

2024 CALENDAR

- Wed 11th Dec – Talent Show
- Fri 13th Dec – E.O.Y Celebration Day (9am – 10.30am)
- Friday 13th Dec – Year 6 Graduation (11am – 12pm)
- Monday 16th Dec – FUN DAY
- December 17th – Last day of school

Dance: **Week 9&10**
[Just Dance 3 Santa Clones Crazy Christmas](#)
Waiata: **Week 9&10**
[Tūtira Mai Ngā Iwi - Lyrics Video - Waiata Māori Song](#)

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.

FUN DAY

Students – Please remember to bring a sunhat, wear sunscreen, bring swimming gear and drink lots of water. Students are allowed to come in their class colours (if they like)

Fun Zone Groups (Wear your colour if you can) - **Rotate in numerical order to your next area**

Group 1 Wear yellow Start at Arts Area/Zone 1	Group 2 Wear green Start at Music Area/Zone 2	Group 3 Wear blue Start at Playground Area/Zone 3	Group 4 Wear red Start at Field Area/Zone 4
Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 4
Room 11	Room 12	Room 13	Room 14
Room 15	Room 16	Room 17	Room 5
Room 6	Room 7 - half	Room 7 - half	Room 8 - half
Room 8 - half	Room 9 - half	Room 9 - half	Room 10 - half
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TERM DATES 2024

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

TERM DATES 2025

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

Sunnyvale Cafe Menu

Week 9

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Pasta bake or lasagna	Cheesy toast	Pizza or burgers	Sandwiches	Sandwiches

There are vegetarian options available every day

Timetable

Time	Activity
9am	Roll/Hats on/SunScreen in class
9:05 - 9:15	Meet on the courts in your Fun Groups
9:15 - 9:55	Fun Block 1
10:00 - 10:35	Fun Block 2
10:35 - 10:50	Break 1
10:50 - 11:00	Eating time (Teachers check numbers)
11:00 - 11:10	Check in with class/Sunscreen/ Roll ect
11:10 - 12:00	Fun Block 3
12:00 - 12:30	Break 2
12:30 - 12:40	Eating time (Teachers check numbers)
12:40 - 1:30	Fun Block 4
1:30-1:40	Break/Change into swimwear
1:40-1:50	Roll
1:50 - 2:30	Kowhai and Nikau Wet Play
	Pohutukawa and Kauri Wet Play

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 9 Term 4. This is our final newsletter for the year.

We have had a very successful year and we are very proud of the things we've achieved.
Here are some highlights:

In 2024 we achieved the following successes:

- Increased sustainability- rubbish, recycling, gardens, harvesting- Bronze Enviro-schools award
- Two-stage playground upgrade
- Whole school Maths-A-Thon fundraiser
- Whole school Market day
- West Fest
- Property improvements- toilets, electrical, stair-nosing
- Mana whenua partnership- haka, school waiata

Some of our foci for 2025:

- Three year curriculum refresh implementation plan
- Numicon across the school
- The Code is Key daily lessons across the school
- Sensory room/Interim classroom developed
- NE reception class
- Specialist teachers/talent and extension groups in : Art, Sports/PE, Music, Drama
- Whole school production

This year we saw a huge increase in our student achievement data- We now have 80% of students within or above for writing, and close to 80% in Reading and Maths. We are really proud of the progress the students have made in their learning. We have exciting plans for 2025 and we look forward to all that the new year will bring.

Our end of year reports are available to view on our HERO app. This is our first time doing this, we hope you find these useful and informative. If you are having trouble with accessing HERO please contact Che in the office.

It is a busy week, so here are the key dates and times:

Monday and Tuesday-Students will meet their 2025 teachers after third break
Thursday- Kapa Haka and Pasifika end of year break up 12-2pm at school (swimming gear needed)
Friday- 9am End of Year Celebration Assembly- please be seated in the hall. It gets very hot, and we are limited on space. We will do all we can to accomodate everyone.
Friday- 11am Year 6 Graduation in the hall. Year 6 children need their swimming gear.
Monday Dec 16th- Whole school fun day- sun hat, sunscreen and swimming gear please.
Tuesday Dec 17th- Clean up day. Last day- school finishes at 2:45 as normal.

School starts in 2025 on Wednesday January 29th at 8:55 am.
The office will be open on Tuesday January 28th from 9am-3pm.
Our stationery lists can be located on our school website.

Kowhai- Year 0-1
Nikau- Year 1-2
Pohutukawa- Year 3-4
Kauri- Year 5-6

We wish you all a safe and happy holiday season!
Ngā mihi
Whaea Katie