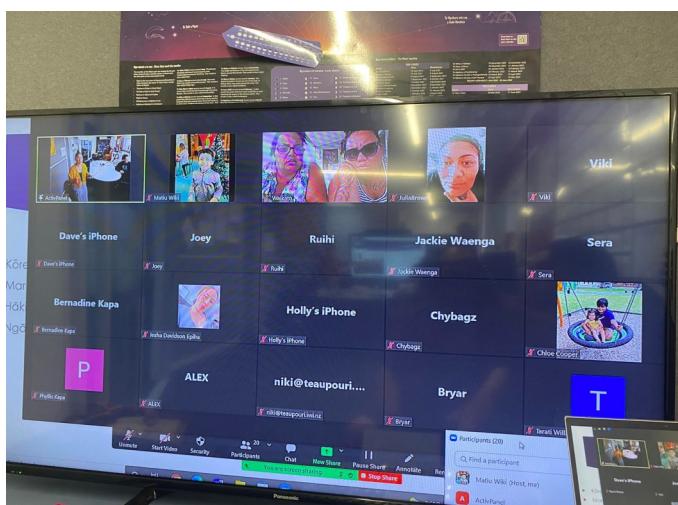


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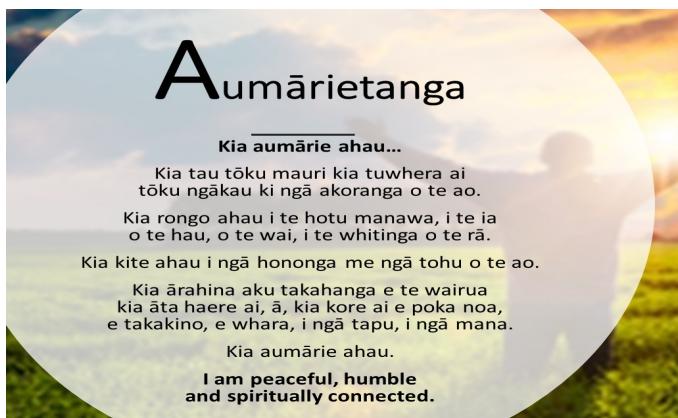
WHANAU HUI

A big thank you to everyone who participated in our first online hui whānau on Wednesday. We had 21 whānau representatives online, which is the largest response we've ever had. We hope you found the hui informative and helpful to know what is happening in our kura. We apologise if anyone had technical difficulties connecting to the link. Please contact our kura if you have internet or connectivity issues, as we may be able to help.



BREAKFAST CLUB

Thank you to Whaea Alex and Papa Anaru for starting our breakfast club this week. We are really happy to see a vast majority of tamariki enjoying breakfast in the morning. Tamariki are able to have breakfast between 8.00am - 8.20am every morning. Having breakfast gives tamariki a good start to learning for the day.



OMICRON OUTBREAK

As you may be aware, New Zealand has moved to phase 3 of our Covid Omicron plan. Keeping up to date with regulations and constant changes can be confusing at best so we do our best to keep whānau informed about how we as kura are keeping ourselves and your tamariki safe. Vigilant hand sanitising and face coverings for kaimahi and year 4 - 11 are some of the practises we do to keep our kura safe. All eligible staff have received their booster shots to have the best form of protection against the spread of Omicron. New Zealand is now in the middle of an outbreak, and everyone should take their own steps to be prepared in the event that covid may affect you or your whānau. Talk to your whānau and make a plan. There is further information at the back of this pānui to help you. Kia mataara e te whānau.

ILLNESSES

The common cold also seems to be making a presence in our community with a number of tamariki absent this past week. We have had good response from whānau letting our office know of their child's absence which is very pleasing. Absences can also be reported on our school website under "Online Forms".

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 Te Kura o Te Kao
"Kia Marama"

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UNIFORMS

Kura jackets have been ordered and will take approximately 2 weeks to receive. Thank you to whānau who have reached out to make time payments. If any whānau would like financial assistance, please don't hesitate to contact our office. We're here to help.

Te Tāpapa

Kei runga noa atu ngā mahi o Te Tāpapa i ngā wiki kua taha ake. He mea whakamīharo te kite atu i ngā tamariki e tino tāunga ana ki ngā tikanga me ngā whakaritenga o te kaiako otirā o te akomanga.

