



# Greetings from Weber School!

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## Good morning...Morena....Hello!

Another week has whizzed by already and another busy one ahead. Term three is a real 'head down, tail up' term and we are really pleased with the way the students have focused and started off the term. Kia Kaha is helping the children to identify some behaviours that need focusing on and we are working towards identifying our next 'marble jar' focus to work towards. We will then head into our technology focus for the remainder of the term.

Last week we attended our PB4L training and it was an intense, but excellent day. We are working to identify the behaviours we expect to see in the buildings, outside, on the bus and also when representing the school offsite. These behaviours are grouped under our Weber values of **Striving for Success**, **Team Player**, **Active Learner** and **Respectful**. While we still a lot of work to do, this matrix with expected behaviours will shape our classroom teaching and then revised behaviour management guidelines. Consistency is key, and as such we will be focusing on moving towards this together as a staff.

A reminder that the middle and senior students receive spelling words every Friday, and while we do a follow up at school mid week, they would benefit from practise at home as well. <http://www.weber.school.nz/spelling.html> Our Kapa Haka group had an awesome practise on Friday. Please do encourage them to visit the website and practise. We will upload all our current songs and it would be great if we can focus more on the movements during our sessions rather than learning the words ☺

## Three way conferences

These begin tomorrow. If you are not booked in, please do so today as we will be closing bookings this afternoon – so teachers can prepare. Visit [www.schoolinterviews.co.nz](http://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz) and enter the event code **jrzy8**. If you do miss signing up, please ring the office to make a booking,

Each conference will be up to 20minutes. These are to share your childrens achievement, to discuss their progress with the key competencies and to set goals for the rest of the year. The children are expected to attend. If you haven't managed to return your google form, we will discuss altogether on the day so do not panic.

## Guitar Lessons

It looks like this could be a go – please let me know this week if you are interested. Students need a  $\frac{3}{4}$  size guitar, lessons are \$25 per half hour, although there is a discount for siblings. We ask for a term commitment.

## TERM THREE DATES

27 July onwards  
- Constable Max onsite (Kia Kaha)

4-5 August  
- Parent Interviews

12 August –  
School Photos

25th August  
Ice Skating  
Pongaroa  
(date locked in)

7 September -  
TOD (PB4L)

*There are two teachers only days as we missed one term two*

## THANK YOU

On top of the incredible crutching day fundraising, last week the stock drive raised \$8328.17 for the school. A huge thank you to Trudy and Simon Hales for organising it, to Dean Lindsay and the PGG team and to Dannevirke Carriers for carting the stock.

