

TUMANAKO TEAM NEWSLETTER



Term 3, 2020 (Term 3 dates: July 20th – September 25th)

KEY DATES:

Parent/Teacher Interviews
– 4th-5th August

Class Photos
– 13th August

Teacher Only Day
– 14th August

Interschool Cross Country
– 25th August

Tumanako Interclass Debates
– 11th September

Rolling Stones Performances
and Cultures Day
– 18th September

School Cross Country
– 25th September

WELCOME BACK

We trust you had a fantastic holiday with your children and are ready for a busy and exciting term ahead. It's hard to believe that half the year has gone already!

OUR LEARNING THIS TERM

Our main focus is 'God is the God of Nations' and our key value is Integrity.

Other learning topics are:

- Reading – Journal stories/articles, chapter chat and novel studies. (Each class will also work on other skills relevant to their specific needs).
- Writing – This term we will be learning about how there are different sides to an argument. We will do this through persuasive writing and debating.
- Mathematics – Numeracy (Fractions or Multiplication and Division) and Measurement. Please ensure that children continue to work on Mathletics as part of a regular home learning programme. Children should aim to know all of their Multiplication Tables by the end of Year 5.
- Theme – This term we will be exploring global issues with a focus on God is the God of Nations.
- PE – We will be doing indoor hockey, gymnastics and large ball skills this term. We will also be focusing on cross country running with the school cross country being held at the end of the term.

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SOME HELPFUL REMINDERS

- Please feel free to join us in assembly on Fridays at 2:15pm.
- Following the lock down there has been a lot of sickness around school. Please remember to keep your child at home if they are sick, to avoid spreading the bugs.
- School lunches – Some students are eating all their lunch at morning tea time. Please have a chat with your child to make sure they have enough food to get them through the day.

Kind Regards Jae, Gareth, Raeleen and David