Kua tino puawai te reo Māori i wāenganui i a rātou. E mihi ana ki ngā tauira hou me te maia hoki ki te kōrero me te ako i Te Reo.

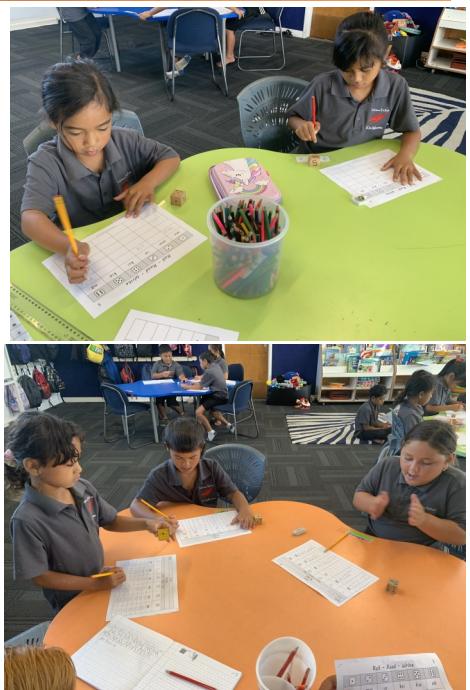
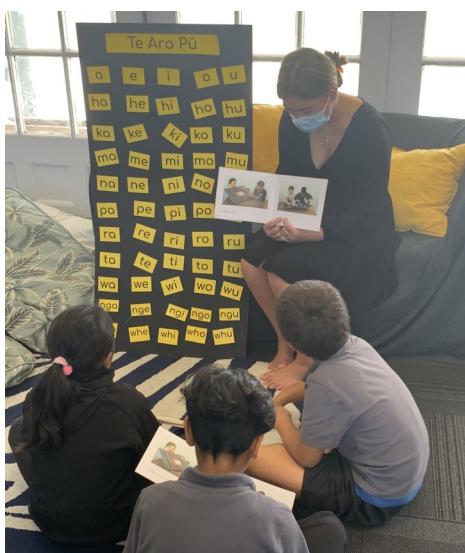
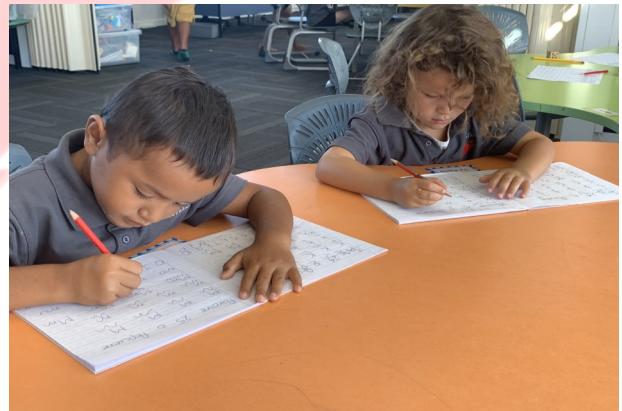
I ngā wiki e rua kua hipa ake, kua aro atu mātou ki ngā papa mahi Reo Matatini e aro pū ana ki te ara pū, ngā kūoro, ngā kupu waiwai me te puna reo o te tamaiti. Ko te aronga mo te Pāngarau ko te Ine me te āhuahanga. E ako ana ngā tamariki ki ngā āhua ahu 2 me ngā āhua ahu 3. Kua ako anō hoki ki te horahanga o tētahi āhua. Hāunga ki tēnā kua tīmata rātou ki te ako i ngā pūkenga kauhoe.

Ko te kaupapa matua mo mātou i tēnei wāhanga ko te waka nāreira kua titiro mātou ki ngā kōrero tukuīho mo ngā waka taua me ngā waka hourua.

He mihi nui tēnei ki a Pāpā Anaru Rieper e tautoko ana i o tātou tamariki i te taha whakawhitinga reo mo ngā tauira hou. He kai anō mo ngā tamariki.

E mihi tonu ana ki a Quiara rāua ko Shakyra e kaha tautoko ana i ngā tamariki ia rā, ia rā i roto i te akomanga.

Kua tino hiakai ngā tamariki ki te ako.



