

HENDERSON PRIMARY SCHOOL

24 March 2022

Nga mihi nui kia koutou katoa/Greetings to you all.

Kia ora Henderson Primary School whānau, the weather is changing and our rain/shine/rain/shine time is here. **I hope you are all safe and well, thank-you to everyone who is keeping us up to date with absences via our Skool Loop app, website, email or phone call.**

It is time to remember our raincoats! If tamariki need a free school raincoat please let us know.

The first person to know about a COVID-19 infection will be you, if you are COVID-19 positive or self isolating please contact us so we can take the appropriate action to keep everyone safe.



Kaimahi and Year 4-6 tamariki must wear masks in the classroom, it is optional outside. We are continuing to operate 3 teaching bubbles (Piwakawaka-Y1/2, Koutoku-Y3/4 and Karearea-Y5/6) and our Office bubble. All whānau who wish to come to school must visit the office. When dropping tamariki off at school the gate by the office is the only entry and will be open at 8:30am, we start school at 8:50am. At the end of the day we will exit by the office gate from 2:45pm. The best place to pick up tamariki is by parking in the KMART carpark. **Please do not drive up our driveway/staff carpark.**

We look forward to all tamariki rejoining us for kanohi ki te kanohi/face to face learning when they are well.

If you have any concerns or questions please contact your child's teacher or me so we can help all tamariki to...

**Face the future with confidence
Kia matakite! Kia māia!**

Tumuaki Tony 😊

A thought...

"Open your arms to change, but don't let go of your values."

Dalai Lama

Thank-you Treescape

Many thanks to Treescape Ltd who donated a truck load of mulch to our kura/school. We appreciate it, ngā mihi maioha.



Manaaki Street



Written by Louise Grevel
Illustrations by Kerin Casey

Neighbourhood

Support Waitakere

Thankyou for kindly gifting copies of the children's book, Manaaki Street. A book about celebrating community together to create safe, resilient and connected communities. Our very own tamariki Kaelyn & Karlia feature in this book.

2022 SCHOOL DATES TERM ONE

Thursday 14 April School closes -
Term 1 ends

TERM TWO

Monday 2 May - School opens for
tamariki - Term 2 starts
Friday 3 June - HPS Teacher Only
Day
Monday 6 June - School closed for
Queen's Birthday
Friday 24 June - School closed for
Matariki
Friday 8 July - School closes Term 2
ends

Dental Unit



The Dental Unit is on site at Henderson Primary School. Before we can see the children in the unit, we need to do Covid 19 screening, dental clinicians will be contacting whānau to check tamariki are able to be screened. We also want to see any pre-schoolers, preferably before or after school. Call us or visit to make appointments. We look forward to meeting you. Ph: 09 838 1817 Text: 021 417 790



Headlice may be present amongst children in your child's class. Take a peek once a week. Comb and tie hair up. Please contact the school for more information.

Our school uses The Skool Loop App to communicate and send important information. Please check your app store to ensure your phone is running the latest version and receiving all school news.

The app undergoes regular maintenance and updates throughout the year. Check your app store to ensure your phone is running the latest version!

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