



FAIRFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parent / Caregiver,

Kia ora, Malo e lei lei, Talofa,

ATTENDANCE INITIATIVE

Congratulations to Izaiah & Selupe - the winners of our second attendance draw.

Our next draw will take place on Friday 2nd September.

To be "In to win" in the third draw - children must attend school everyday for the period 22/8 - 2/9.



WHOLE SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY - FRIDAY 2nd SEPTEMBER

Location: Races start on our school field.

STUDENTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO DRESS IN HOUSE COLOURS

We welcome whanau to come along and watch!

Senior classes will run in the first block, starting at approx 9:10am in the following order:

Year 5 boys, Year 5 girls, Year 6 boys, Year 6 girls, Walking race.

Middle school classes will run in the middle block and start at approx 11:00am.

Year 3 boys, Year 3 girls, Year 4 boys, Year 4 girls, Walking race.



Junior classes will run after lunch and start at approx. 1:20pm.

Year 0/1 boys, Year 0/1 girls, Year 2 boys, Year 2 girls.

JUNIOR SCHOOL TRIPS TO STARDOME - 7th & 8th SEPTEMBER

As a part of the junior school topic study on "The Sun and Moon", Rooms 2,5,8,9 & 10 will be visiting the Stardome in Auckland. Notices have been sent home and consent/health forms are steadily being returned. Please be reminded that we are unable to accept any consent/health forms on the day of your child's trip. If your child's notice has been misplaced, please ask the office for another one.

TERM 3 POLICY REVIEW

School policies are regularly reviewed. This term, our school policies up for review relate to Student Wellbeing and Safety. As a parent/caregiver, if you would like to view these policies and provide us with feedback, please follow the steps below:

1. Visit the website <https://fairfieldprimary.schooldocs.co.nz/1893.htm>
2. Enter the username (fairfieldprimary) and password (clarkin).
3. Follow the link to the relevant policy as listed.
4. Read the policy.
5. Click the Policy Review button at the top right-hand corner of the page.
6. Select the reviewer type "Parent".
7. Enter your name (optional).
8. Submit your ratings and comments.

Thank you to those who take the time to view our policies and offer any feedback.

A huge thank you to everyone who supported Daffodil Day. Just over \$400.00 was raised and has now been given to the Cancer Society.



SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS - HAVE YOU VOTED YET?

Voting closes at 4pm on Wednesday 7th September

Return your votes to the school office. The voting box is located just inside the office door. Alternatively send back to us via NZ Post in the envelope provided.



Hey kids...Enter our "Safety Outside the School Gate" quiz and be in to win a prize.

We encourage you to do this quiz with the adult who usually brings you to school.

Circle the correct answer

1. What is the maximum speed our car is allowed to go when we drive past school. 40km/hr 50km/hr 80km/hr
2. Is our car allowed to park in the bus stop? YES / NO
3. Is our car allowed to stop and let us out over a driveway? YES / NO
4. Is our car allowed to park on yellow lines? YES / NO
5. Do school age kids need to wear a seatbelt? YES / NO
6. What does the orange traffic light mean? Go fast, before it turns red / Stop, unless too close to do so safely
7. Can the driver of our car get a traffic fine for parking illegally? YES / NO
8. Can parking illegally put student safety at risk? YES / NO
9. Is our car allowed to park in the Intermediate car park if no one in the family goes to Intermediate? YES / NO
10. What is a sneaky driveway? A driveway that plays tricks / A driveway where drivers may not see anyone crossing



Student name: _____

Room: _____

Return your completed quiz to the school office
by Tuesday 6th September.



Alisi and Nivara
We're glad you are here!

Remember - Facebook is our schools preferred means of communicating notices and events. Please find us on facebook and "like" or "follow" us.

Each class also has their own facebook group. These are closed groups for family members of students in the particular class only. If you are having difficulty finding the class groups, please private message our school page and we will provide this information to you.

ENROLMENT AT FAIRFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL FOR NEW STUDENTS

The Fairfield Primary School Board of Trustees invites applications from parents who wish to enrol their children at Fairfield Primary School for the period:

17th October – 15th December (Term 4 2022)

Enrolment at the school is governed by an Enrolment Scheme, details of which are available from the school office.

The Board has determined that a total of 4 places are likely to be available for **OUT OF ZONE** students in Years 1 & 2.

The exact number of places in each year level will depend on the number of applications received from students who live within the school's enrolment zone. It is unlikely spaces will be available in Years 3 - 6 for Term 4.

Application forms are available from the school office.

The deadline for receipt of application for Out of Zone places is: 22nd September 2022.

Parents who live within the home zone and who intend enrolling their child in Term 4 should notify the school office by 22nd September to assist the school in planning appropriately for this period. All students in the home zone are entitled to enrol at the school. The ballot only affects students who live out of zone.

If the number of out of zone applications exceeds the number of places available in each year level, students will be selected by ballot.

If a ballot for out of zone places is required, it will be held on 26th September 2022. Parents will be informed of the outcome of the ballot within three school days of the ballot being held.

Fairfield Primary School Board of Trustees

Kind regards

Anne Johnson
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