



FAIRFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

Tautapatia te pono - Dare To Be True

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Dear Parent / Caregiver,
Kia ora, Malo e lelei, Talofa,

We have seen a slow but steady return of students to school since the latest move back to Level 2. It has been great having our students back and watching them reconnect with their peers and teachers for the final weeks that are left for this year.

For those families who have indicated they are not returning this year, we understand your hesitation and hope the learning packs we provided are assisting with your home learning.

Sadly our end of year trips, sports events and Year 6 leavers dinner have all been cancelled.

Now that we move to the traffic light system, the government has made the decision that schools will remain with their current restrictions until the end of the year.

Next Friday 10th December our Junior, Middle and Senior syndicates will acknowledge their award recipients in small groups and photos/videos will be posted on Facebook for whanau to see. Learning Portfolios are also being sent home next Friday 10th.

We thank you for your understanding and continued support during these trying times where we are never too certain of what tomorrow may bring.

School finishes for the 2021 school year at 12:15pm on Wednesday 15th December. Students will be provided with an early lunch on the last day.

ROOM 15 MURAL

The idea for a mural originated from the 2020 pandemic where the class talked about the fun things they could do for free - a reminder when life was free and daring to be free again. Also aligning this to our school motto—Tautapatia te pono—Dare to be true.

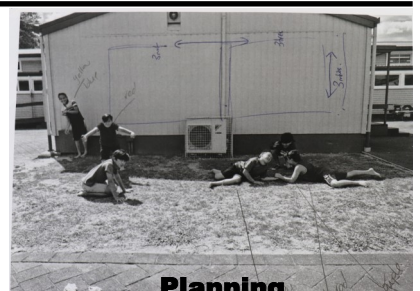
This year the class were on track to complete, but were interrupted by more lock downs.

Now that school has re-opened, it is all go as the students are pulling out all stops to get this finished before the end of the year.

The panels have been undercoated and the sketch is being transferred onto the panels.

The class is hoping to begin painting in the coming days.

Once completed, it will be proudly displayed on the end of Room 5.



Planning



Mural sketch



Undercoating



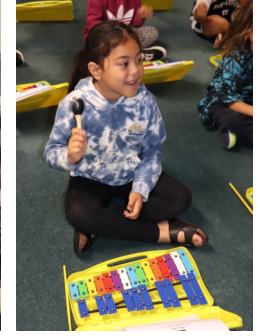
Drawing the sketch onto the panels

Students from Room 16 have been experimenting with UV beads, outside, inside, under the shade cloth, under a hat, or covered with sunscreen. They used stopwatches to time them and to work out which provides the most protection from UV rays, as the beads turn purple in the sun and white in the dark.



Jellybeans Music

It was nice to see a little bit of normality return to our school today with the Jellybeans music programme starting again.



REGULATION SCHOOL SUNHATS

It is compulsory to wear our regulation sunhat in Term 4 and Term 1.

Hats are available from the office and cost \$12.00.

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**Term 4 ends at 12:15pm on
Wednesday 15th December.**

**School starts for the 2022 year on Wednesday 2nd
February.**

**Our office will be open for
enquiries and new enrolments from Monday 24th
January
between the hours of
9:00am - 1:00pm**

STATIONERY 2022

**The price per pack for
2022 will be \$30.00 for all
year levels.**

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