

Matauri Bay School



Tēnā koutou whānau,

Ngā mihi o te wā ki koutou katoa. Pai ki te kite ō tamariki mokopuna i hoki mai i runga i te rangimarie me te aroha mo te tau hau kura. Te hiahia hoki rātou ki te ako. He mihi hoki ki ngā akonga hou i timata i te kura, nau mai haere mai ki te kura o Matauri.

I would like to extend a warm welcome to our new tamariki and their families, to our returning whānau, we are looking forward to working together creating fun experiences and learning.

We have some exciting changes to the staff at our kura. With 2 new Kaiako, Whaea Trudie Porter, our new entrant teacher. Whaea Mārika Williams our new year 5&6 teacher. The Matauri Bay School Board of Trustees, staff and tamariki are excited to have them on our staff and look forward to working together. A warm welcome back from study leave to Whaea Rauaroha who is teaching the year 3&4 class.

Teacher only day March 17th

As part of the Whangaroa Kahui Akō we are having a staff training and Whanaungātanga day alongside the Runanga o Whangaroa. School will not be open on this date.

Matauri Bay School Property Upgrades

Our school has been undergoing some renovations over the holidays. We have started our boundary fence project, have a new school bell, smoke alarm and security system being installed. Some great news is that our 5 year and 10 year property plan has been approved. We look forward to some needed building upgrades and changes to improve our kura.

The Matauri Bay School App / Facebook & Website Upgrade

The Matauri Bay School App is available from both the Apple Store and the Google play store. It is a great tool for staying in touch with what is happening at school and has useful information and links. We are also upgrading our school website so the app and the website are linked. This is an effort to make communication easier and smoother in the digital world.

2021 Kaitiaki/Netball sign up for students in school

By the end of week 5 we will have our school Kaitiaki (student leaders) up and running for 2021. We look forward to them building their leadership and working with staff and students alike. Whaea Trudie will be holding a netball signup at school for students next week. They will come home with a pānui for parents. Encourage your tamariki to participate.

COVID-19 reminders

Whānau please remember that you are always welcome to come to the school to support your tamariki. With the COVID-19 levels being back to level 2 you may drop your tamariki off but remain in the car. You must sign in using the QR code or the school app sign in.

Naku noa,

Jared Nordstrom (Tumuaki)

CALENDAR DATES Term One 2021

School Photos (New Date) Monday April 12th	End of Term One (EARLY FINISH) Friday April 16th (NO TAKOU BAY BUS)
ANZAC DAY service at school with TKKMoW Wednesday April 14th (Tentative)	Teacher Only Day Wednesday March 17th