

LEABANK PRIMARY SCHOOL



Newsletter for 11th April 2024

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Greetings, Tena koutou, Kia Orana, Talofa Lava, Malo 'e Lelei, Bula Vinaka, Fakalofa lahi atu, Namaste, Ni Hao, Pagbati.

Dear Parents/Caregivers

Week 11

END OF TERM 1

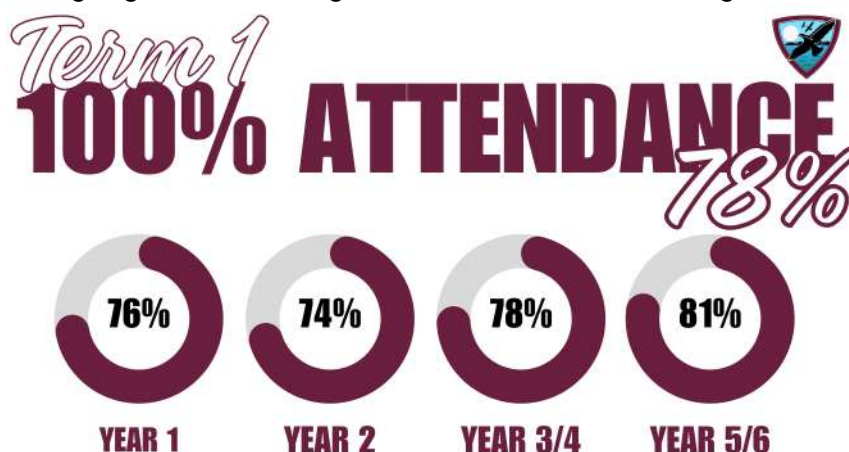
**Tomorrow is the last day of Term 1.
School will close at the earlier time of 2:00pm.**
Please arrange to have your child/ren collected at this time and advise after school care of our early finishing time.

TERM 1 ATTENDANCE

At Leabank School we recognise that attending school regularly and on time has a positive impact on learning, progress and therefore the best life chances for our students. Excellent attendance and punctuality is the key to our student's success. Therefore, we must ensure that attendance and punctuality are the highest they possibly can be in order to prepare our students for their future adult life.

We love it when our students come to school and we worry when they don't. We know some absences may be due to illness or challenges experienced in school or the community. It may be stressful getting back into a routine of attending school every day but we need you to please do your best to ensure that your child attends school every day, setting them up for a good education and ensuring your child has success at school.

The research shows that more frequent non-attendance is associated with worse wellbeing outcomes, including schoolwork-related anxiety, decreased sense of belonging, fewer friendships with peers, exposure to bullying, and feeling like teachers are being unfair.



NEW ENROLMENTS FOR TERM 2

If you have a child that will be turning 5 soon and will be starting with us next term, please come into the school office to complete an enrolment form. You can take it home, complete it and return the forms to us. We will make an appointment for you to speak to our Deputy and Associate Principal regarding pre-visits.



Please bring a copy of your child's birth certificate or passport, plunket book or updated immunisation records and proof of address. This can be a utility bill such as water bill, power bill, phone bill or tenancy agreement. If your child was born overseas please bring their passport and visa documents.

TERM 2 EVENTS

29th April	:	Term 2 starts
12th May - 18th May	:	Rotuma Language Week
26th May - 1st June	:	Samoan Language Week
27th May - 31st May	:	Book Week
3rd June	:	King's Birthday (school closed)
28th June	:	Matariki (school closed)

THAT'S A WRAP FOR TERM 1

Tomorrow, the curtains will be closed for Term 1, a chapter that was packed with busyness and seemed to stretch on forever.

Thank you everyone for putting in all the hard work.

School will be closed for 2 weeks from Monday 15th April. Term 2 will begin Monday 29th April.

We wish all staff and students a happy and safe holiday.

Yours sincerely,

R W Maddren
Principal



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TERM 2 CLASS

Starting on 13 May
2024

3 weeks only, 9.30-
1pm

Mon - Wed - Fri

30 hours - Digital
Literacy Course

**Eligibility: Ages 16
upwards. Must
NOT have NCEA
Level 2 and must
be a NZ Citizen.**

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Pit Stop
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Manurewa Bike Pit Stop

Tuesday 16 April 2024

10:00am - 1:00pm

Southmall Car Park, in association with
Auckland Transport



ANZAC Day commemorations

Thursday 25 April 2024

5:45am & 9:15am

Hill Road & Cenotaph Corner