



Team 3 Newsletter

Term 1, 2018

Piwakawaka, Barrhill and
Double Hill

Welcome to all our Team 3 families

We are looking forward to a great year ahead at MPS!

Team 3 Collaboration

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Team 3 is made up of two Year 4 classes (Piwakawaka B & L) and two Year 3 classes (Double Hill & Barrhill). We will be working closely as a team to provide exciting learning programmes across the curriculum. Collaboration (working with different students in different ways) and Self-Regulation (making choices to be a successful learner) will be specific areas of focus!



Communication

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The student diary is for notices and communication between school and home. Or email us or pop in for a chat! Don't forget to check "Message My Way" messages or the school website for important info.

Home Learning

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Home learning should take around 20—30 minutes daily. This will include:

- Daily Reading (A choice of Library Books, Songs/Poems, Class Reading Books & Topic Related Reading)
- Word Lab (starting Week 3)
- Maths Tasks (to be completed over 2 weeks)
- Matific and other suggested Websites are optional

Students will need to track their home learning in their diary and it will be regularly checked.

Seesaw

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We will be using Seesaw for online sharing. We are keen for all parents to sign up. If you have a smartphone, the app can be downloaded and is simple to use. We look forward to your comments!



*Accepting is
our first
MPS STAR focus!*

Coming Events

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This year we look forward to finding opportunities to jump aboard "Stellar" (our school bus) and experience the "Big Back Yard" beyond our classrooms. Please watch out for further notices this term about:

- MPS Triathlon
- Swimming Gala
- Team 3 Trips
 - Awa Awa Rata Reserve
 - Museum Visits (TBA)



Reminders

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- *All students must wear a sunhat daily (purchase at Office & name)
- *Swimming togs must come to school daily
- *Please name all clothing and belongings
- *Taking home or storing of scooters is the responsibility of students
- * Please let us know if you are keen to join us as regular Parent Help.