



Holy Family School

TE KURA O WHANAU TAPU

A ' OGA ' AIGA PAIA

28 February 2025

Term 1 - Week 4

Talofa lava, Kia Orana, Fakaalofa lahi atu, Mālo Ni, Bula Vinaka, Malo e Lelei, Tena koutou

O God, shepherd and ruler of all the faithful, look favourably on your servant Francis, whom you have set at the head of your Church as her shepherd. Our prayers are with Pope Francis for a speedy recovery.

What a busy time we are having as the term nears the end of week four.

A reminder we do not have swimming for the next two Tuesdays as the pool was already booked out. Next week on Tuesday there is no Learning Hub as staff will be attending the annual Commissioning Mass at the Cathedral.

Near the end of the term we will host our Career Expo - after a couple of years gap. If you know someone who might like to share their job, be prepared to set up a 'stall' and be asked questions by our students. Please contact Annie (Miss Pat) - anniep@holyfamily.school.nz

Attendance is a government priority this year. If your child is not at school, please contact the office with the reason for absence: Skool Loop or Facebook Messenger is fine. If we receive no word then they are marked as Truant.

If you are heading away on holiday for a longer period of time - more than three days then please talk to Sue. This is an area which is being closely monitored by the Ministry of Education.

This year we would like to make the playground a focus for fundraising - please talk to a staff member if you have any wonderful ideas on how we might generate some money and give the playground a much needed facelift. Also do contact us if you would like to organise or support a group running an event. Thanks to some amazing people who have already come forward with some ideas.

Ephesians 4:32 "Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you."

Blessings
Sue



Te Manawa, friends and the RE winners from 2024 headed to the Zoo on Wednesday for a wet but exciting day out.



Dates for 2025

(Term One dates)

5 March - Ash Wednesday, school to attend church

17 March - St Patricks Day - dress in green

21 March - Teacher Only Curriculum Day

24 March - Duffy Theatre show

1 April - last day for Learning Hub in term one

3 April - Road Patrol refresher

3 April - Career Expo

11 April - Term One ends

28 April - Term Two begins



Room 3 at WellFed.



We are a water only school. Please make sure your child has a water bottle to use and refill at school. Do not send other drinks in lunchboxes as teachers will ask for these to be put away for after school.

Breakfast is available in the hall from 7:45am everyday. Pop in for milo, cereal and toast.

We are blessed with wonderful volunteers, if you would like to help please contact the office.

Our So'otaga Team is here to support all 'aiga. Please contact them on 027 3449622 or visit them at the So'otaga Room.

Go slowly around school and have your eyes open.



FOLLOW THE RULES

AVOID A FINE

Use the car park carefully.

Doing the school run?

Let's all be safe and considerate

Watch for others when exiting the carpark.

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Park Sensibly.

