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Kia Ora e te whānau

Nau mai hoki mai ki te wāhanga tuawhā. He pānui tēnei hei whakamārama i ngā momo mahi ākonga i tēnei wāhanga.

Ngā mihi maioha kia tātou katoa.

TIKANGA O TE KURA | KNIGHTON FOCUS

Ko te tīkanga o te kura i tēnei wāhanga, ā, ko 'Māiatanga'. Our Knighton focus this term is 'Confidence'. We encourage our tamariki to try new things, do things for themselves. Know they are special and that it's ok to make a mistake. Kia Kaha tātou!

WHAANAU HUI

Our whānau hui will be held on Wednesday the 13th of November at 5:30pm in Room 22 with ERO (Education Review Office). Nau mai.



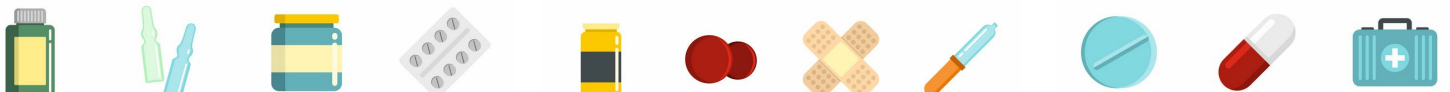
KAUHOE | SWIMMING

Swimming has started back up this term and I know the tamariki in our class are very excited. Our swimming days are Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons, please ensure tamariki are equipped for this.



WHAKAAE Ā-TUHI

If your child requires medication administered, there are forms available in the office that need to be completed and signed.



KARAKIA | NOHO PUKU



Each day we practise karakia and 'noho puku' to reconnect to Te Kore and the many wonderful elements of both Papatūānuku and Ranginui. Our Atua are a constant blessing upon us, linking us to all living things. Those who have passed on are also remembered in our acknowledgement of Matariki. These moments of reverence remain a constant anchor for our tamariki and pouako.

POTAE | KĀKAHU

Please ensure your tamaiti brings their school hat to kura. These can be purchased from the office for \$5. Please also pack a spare change of clothes for your tamaiti, this is useful for when they get wet or muddy from playing.

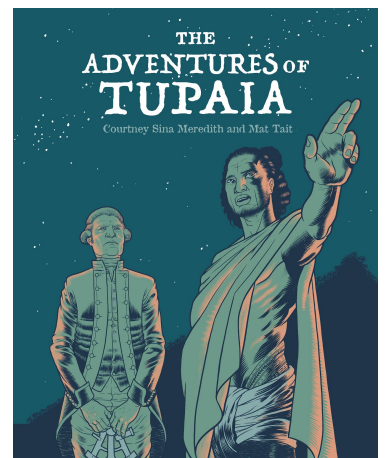
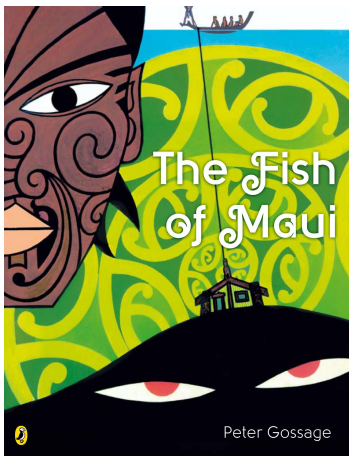
KINDO

To avoid office queues, and to ensure your payments are accounted for correctly, we encourage all families to pay school costs online through our Kindo shop. If you do not already have a Kindo account, go to www.mykindo.co.nz or via the link on our school website. There are no fees for Kindo payments unless you choose to use a credit card. Using a Kindo account is the most efficient way to pay and you don't need to send any paper forms back to school, so nothing gets lost in school bags.

KAUPAPA MATUA

Navigators

Our kaupapa this term is still the same as last term. Our focus is on 'Māori and Taiwi navigators and their voyages as they travelled to Aotearoa. Room 21 focused on Captain Cook in term 1 and will look at Māui and Tupaia this term. We will be exploring the lives of these tane and the different vessels that they sailed on as well as the different methods they used to sail here to Aotearoa / New Zealand.



IMPORTANT DATES FOR ROOM 21

Monday 28th of October
Wednesday 6th November
Wednesday 13th November
Monday 16th December
Tuesday 17th of December
Wednesday 18th of December

No School due to Labour Day
Te Hihiri hosting Te Wharekura o Mauao
Whānau Hui o Te Hihiri at 5.30pm
Awards Assembly at 11:10am
Final Junior school assembly 9:15am
Last day of the school year 1:00pm

If you have any queries please feel free to come in and have a chat or contact me via email: achase@kns.co.nz or phone (07) 856 5399.

Noho ora mai Whaea Atiria māua ko Kōkā Tiawhe