

Term 3 Newsletter - Team 3 - Year 5 and 6

Tena koutou katoa,

Welcome back to school for Term 3. We also extend a warm welcome to our new children and their whānau. Term 3 is an awesome learning term for our students where we can start to consolidate learning and make great progress with learning goals.

Year 5 and 6 Expectations:

As a school, we have a focus on our “Top 5 Expectations” for behaviour. These expectations have been discussed with students and place an emphasis on our school values and what the expected behaviours would look like. We encourage you to talk to your child about the ‘Top 5’ so this can become a common language between and school and home.

KKPS Top 5! Expectations



Dates to Remember:

- POTS Pie Orders Due - 29th July
- Yr 6 College Open Day - 3rd August
 - Please book an appointment time by phoning the Katikati College office
- Mufti Days - 18th August, 15th September
- End of Term 3 - 30th September

Uniform:

With the colder weather here to stay, students do need to come to school in a school jumper. If it is not raining at break times students will be outside and it can be chilly. Students need to be in the correct school uniform each day, including:

- Katikati Primary School shirt and jumper
- Dark navy or black pants/skirts/shorts with no decoration

On Fridays and at Sports Days, students are able to wear their House t-shirts. We once again thank Classic Builders for their continued support.

Taking pride in oneself and showing respect are part of our ERICA values and being proud to wear our school uniform is one way we show this.

If your child has lost an item please check the school's Lost Property in the Rata Room - outside the library next to Room 14. Lost property that is not named or claimed is displayed regularly for children and parents to peruse.

Our Yr 6 Leaver Hoodies will be arriving soon and will be allowed to be worn as part of their school uniform - we do remind the students that this is a privilege to wear them and if behaviour is not being upheld, they won't be able to have the privilege of wearing it for that day. For our Yr 5 students, please do not use this as an opportunity to start wearing mufti hoodies - it is something to look forward to next year.

Treasuring Our Place:

After a very successful programme over Terms 1 and 2, we will continue to take part in the Treasuring Our Place Programme, run and developed with Western Bay of Plenty Museum, in consultation with the school.

Due to it being a cold and wet term, we have postponed Rm 18 and 25's programme to coincide with the warmer weather in Term 4. Dates and times will be confirmed towards the end of this term and information will go out to parents of these classes.

Sanitary Products

The MOE and MOH have supplied our school with sanitary products/packs that are available for our girls to use. If your daughter needs support in asking for these packs, please contact her teacher or send a note into school. We have sanitary bins available in certain bathrooms across the school.

Seesaw and Real Time Reporting:

At the end of Term 2, all students Mid Year Reports were uploaded onto your child's Seesaw account. This report is supported by examples of your students learning that has taken place over the past two terms. This is a great opportunity to see where your child is at learning wise and talk to your child at home about their learning, goals and how they are progressing and achieving. If you are not able to log onto Seesaw to see your child's work, please make contact with your child's teacher.



Communication:

Please read the school fortnightly newsletter carefully when it comes home for more information about the above events and anything else that may be happening.

The schools website <http://www.katikati.school.nz/> is also a good place to look for all school newsletters (class, trips, etc) from the school. You can also check out our facebook page at facebook.com/katikatiprimaryschool.

We welcome Indya Champion to our Team 3 teaching staff. She has taken over from Rachelle Bright, who is on Maternity Leave, in Rm 22 for the remainder of 2022.



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We look forward to a settled and focused term. If you have any questions, queries or concerns please do not hesitate to contact your child's classroom teacher. The Team Leader and DP can also be contacted if you have ongoing concerns.

Kind regards,

Team 3 Teachers