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### Newsletter 29 July 2021

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A Big welcome to Ayla, Kingston, Ava, Riley, Viva, Layla, Zoe, Ally, Loriarnah and Tyler who has joined us at David Street School. Nau mai, haere mai ki te kura o Rawiri.

We were pleased to welcome our refreshed and happy students back to school on Monday after their well-deserved holiday.



### **Student Reporting is Going Live on Hero Tomorrow**

We have included in this newsletter information around how we report your child's progress and achievement through our Hero App. Take the time to have a look and if you have any questions you can discuss these at the Learning Conversations next week.

### **Logging in to Hero**

If you have never logged in to Hero before, go to our school website and follow the log in steps.

https://www.davidst.school.nz/100/pages/32-linc-ed-parent-information

If you have already logged in to Hero before but cannot remember your password just click "forgot password"

### Student Led Conferences Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> August & Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> August

Student Led Conferences will be held next week. If you have not booked please do so. We would love to see you there.

- Senior school parents need to book your conference with your child's Literacy Teacher. Your child will know who this is. If you are still unsure phone the school office and they can help you.
- Please Note: Room 17 & 18 will not be having online bookings for Learning Conversations. Your child's teacher will email you to book a time.
- If you are unable to book online please phone/email or come in to the office and we can book your conference for you. Phone 889-7780 or email office@davidst.school.nz

### Learning Conversation with your child's teacher.

Teachers and parents will have the opportunity to discuss learning, next steps, goals and how your child is progressing towards meeting the relevant curriculum level.

To accommodate this we have a range of options for you to choose from;

### You are able to select one of the following:

- Face to Face Parent/ teacher conversation:
- Student Parent Teacher conversation, 15 minute time slots, booked online
   Monday 2 August 3.15 -5.00. 5.45 7.00 pm & Wednesday 4 August 3.15 -6.00pm

If you cannot make it into school or times do not suit

- Phone call to discuss learning at an agreed time with the classroom teacher
- Zoom meeting- arranged at an agreed time with the classroom teacher



Book Your Learning Conversation with your Child's Teacher at this link: www.schoolinterviews.co.nz

Enter the code **jafkg** and click **GO**.

If you are unable to book a time online please phone the school office on 889-7780 and we can book a time to suit you.



### **Buses**

With the beginning of a new term, it is imperative that <u>if your child/ren are not going home on the bus</u> when they normally would, that you notify the school office, especially now with netball finishing and basketball starting up.

Please notify the school office prior to 2.30pm for our information, and to remind the students of any changes to travelling on the bus that day (students will be reminded on the 2.30 afternoon notices). We need to ensure your child is in the right place.

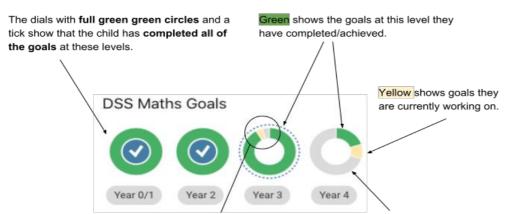
### **Reporting Student Progress and Achievement**

The New Zealand Curriculum recognises that learning is like a roller coaster. We all learn at different rates, sometimes the learning clicks, and sometimes it takes a little longer.

At David Street School we recognise this journey. From tomorrow, when you log back into your students' HERO learning portal (link can be found on our website) you will find some 'dials/graphs' representing Reading, Writing and Maths.

These dials indicate the learning and achievement of a child in relation to our David Street School Learner Pathways. The example is a **Year 4 student** who is performing at their **expected level** of schooling.

### Year 4 Child's Goals



This shows that the child has some goals from the previous year that they are still completing. Although some may be grey, the reason for this could be that the focus in class is not on that goal.

Often the goals are similar at each year level but have more complexity as the years progress. Teachers will cover the uncompleted goals throughout the year but the focus is on goals at the child's current year level.

The Grey shows goals that have not been taught so far this year or may have been taught but are not the current learning focus.

If you have any questions regarding your child and their learning as a result of these dials there will be time at the learner conversation meetings next week to discuss these. If you are unable to attend the meeting and want to talk to your child's teacher please get in touch via the school email or office.

### Values Awards

David Street School celebrates children who have been showing our school values in their behaviour and actions at school.

Recipients of the Principals Awards were:

### **Nakelly Nuth:**

Nakelly consistently takes responsibility for her learning. She is always ready for learning and completes all tasks to a very high standard. What a role model!

### **Ryder Johnston:**

Ryder is a self-aware learner. He takes responsibility for his learning and is trying his best in all curriculum areas. Well done Ryder!

### **Kva Pratt**

Kya is a responsible and respectful learner who always does the right thing. She is always eager to learn and asks curious questions during our investigating sessions. Well done Kya, you are a great role model for others.

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### Ollie Hudson:

Ollie shows excellence in all areas of his learning. He is always listening, following instructions and pushing himself.

### Willow McLeod:

Willow always thinks carefully about what she is going to do in all areas before doing it, ensuring she is completing all things to an excellent standard. She is a great role model in kapa haka and shines in this area!

