

2024 CALENDAR

- Wed 11th Dec – Talent Show
- Fri 6th Dec – Poutama Celebration
- Fri 13th Dec – E.O.Y Celebration Day
- Monday 16th Dec – FUN DAY
- December 17th – Last day of school

Dance: **Week 7&8**

[Just Dance 2016 - I Gotta Feeling\(Classroom version\)](#)

Waiata: **Week 7&8** [Ngā Iwi E - Lyrics Video - Waiata Māori](#)

SPORTS UNIFORMS

Please note: If you have not already, can you please return your washed and clean sports uniform to Room 12 this week. Thanks.

TERM DATES 2024

- Term 1 Tues 30th Jan – Fri 12th April, 2024
- Term 2 29th April 2024, - 5th July, 2024
- Term 3 22nd July, 2024 – 27th Sept, 2024
- Term 4 14th Oct, 2024 – 17th Dec, 2024

TERM DATES 2025

- Term 1 Wed 29th Jan – Fri 11th April, 2025
- Term 2 28th April 2025, - 27th June, 2025
- Term 3 14th July, 2025 – 19th Sept, 2025
- Term 4 6th Oct, 2025 – 12th Dec, 2025

Sunnyvale Cafe Menu

Week 8

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Potato bake and fish bites	Pizza	Sausages with mashed potato	Chicken wraps	Loaded wedges

There are vegetarian options available every day

IMMUNISATIONS

With Christmas fast approaching and lots of bugs going around. We ask that you please have your child's immunisations up to date as this is the best form of protection against infectious diseases.

THANK YOU

A big thankyou to Amanda from the Lions Club Avondale. To celebrate their 60th anniversary they donated some pencils and glue sticks to Sunnyvale. We appreciate your help and support



CAUGHT BEING GOOD



MR HEMI DAY

Last week on Wednesday we celebrated Mr Hemi turning 60. The children and staff had so much fun dressing up as Mr Hemi. I think he will remember this day for a very long time.



MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Tēnā koutou, Talofa lava, Malo e lelei, Nihao, こんにちは, 안녕하세요, Zdravo, Fakaalofa lahi atu, Kia ora whānau, नमस्ते, As-Salam-u-Alaikum

Kia ora whānau,
Welcome to Week 8 Term 4.

We are getting to the busy part of the year! There is a lot happening!

This week, on Friday, we have our end of year Poutama celebration. Our Poutama framework is a representation of our graduate profile- the things we aim for our students across their time at Sunnyvale. The Framework was developed based on student and whānau voice from our whānau hui. The children work on these during their Year 6 time, through a variety of challenges and opportunities. Next year, we will have new badges for this featuring our new symbols. We co-designed these symbols with the help of a graphic designer and we are very happy to launch them next year. If your child is involved in Poutama, you are invited to come along to the presentation on Friday at 9am in the hall.

Next week on Friday we have our end of year celebration assembly. You may have received an invite to this. Please join us in the hall at 9am. It can get very full in the hall, we will do our best to accommodate everyone. This assembly runs from 9am-10:30am approx. It can get very hot in the hall, so please keep that in mind.

Following that, at 11am that day, we have the Year 6 graduation assembly. You are all more than welcome to come along to this. Our Year 6 students usually go for a swim that day also.

We have been lucky to have had Swimstation here, coaching the classes for the past three weeks. The final day for this is Thursday Dec 12th. Thank you to Swimstation.

On Monday Dec 16th we have a whole school Fun Day with bouncy castles, slip and slide and other fun activities. Thank you to Miss Shirley and our beginning teachers for organising this.

Our last day is Tuesday Dec 17th, and we finish that the normal time of 2:45pm that day.

Have a great week,
Whaea Katie



This design represents the connection of prior knowledge to new learning. It acknowledges the equal importance of an learner's experiences to the new learning.



This mangiwhaka head features a nested koru design which represents co-creation and a supported learning. It also points upwards symbolising improvement and achievement.



In this koru the mangiwhaka head represents a hub and the koru symbolises new shoots - growth, and the creation of something new.



This design features a forward arrow that captures the idea of sharing their work, ideas, and creativity as they move forward in their learning.

Our Values



Aroha



Tuakana Teina



Manaakitanga



Whanaungatanga