TE WHAREKURA



Ngā Hororei. Nā Rangimaria Slade

I ngā rā o te Kirihiomete i haere mai tōku whānau. Ka noho tahi mātou te whānau ki te kāinga, koia tēnā te mea pai ki ahau. I oho moata mātou i te rā Kirihiomete, ka haere ki te whare o papa Koro ki te whakatūwhera i ō mātou taonga, i whiwhi ahau i tētahi pēke, tāwera kaukau, kākahū hōu, hokorete, moni me ētahi atu mea mai i tōku whānau, i whiwhi hoki mātou ko ōku tuahine i ngā Roller Skates mai ia Aunty Bridget. Whai muri mai i ngā taonga, i noho ngā mātua ki roto i te whare korerorero haere ai, i haere mātou ngā tamariki ki waho ki te tākoro patu paoro, i tatari mātou kia rite te kai. I kai mātou i te poaka me ētahi huamata i tīnō reka ngā kai, mō te pūrini i kai Trifle me te Aihikirimi i Reka! Hoki tēra. Ka mutu mai te kai ka noho noa matou ki te kainga mo te toenga o te rā, takaro kemu me te whakatā. I te rā o te boxing i haere mai a Aunty Hana rātou ko Paea, ko Jayme, ko Michael, ko Uncle Morgan, ko Jordyn, ka noho mai mo ngā rā e 3. I mauria mai ratou i ētahi taonga mā mātou, ko ētahi hei tāringa. Mo ngā rā e 3, i konei ratou, i haere mātou ki te moana, ki te kaukau, hī ika me te kokohi kaimoana. I ngā hororei hoki ka whai mahi ahau ki te toa, te whakakī i ngā pouaka matāo me te mahi ki te mīhini pūtea, engari i HO-HA KATOA! Ahau i ētahi wā te haere ki te mahi nā te wera o ngā rā. I te wā i hoki atu a Aunty Hana mā ki te kāinga i noho tonu mātou ki te kāinga, haere ki te moana. I haere mātou ki Whangarei i te mutunga o ngā hororei, kia puta atu i Te Kao. I reira mātou mō ngā rā e 4, ko te mea pai ki ahau i a mātou i reira, ko te haere ki te hoko kākahū, te kai ki ngā waahi rerekē me ētahi atu mea mo te kahore noa iho, i haere hoki matou ki te Lion Park, i TINO PAI! Tērā waahi ki ahau, i reira ko ngā Raiona, Taika me tētahi Cheetah. I haere hoki mātou ki te whare o Michael rāua ko Jayme, ki te kite i to rāua whare hōu, te ataahua hoki to rāua whare. I te ahiahi o te Paraire i haere matou ko ōku tēina ki te taha o Kara, ki te Papa takaro, ki Pak n save ki te hoko aihikirimi, miraka me ētahi hokorete, hei mahinga Milkshakes. Tino miharo ōku hororei.

Tēnā koutou katoa e ngā whānau o tō tātou kura. E mihi ake ana ki a koutou katoa i tēnei wiki tuawhā o te wāhanga tuatahi. Kua tino tau ngā tauira o te akomanga o Waihuka i ngā wiki kua pahure, ko tētahi o ngā tino aronga i tēnei wāhanga ko te whakatau i ngā hiahia me ngā wawata o ngā tamariki mō tā rātou huarahi mahi kia mutu rātou i te kura. He nui tonu ngā mahi kei mua i ngā tauira i tēnei tau i roto i te wāhanga o te Rapuara, heoi, hei tīmatanga ko te whiriwhiri i te hiahia te mea matua. Kua tau ngā tau 8 ki roto i tēnei wāhanga o te kura, ka mutu e rongo ana i te taumata o ngā mahi ki roto i te wharekura, ahaakoaa kahore anō kia tino mārama e ū tonu ana ki te kaupapa.

Nā Uncle Matiu



Tūtaki Mai Ki te Wharekura

Ko wai ahau?

Tēnā koutou e nga whānau ko Rihari Takawe tōku ingoa he tau 11 ahau nō te akomanga o Waihuka ki te wāhanga o te wharekura.

Ko ngā mea pai ki a au....

Ko ngā mea pai ki ahau kia whakatā me ōku hoa, tākaro i te kēmu, ko te tini hoki o ngā tamariki i te kura i tenei tau. Ko te wāhanga o te pāngarau te akoranga tino pai ki a au. He pai anō ki ahau ko te whakarongo ki nga waiata.

Ko aku whāinga mō te tau.