### **Tyson Minimita-Hotene:**

Tyson is a responsible and respectful learner who always does the right thing even when no one is looking. He shows great responsibility for not only his learning but his actions in and out of the classroom.

### **David Street Roundabout.**



8.15 - 9.15am 2.30 – 3.30pm

Mon - Fri

A reminder that the school roundabout **drop off** zones are just that. School gates are busy places especially before and after school.

The rules at the roundabout are designed in consultation with police, to ensure the safety of our children.

Let's work together to ensure the safety of every child.

### We now insist that:

Drivers must remain with their vehicle and drive off as soon as their child is safely on the footpath.

Children must exit the vehicle on the footpath side of the roundabout.

### **Absentees & Student Messages:**

The school office is open each day from 8.15am to 4.00pm. If your child is going to be late or absent, please phone the office before 8.50am, you can leave a detailed message on our answer phone. In line with ministry policy we do need to know the reason your child is away. If your child is not at school, and we are not sure why, someone from the office will give you a call. If you have an after school message for your child, please phone these through by 2.20pm so we have time to get the message to your child before the bells.

We discourage sending emails or private messaging of absences or after school messages as we are not constantly checking these forms of communication and important messages may be missed or not relayed to your child on time.

### Everyone needs a Brain Break!

All our children stop for a quick healthy snack at 10am to get their brains refuelled after a hard mornings work.

A reminder to always pack an extra piece of fruit for our brain break in the mornings.

### **FRIDAY LUNCH ORDERS**

Coronation Food Centre provide a lunch order service every Friday.

Orders are taken in the school hall at 8.30am Lunches will be delivered to children at lunchtime.

All Meat Pies \$4.00
Sausage Roll \$3.00
Cookies \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.60
Apple Pie \$4.50, Apricot Pie \$4.50
Apple Square \$3.00, Custard Square \$3.00
Fresh & Fruity \$1.80
Just Juice \$2.50, Primo \$3.00, Calci-Yum \$2.00
Fruit: Banana 0.50 Apple 0.50 Orange 0.50

### **School Office Hours**

**Mon, Tues, Thurs, Friday** 8.00 am to 4.00 pm **Wednesday** 8.00 am to 3.30 pm

### **School Hours for children**

- 8.55am School begins
- **11:00am** Morning Interval
- **12.30pm** Lunch
- 1.30pm Afternoon Session
- **3.00pm** School day ends





Due to increasing costs over the past couple of years, including the recent minimum wage increase, we have reluctantly found it necessary to increase the fees for our Before and After School Care and Holiday programmes.

As of 26th July 2021, the hourly rate for Before School and After School Care will be increasing from \$7.50 to \$8.00 per hour for permanent bookings. If your child/ren are booked for full time afternoon care - e.g 3.00 pm to 5.30 pm everyday, the weekly discounted rate will increase from \$80.00 per week to \$85.00 per week.

As of the 4th October 2021 the Holiday Programme will be increasing from \$35 to \$40 for a full day (Over 5 hours) and from \$25 to \$30 for a half day (5 hours or less)

Care for Kids charges/Fees	Current charges	New Charges as at 26th July 2021		
Morning Programme				
7.30am - 8.30am	\$7.50	\$8.00		
7.15am - 8.30am	\$10.00	Unchanged		
Afternoon Programme				
Hourly	\$7.50	\$8.00		
Full time 3pm-5.30pm Mon-Fri	\$80.00	\$85.00		
Causal booking fee	\$1 per hour	\$1 per session		
Holiday programme	Current charges	New Charges as at 4th Oct 2021		
Over 5hrs per day	\$35.00	\$40.00		
Under 5hrs per day	\$25.00	\$30.00		



A quality OSCAR approved Before, After School care and School Holiday programme at David Street School.

The Care for Kids Holiday Programme for Term 1 will run as follows:

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> July – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July Monday 19<sup>th</sup> July – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> July

To enroll your child please go to our online enrolment site <a href="https://enrolmy.com/care-for-kids">https://enrolmy.com/care-for-kids</a>

Or contact Pia 0273 691263 or email careforkids@davidst.school.nz

Please book early as there are limited spaces available.

David Street School Term 3 Calendar - 2021

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week	1 26 – 30 July	2 2 – 6 Aug	3 9 – 13 Aug	4 16 – 20 Aug	5 23 - 27 Aug	6 30 Aug - 3 Sept	7 6 – 10 Sept	8 13 – 17 Sept	9 20 – 24 Sept	10 27 Sept – 1 Oct
MONDAY		Learner Conversation 3.15-7.30 pm					School Photos Class & Individual			
TUESDAY			Home & School meeting 7pm			Health Curriculum Parent Evening	Team School Photos		NZ Playhouse 9am Whole School	
WEDNESDAY	Basketball — Begins	Learner Conversation 3.15- 6.00pm		Junior Poetry Finals						-
THURSDAY										
FRIDAY				MIS visiting YR6 students	Gymsport Competition					Last Day Term 3