



## Kia ora koutou

I trust you all had a lovely term break with your family. It's great to have our students back refreshed and ready for Term 2! We have had ERO evaluation partners visiting our school this week. They have given feedback on identified strengths and areas identified for growth. We look forward to their report later this term. A couple of points made were the positive and caring relationships between teachers and students, and the way our special character is integrated into the classroom learning. We are thankful for God's guidance and peace.

## School Photos

School photos are on Monday. Children will need to be in full uniform with the new shirt, sweater, navy pants or tartan skorts, and black shoes (not sandals). If you would like sibling photos, please see Mrs Stimpson in the office by Friday (tomorrow).

## Basketball - Term 2

Thank you for your patience. Basketball Manawatu have had some teams pull out and another register, so they are later than usual getting the draw done. It will be out tomorrow, and we will send it out. Students should wear sports uniform for their games. If you do not have a shirt, please let us know.

## Attendance Dues

Thank you for keeping these up to date. Term one payments should all be paid. Automatic payments are the easiest way to keep up-to-date.

## Uniforms

Uniforms are now available from NZ Uniforms, 589B Tremaine Avenue or their website.

## Position Vacant

Our caretaker has resigned and we are looking for someone who would like to work a couple of hours a week caring for our grounds and property. If you are interested, please contact us for a job description.

## Prayer

On Tuesday mornings at 7am, some of our staff meet to pray for our school, students, and their families. If you are interested in joining us, you are welcome to. Just knock on the front door at 7am. Or, you could join us wherever you are. God is wanting to do great things for us, we just need to ask!

I am out for the whole of Week 3 at the Adventist Schools Australia, NZPU Education Leadership Conference.

*Ngā mihi nui*

*Karla Mitchell - Principal*

## CALENDAR

### 2025

#### Term 2 Assemblies - 2pm on Fridays

2 May - General

9 May - General

16 May - Room 1

23 May - Room 2

30 May - Room 3

6 June - Room 4

13 June - Room 5

20 June - Matariki Holiday

27 June - General - **2pm Finish**

#### Monday 5 May

School Photos

#### Wednesday 21 May

Cross Country

#### Friday 13 June

Reports go home

#### Tuesday 17 June

Parent-Teacher interviews (2pm - 7pm)

#### Thursday 19 June

Teacher Only Day - Tft training

#### Friday 20 June

Matariki Holiday

#### Friday 27 June

Last Day of Term - **2pm Finish**

## Term 2 Focus

# INTEGRITY



*Doing the right thing, even when no one is looking.*



## LIFE Values

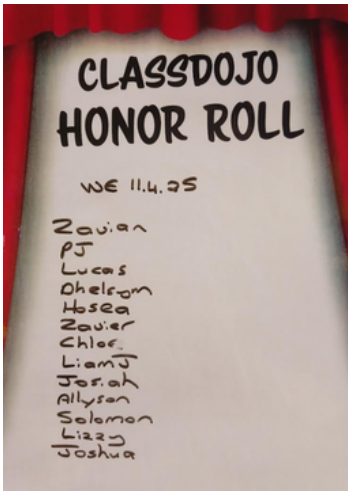
Love

Integrity

Faith

Excellence

# Snapshots



Welcome to Room 1, Bruno, Talia, and Aaliyah



A few more camp photos

## Responding to all absences

The Government's target is for **80%** of students to attend regularly, that is to attend school more than **90%** of the time.



## Downloading the Skool Loop app - a step by step guide

Once you have downloaded the Skool Loop App, via either your Google Play or App store, please follow the below instructions to select your school -

- Open the Skool Loop App - you will land on a welcome page.
- Click the 'Select your schools' this will bring you to a menu you can either search your school or follow the country/region prompts.
- Once you reach your school, select it with the tick on the righthand side.
- Tap the 'select schools' button in the top right corner.
- Tap the big orange choose button. This will load your school and bring you to the settings page.
- Subscribe to the groups that are relevant to you, then click the 'go back' button on your phone, which will bring you to the main screen of your schools app.

