

Greetings from Weber School!

Striving for Success. Learning. Respect

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

Another week has flown by and we are so pleased to be back in level one. Thank you for your support and willingness to adapt quickly. On reflection this week – it feels a little like a blur that we changed in and out of levels – but I am appreciative that we are able to do so seamlessly for the students. There is every possibility that this could occur again, and as such our main focus is to keep learning as normal possible, follow all hygiene rules and stay safe. The children have continued their amazing start – and it is so lovely to see their active participation and enjoyment in learning. With our structured literacy focus and increased staffing, we are seizing the opportunity to work even more intently with the students and are pleased with their response and focus on learning. It is an exciting time!

This week we will begin guitar, Ko Wai Au and also finish up our PAT testing. Our reading programme is the focus still as we work to implement many changes. The focus on our STAR values is ongoing and this week classes will focus on 'respect'. Ms Holyoake will be spending Wednesday on a tour of the Dannevirke area visiting Maori significant places of interest. We are excited for her to then share her knowledge.

Pool – the pool is up and running! Please can children bring clearly named togs, towels and goggles (if they need them) to school every day. It is a curriculum area so all children are expected to swim unless they have a note.



IMPORTANT DATES Term One

10 March
Weber
Swimming – at
Wai Splash

15 March
Country School
Swimming

23 March –
Weet-bix
Tryathlon

25 March
Interschool
Swimming

2-6 April
Easter Break

16 April – End
of term

STRATEGIC PLAN

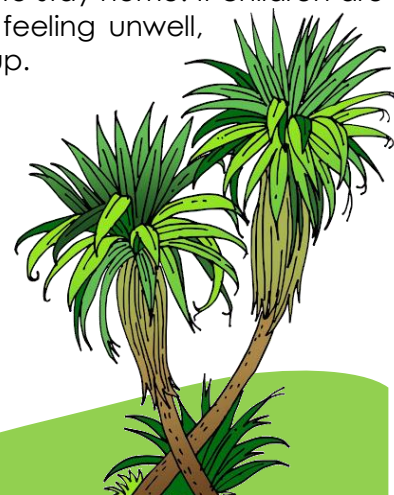
Our 2021 Strategic plan was adopted at Monday night's BOT meeting. This year our focus is on:

- Teaching and Learning – structured literacy priority one.
- Valuing Us – our classroom environments, staff and student wellbeing
- Continual improvement – raising achievement.

Heads Up: There will be parent/teacher conferences this term but the date is to be finalised.

Illness – please keep your children home if they are sick. Children are coming to school with a visible runny noses and they are spreading it (think sniffing, coughing and wiping on sleeves). Our absences are quite high for this time of year and it is very likely this is because germs are spreading here at school. Children with runny noses and stuffy sinuses need to stay home. If children are showing signs and complaining of feeling unwell, we will be calling you to pick them up.

Have a wonderful week everyone!





Striving for success



Team Player



Active Learner



Respectful

Weetbix Tryathlon

The annual Weetbix Tryathlon will be held on Tuesday 23rd March. This is not a school event, and it is up to parents to organise if they would like their child to participate. It is counted as a justified absence.

You can register [here](#)

School Photos

Great News! The school photos are here and can be picked up after 3pm this afternoon!

Thank you all so much so for patience with this 😊

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Congratulations to Jet Jeffery who is now Deputy Head Boy at Dannevirke High School.



Jet Jeffery
Deputy Head Boy



Pongaroa Junior Rugby AGM, Wednesday 24th February @ Pongaroa Hotel dining room, 7pm.

We need committee members and coaches so please come along.

