waterproof gear bag for their belongings and equipment to go in on Saturdays, and the rest will support an end of year celebration for the girls and their efforts. The organisation of the day went extremely smoothly thanks to two wonderful netball Mums, Debbie Cloete and Bronnie Travers. We are extremely grateful to everybody who contributed to the success of this day.

### Positive Behaviour for Learning (PB4L)

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

Staying safe, Showing respect and Being responsible

#### Last week's lucky winners were:

Rm 2	Emma-Jane Bird
Rm 3	Hawke Tubbs
Rm 4	Bradley Knight
Rm 9	Izaiah Dunmore
Rm 15	Peata-Jane Morunga
Rm 15	Caleb Oppert-Taratu

### PB4L Focus

**Our PB4L focus this week is on using respectful language.**

#### Show Respect

I will use polite language in class and in the playground  
I will use an appropriate voice level in the classroom  
I will use polite tones to speak to adults.

#### Act Responsibly

I will use a civil (polite) tone  
The voice level I use in the playground may be different to the one I use in class  
I will not respond to vulgar language by using the same kind of language.

*Unuhia te rito o te harakeke, kei hea te kōmako e kō? Ui mai ki ahau, 'He aha te mea nui o te Ao?' Māku e kī atu, 'He tangata, he tangata, he tangata.'*

If you remove the central shoot of the flax bush, where will the bellbird find rest? If you were to ask me, 'What is the most important thing in the world?' I would reply, 'It is people, it is people, it is people.'

## Be Safe

When disputing a point, I will use a polite (if firm) tone of voice.

## Uniform

Our school has altered the requirement for socks. Students now have the option of wearing plain black socks as well as grey socks (boys) and white socks (girls).

## Pink Shirt Day Friday May 18th

On Friday May 18th, our school will be participating in Pink Shirt Day. This is a **free** mufti day. Students are encouraged to come to school dressed in pink (or at least a pink shirt!) in support of this nation wide anti-bullying campaign. We will have an assembly that morning to take a group photo of all the students who are dressed to theme.

## KIS 50th Anniversary

A huge thank you to those who were in attendance at our committee meeting held May 4th we have some real movers and shakers on board and the wheels are in motion. We now have our pre-registrations open online via our school website page;

<https://www.kis.net.nz/50-year-reunion-pre-registration-form/> we encourage you to share this link to all interested in attending, all are welcome.

Our next committee meeting is May 18th at 1.30pm in the conference room for those interested.



**Please support our tamariki!** Tell your whanau and friends to support Child Flight/Curious Minds by going to Z and putting your token in the box with our photos on it.

## Nukes International touring Ukulele trio from West Auckland

Because our hall alterations are still ongoing, there has been a change of plans. The students selected to be at the workshop will walk to the Te Ahu centre at 11.20. Their workshop will run from 12 - 1 p.m. The whole school will travel by bus to Te Ahu. The show is from 1.30 - 2.30p.m. Walkers will be dismissed from the Te Ahu centre and the bus students will travel back to the school in time to catch their bus. The cost is \$2.00 per student and the school will subsidize the rest of the cost. They hope to make this an annual event. For more information visit their website [www.thenukes.co.nz](http://www.thenukes.co.nz)

## Important Dates to Remember

May	18	Pink Shirt Day (mufti)
	18	Reunion Meeting
May	21	Nukes International workshop and concert
June	7	Netball Tournament - South Rd courts
July	6	End of Term Date

Nga mihi

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**I TE WĀ HAKINAKINA**

Ko te mea nui i nga wā whakatā kia whai oranga te tinana ki te wai. Inuhia kia iti noa iho te wai, mena kei te hiahia kai, kaingatia he huarakau pakupaku.

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**DURING SPORT**

The most important thing at half time is to rehydrate with water. Have small sips of water and if you need to eat, try something small like a piece of fruit.

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