Kia whiwhi ahau i ngā whiwhinga o te NCEA ki roto i te pāngarau, pūtaiao me ngā mahi ipurangi, ngā mahi pāpāho. Ko tētahi o ōku whāinga ake kia kitekite i ngā wāhi o te motu.

Kia mutu ahau i te kura ko aku hiahia kia....

Kia whai i ngā akoranga o te kāmura me te kaimahi hiko ka mahi hoki ahau ki Makitanara i a au e ako ana. Ko noho tonu hoki ki te whare o ōku mātua kia pupuri putea, tae noa ki te wā kia tini āku pūtea ki te hoko i tōku ake whare.

Kia ora mai ano koutou katoa e te whanau, kua pānui i tēnei kōrero, nō reira kia pai tō koutou tau, ngā Manaakitanga.

Te Mahinga



Haramai Te Tiriti o Waitangi!!

I ahau e tohutohu ana ki ngā tamariki, i whakahoki mai a Mikaere, “Āe, e te Karauna!” Puku kata katoa ana mātou. Ahakoa he kaupapa taimaha, e mārama ana rātou ki ngā kaupeka matua o Te Tiriti o Waitangi, ā, kua huri hei kaupapa whakakata i ngā tamariki. E ako hoki ana mātou i te waiata o Hirini Melbourne mo Te Tiriti o Waitangi – e whakapakari ana i ngā pukenga pānui, kōrero-ā-waha, mahi-ā-Rēhia anoki.

Mauri Tau

Kua wāea haere ngā tamariki ki ngā mahi mauri tau. E ako ana mātou me pēhea te whakawaatea i te hinengaro, me pēhea te aro ki te hā, me pēhea hoki e tūhono ki a Papatuānuku. I te timatanga o te tau, i tere moe ētahi. Īhara i te mea kua eke marika, ērangī he timatanga tino pai.

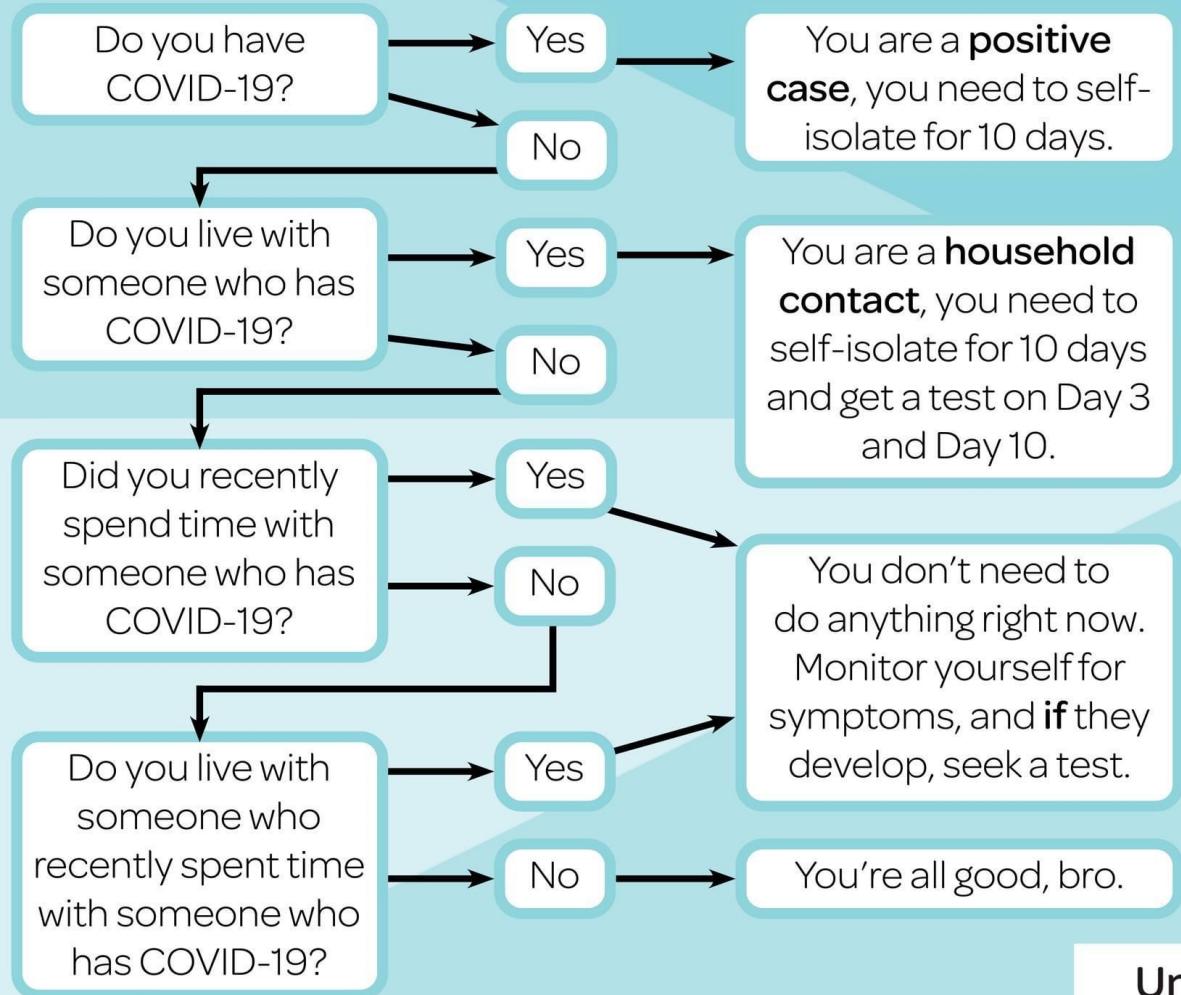
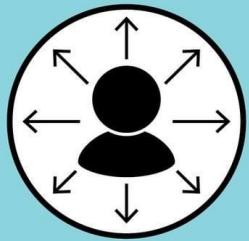


