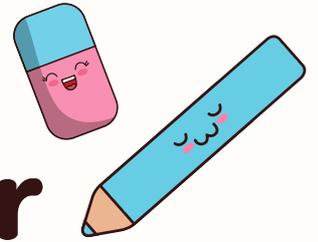


Room 7

Term 3 Newsletter



1 August 2022

Kia ora everyone,

Welcome back for Term 3. This term we delve into the world of creativity and being designers ourselves. We are jumping right back into our learning. I am looking forward to the multiple opportunities students will have through a busy term full of sport and the arts.

Reading:

We will continue to build our repertoire of reading comprehension strategies.

We will specifically be looking at:

Synthesising and summarising



We will be completing novel studies this term. Students will get the opportunity to pick a book from a selection and read while practicing their comprehension skills. There will be opportunities to learn new vocabulary and do some creative tasks along the way.

Creativity:

In Room 7 we are looking at understanding how...

- Creativity is a way for us to express our thoughts, ideas, personality and feelings
- Making mistakes and having failures is all a part of the creative process
- Each one of us sees creative products through a different lens

Things we will be doing to foster the learning:

- Calf Club Art
- Looking at what we can make with technology
- Crafting and creating original poetry or stories

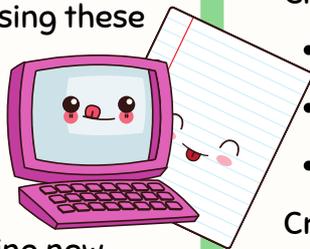
Writing:

⇒ Learning about figurative language

⇒ Discovering new language and incorporating this into our writing

⇒ Learning about different types of poetry

⇒ Writing narrative stories and using these storytelling skills to write plays



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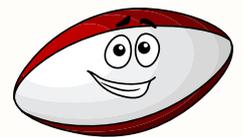
We are pushing further into learning new rules and revisiting some from previous term to ensure they have been maintained. As we continue with the code in the classroom it will continue to be reinforced at home through their spelling words.

Physical Education:

Netball: Franklin Tournament Week 3

Cross Country:

- Week 4: School
- Week 5: East Group
- Week 6: Franklin



Cricket Super Smash Lesson: Week 6

Rippa Rugby: School Tournament Week 6

East Group Week 8



Maths:

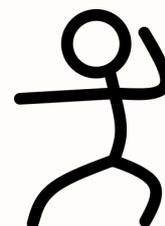
Our focus this term will be on the following.

Fractions, Decimals, Percentages and Ratios

- Identifying and using these in everyday use
- How to add and subtract fractions, decimals and percentages
- How these are related to each other

Basic Facts Black Belt Program

Continued in class and home learning



Home learning:

The home learning challenge is back for Year 6's this term. It is due in Week 8. If completed earlier it can be shared when ready. Year 5's are more than welcome to give a home learning challenge a go too.

Home learning will continue to consist of:

- regular home reading
- maths basic facts learning from errors identified through in-class assessment
- weekly spelling words focussing on rules learnt in the classroom.



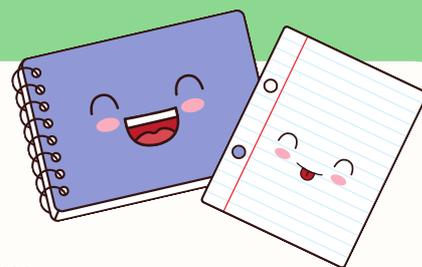
Other exciting happenings around our school and in class!

- Music with Mr Green
- Play, make, create sessions
- Looking at some robots and technology
- Using the new bikes on the bike track
- Te Wiki o Te Reo Maori
- Lunch time clubs: choir, garden group, kapa haka



Communication

- Weekly Email every Friday afternoon
- School Newsletter every Monday
- Seesaw is up and running. Make sure to check out the posts from last term.
 - I make sure to let the children know to check their posts and look for likes and comments. . they all get excited when they see these.



If you have any questions or queries please do not hesitate to contact me by sending a message to my school email to arrange a time to meet. Email: jessicad@mangatawhiri.school.nz

