

Michelle @ Home

As we approach the end of our second week of home learning we have all become a little more adept with Zoom, Seesaw, Google Classroom, waiting for the host and submitting and sharing work online. I thank you all for your patience and perseverance with learning all these new terms and asking questions when you are unsure. We do not want families, parents or children to be getting stressed with the online learning at home and will work in with you to make it manageable - we are only a Zoom, email or phone call away.

With the move to Alert Level 3 the school will be open for those children who need to come to school due to parent's work commitments. Thank you for responding so promptly. We will be operating two bubbles and following MOE guidelines. More information will be sent directly to families next Tuesday. Children who remain at home will continue to be supported by online learning. There may be some changes to teacher aide timetables and you will be informed of this if it involves your child.

Online learning takes a break until Wednesday due to ANZAC day on Monday and Teacher Only Day on Tuesday. Teachers have shared a number of educational sites with you so while we encourage a break from being online, there are some options available if your child is looking for something to do/learn.

Remember If you or your children are finding life tricky at the moment or you would just like to chat, I am available via email or the school phone 0274 287 967. Happy families is our goal $\stackrel{\smile}{\hookrightarrow}$.

Enjoy the long weekend, be kind, stay safe and keep smiling.

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Student Shout Outs

Kereru: Mason for focused mahi in reading. Ataahua for her mahi in maths and marvelous manners. A very big thank you to Kereru parents for your commitment to your children's learning.

Pukeko: Reina - for her time management and completing so many Seesaw tasks to a quality standard. Keep up the great mahi! **Lochlan H** - for always contributing to group discussions on Zoom and consistently working hard on his Seesaw tasks. Tumeke, Lochlan.

Room 3: Ruby and **Ella Jane** - awesome attitude in Zoom meetings and trying really hard with their reading.

Room 4: Amelia - fantastic attendance and great management of learning tasks. Always responding to feedback and trying her hardest. **Chloee** - working hard to complete the learning tasks and asking questions to clarify understanding.

Room 5: Mason B - has been an absolute star in all workshops, confidently sharing ideas and answering questions with the wider group. **Lucas S** - fantastic effort and results in all his work. It's great to see the time and care being taken. Be proud of the results Lucas!

Room 6: Vinny - awesome contribution to Zoom workshop discussions, even in his pyjamas! **Leah** - great management of learning tasks, asking for help when she needs it and creating art challenges to keep us all active and enthusiastic!

Mrs Alexander: Maddison - for amazing maths work and always being ready for Zoom meetings! Some fantastic maths learning Maddison. **Aria** - AMAZING reading and writing during Zoom lessons and in independent tasks - a superstar learner!