Waka Ama

E ako hoki ana a Te Mahinga i ngā pukenga waka ama. E whai whakaaro ana ki ngā tūranga rerekē ki runga i te waka, i te āhua pupuri o te hoe, me pēhea hoki te huri rauna i tētahi haki. E ako hoki ana i ēnei pukenga katoa ki roto i tō mātou puna kaukau. Kua rewa ake a Miss Avah hei kaiwhakaako, ā, tino pai tōna tohutohu atu ki ngā tamariki kia whai i te taki.



What type of contact are you?



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TYPES OF CONTACTS

Household Contact: If you live with someone who has tested positive for covid 19

Close Contact: If you have had contact with someone who has covid 19 while they were infectious.

Casual Contact: Someone who was at the same place and time with someone who has covid 19.

Covid Response F.A.Q (Frequently Asked Questions)



In light of recent positive cases in our area, this information is being issued to support whānau. It provides advice about what you may need to do should you have a positive case, or are a close contact. We know that this is disruptive, and we thank you for your understanding and support. E hoa mā, we are not the "health experts", but do know that it may take some time for the Ministry of Health to provide advice/guidance to you. Please remember that this information is subject to change, so we will try to keep updating our information as we get advice and notification from the Ministry of Education and Ministry of Health.



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| <p>Q.</p> <p>Who do we advise if my tamaiti tests positive for Covid-19?</p> | <p>A.</p> <p>Please contact the kura as soon as possible</p> <p>TE KURA O TE KAO 09 4097 813</p> |
| <p>Q.</p> <p>A member of our household is a close contact. Can my tamaiti still attend kura?</p> | <p>A.</p> <p>Yes, your child is able to attend kura. Household members continue as normal - monitoring for symptoms.</p> |
| <p>Q.</p> <p>My tamaiti has tested positive for Covid-19. What does this mean?</p> | <p>A.</p> <p>This will mean that your tamaiti will need to isolate for 10 days. All whānau will be close contacts and will also need to isolate.</p> |
| <p>Q.</p> <p>A member of our household has tested positive. What does this mean?</p> | <p>A.</p> <p>This will mean that your tamaiti will be a close contact and also needs to isolate.</p> |
| <p>Q.</p> <p>How do we work out who is a close contact?</p> <p>A.</p> <p>There is detailed guidance around this and a range of criteria. Without going into detail, because our students spend a long time in the same classroom, this then likely fits the criteria for being a close contact.</p> <p>We will email you.</p> | <p>Q.</p> <p>Me mahi tahi tātou mō te oranga o te katoa</p> <p>We will work together for the wellbeing of everyone</p> <p>A.</p> <p>Do I need to provide anything before my child is able to return to school?</p> <p>A.</p> <p>Yes please.</p> <p>For positive Covid cases or close contacts we would like to see the last negative test results please.</p> |