



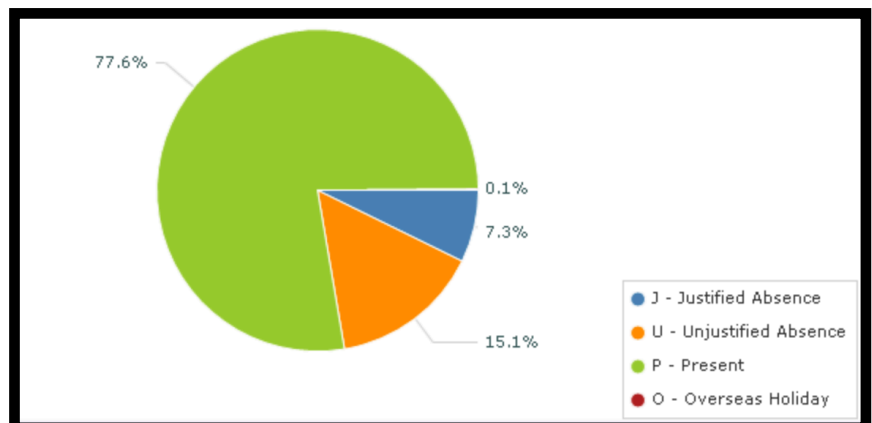
Tawhero SCHOOL Pānui/Newsletter

Kia ora, Bula Vinaka, Kia orana, Na maste, Talofa lava, Malo lelei, Hello!

Happy Week 5 e te whānau! This term is flying by and we are extremely thankful for all of your efforts to get your tamariki to school and to all the winter sports codes that have began - Hockey, Football, Netball and Basketball (soon).

Attendance is a huge issue in Aotearoa and it is a concern at our kura unfortunately. Tamariki do way better in life in general just by attending school. Below is our school wide statistics for attendance since the beginning of the year and the percentage of individual classes attending school. We have introduced pick ups and drop offs with our van to support whānau. We have kai, clothes and anything you need, all we would love you to do is get your tamaiti to school and we will do the rest, kia kaha e te whānau our goal is to get 90% asap - ki te hoe tātou - lets do it!

Room 10 - 79.8%
Room 9 - 83.5%
Room 8 - 68.7%
Room 7 - 79.2%
Room 5 - 64.4%
Room 12 - 74.6%



EDUCATION REVIEW OFFICE VISIT ON TUESDAY 6 JUNE AT 2PM If you are free on this day we would love it if you could come to the pōwhiri for ERO and stay to share ideas about our kura. We plan to have a hui straight after tamariki head home to share thoughts and ideas about our kura, we would love your voice and contributions. Nau mai haere mai.

UP DATED CHARTER AND STRATEGIC PLAN and POLICIES We are excited to share our revised Charter and Strategic Plan and we have also updated our policies. Whānau that attended our hui got to take a copy home. If you would like one, please do not hesitate to pop into the office and grab one. We would love as many of you as possible to know about the exciting times ahead for our kura which we would love you and your whānau to be apart of. Go to <https://www.tawhero.school.nz/our-school/policies-and-procedures/>



VAN FEES - to keep our van going we are charging \$20 per whānau. This will start next Mon 29 May 2023. Please pay at the office or into the school account with your child's name as reference **06-0793-0319328-00 Tawhero School**

CHECK OUT OUR AWESOME TAMARIKI SUPPORTING PINK SHIRT DAY!



UPCOMING EVENTS

DATE	WHAT'S ON
5 June	Kings Birthday
6 June	ERO Visit Combined Schools Netball Tournament
12 June	House Basketball Tournament
21 June	BOT
26 June	Puanga/Matariki Celebrations
30 June	Last Day of Term 2



WE ARE BECOMING AN ECO SCHOOL Matua Andy and I are heading to an ECO Day on Tues 23 May 2023 along with 55 other teachers to learn about how to be more Eco-friendly at our school. This is being run by the Whanganui Council, we will be visiting different schools and Bushy Park to get ideas. If you are keen to support us around the school, please do not hesitate to come and ask us about this, watch this space e te whānau....

Our Inquiry this term is **HOW CAN WE LIVE BY THE MARAMATAKA OF OUR ROHE MORE?** We are learning about the different phases of the moon and how this can impact on us. Our kaiako were lucky enough to have Kiriana Beckham a taonga from our iwi who is steeped in knowledge about this in Whanganui. Please come and talk to us about up-coming activities and events each class are doing in with this and our lead up to celebrating Puanga and Matariki.



THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU to all you beautiful people who devote so much time to our tamariki and their sports, ngā manaakitanga Karleen

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