# Leabank Primary School



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Dr Pickering Avenue, Manurewa, Auckland School Telephone: 267 6939 – School Fax: 267 3053 www.leabank.school.nz Greetings, Tena koutou, Kia Orana, Talofa Lava, Fakalofa Lahi Atu, Malo e Lelei, Namaste. Hola. Ni hao. Xin Chao.

Dear Parents/Caregivers

Term 1 - Week 9

# STUDENTS WORK - MIDDLE SCHOOL (YEAR 3-4)

### COW5

Cows are mammals which means their babies look the same as the mother. Cows can be different kinds of colours. In the morning the farmer goes in the paddock to get the cows into the shed. When he gets the cows in the shed he milks the cows with a milking machine. When it's afternoon he gets the cows again and washes the stomach and milks it.



Male cows are called bulls, female cows are called cows and baby cows are called calves. When a cow makes milk they put the milk in a cold tank then a milk truck picks the milk up

and takes it to a milk factory and makes cheese, cream, butter and yogurt or just use it to sell milk. I think cows are very useful because they give us milk to make dairy foods or toppings to use for dessert.

By Lia-Larena lese Room 15

# <u>PIG</u>

A pig is a mammal and a farm animal. Pigs have a nose that is called a snout. They have hairy ears. Pigs have little curly tails. Pigs have black and white skin with spots. They have thin hair on their bodies. Sometimes they can grow tusks from their mouths. Farmer only keep pigs for their meal. A female pig is called a sow, they can have a litter of 10 baby piglets or more. The male pig is called boar and a baby pig is called a piglet.

Some people call pigs swine, that is another name for a pig. Sometimes farmers put pigs in sties or a shed. They put dry straw underneath them

to make them warm. A pig eats turnips, root vegetables, like boiled potatoes. They drink water or milk A group of pigs is a herd and a group of piglets is a litter. Pigs go to the sun but they can't get sweaty. They roll in the mud to make themselves cool down because they only have a little bit of hair on their bodies. I think that pigs are useful and strong.

By Adiela Takau Room 15

# Check out some Artwork from Room 14.













# SCHOOL UNIFORM

We have a limited number of School uniforms available here at school. All items are 40%-50% off the original price and can be paid at the school office. Please call the school office to make an appointment to view the uniforms. Below is the price list for our uniform.

LEABANK SCHOOL UNIFORM PRICE LIST				
GIRLS ITEMS			BOYS ITEMS	
Polo	\$15.00		Polo	\$15.00
Culottes	\$24.00		Shorts	\$15.00
Polar fleece top	\$20.00		Polar fleece top	\$20.00
Slouch Hat	\$7.00		Slouch hat	\$7.00
Trackpants	\$15.00		Trackpants	\$15.00

### UPDATING CAREGIVER DETAILS

Please make sure that your contact details are up to date, as we often need to contact families about a sick child or children who may have not been picked up after school. We also need up-to-date emergency contact details. It is really important that we have up-to-date contact details should we need to contact you if there is an emergency, lockdown or other events regarding your child.

# **2022 ENROLMENTS**

Enrolment for Leabank School can now be done online. After you have checked that you are living in-zone please make sure that you have the required documents ready in a *pdf format* before going online to enrol. Visit our school website, click on 'Our School' and select 'Enrolment'. You will be asked to enter an email address before you proceed to fill out the forms. If you are having trouble with the Online Enrolments, please call the school office to collect an enrolment pack. Please ensure you bring a copy of your child's birth certificate or child's passport, proof of address (this can be a bill with your name and address on it), plunket book or your child's updated immunisation records. Please note that we will not accept bank statements to be used as proof of address.

Yours sincerely

R W Maddren Principal

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