



Daily Notices
Tuesday, 14 October 2025

Panui o te rā
Rātū, 14 Whiringa-ā-nuku 2025

IMPORTANT MESSAGES

Dear Parents and Whānau

Further to my message to you late last week about the proposed nationwide PPTA industrial action this week, we have received formal notifications from the PPTA confirming that Partial Strikes will proceed through this week, until at least Thursday. I anticipate we will receive formal notification about the partial strike affecting Year 13 students on Friday in the next 24 hours.

On that basis, I can confirm partial strike action on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, and I suggest it is most likely to continue into Friday this week. If anything changes between now and Friday I will advise you as soon as possible.

This means there will be no classes for Year 7 and 9 students tomorrow Tuesday 14 October. (Confirmed)

There will be no classes for Year 8 and 10 students on Wednesday 15 October. (Confirmed)

There will be no classes for Year 11 and 12 students on Thursday 16 October. (Confirmed)

There will be no classes for Year 13 students on Friday (To be confirmed by PPTA in the next 24 hours).

We are unable to supervise students affected by these partial strikes and so please do not send your child to school on those nominated days.

A full strike day is also proposed for Thursday 23 October; I suggest it is highly likely this industrial action will proceed; we do not expect to receive formal notification from the PPTA of this going ahead until Monday 20 October. I suggest families and whānau plan in anticipation of this being confirmed.

PPTA have also advised a full 2-hour strike on Wednesday 5 November, which will be in the afternoon, beginning at 1.15pm and concluding at 3.15pm. This means school will finish early on Wednesday November 5. School buses will continue to run at the normal times on that day. I suggest families and whānau also plan for this happening. When we know more, we will share updates with you.

I appreciate how disruptive this nationwide industrial action is for families and whānau.

Ngā mihi

Mike Clent

Principal

GENERAL

- Blazers - Please return the blazers you have borrowed to Reception by the end of this week.
- The Nurse will be here Tuesday and Friday 9:30am-1:30pm, her van will be parked outside LEC.

JUNIORS

- Year 9 Debating is on today in BES4 after seated lunch. Everyone is welcome.
- Sylva (glass jars, Scandi Buns, Sand 'n Salt, Wax-up, Chilean rotos, Tide & Treasure - could these groups please meet Mrs Druery at the staff room at the end of formtime this morning.

SENIORS

- Win cash prizes by submitting a practice NCEA English essay! WriteWise is hosting a competition with prizes up to \$250. Open to Years 11-13. Closes 1st November.
Full details and entry: writewise.co.nz/essay-competition
See Mrs Lemon for more details., if needed.
- Can the following Year 13 students please meet Mrs Clent at the Whare this Thursday at the very start of interval - please don't be late as I need everyone there at once. If it is raining we will meet at the Careers Office. Thanks!
Jasaiah Apiata, Te Kauri Armstrong-Kingi, Sascha Bell, Annaliese Brewer, Ayla Buxton, Tia Codlin, Solomon Dickey, Evie Doull, Bailey Edwards, Benji Ellicott, Alastor Fairhurst, Madison Flood, Lola Hare, Freddy Jarman, Ben Jump, Yo Kinoshita, Jack Laird, Luc Lawler, Rongoa Mata-Ariki, Chloe Muller, Hana Para, Braxton Russell, Kosta Silich, Jake Van den Bemd, Lilli-Rose Voakes, Ella Wade, Winter Whiu, Phoebe Williams
- Reminder to order your AME revision books at Reception asap so you will have them for study leave.
Level 2 \$21.50 each, Level 3 \$23.00 each, most subjects are available.

CULTURAL

- Year 11, 12 & 13 Te Ao Haka students please meet at Whare today period 1 for pōwhiri period 2.

SPORTS

- Year 7 and 8 Fast 5 Teams and Draw is up at the sports office.

CALENDAR

Tuesday	PPTA Partial Strike - Year 7 and Year 9 E-STEM TriOceans NSSSA Badminton Novice Boys Teams Year 9 and 10 Apply for Studylink - Student Allowance & Student Loan
Wednesday	PPTA Partial Strike - Year 8 and Year 10 Year 11 and 12 Art Folio Exhibition E-STEM TriOceans NSSSA Hockey 5's Year 7 and 8 - Whangarei Riverview School Transition Visit
Thursday	PPTA Partial Strike - Year 11 and Year 12 Year 11 and 12 Art Folio Exhibition 13OED Overnight Trip E-STEM TriOceans NSSSA Badminton Novice Girls Teams Year 9 and 10 Fast 5 Year 7 & 8 Kerikeri Primary School Transition Visit
Friday	PPTA Partial Strike - Year 13 Year 11 and 12 Art Folio Exhibition Fast 5 Netball Year 9 and 10 13OED Overnight Trip Year 8 Kapa haka Year 7 & 8 High Jump for Athletics Champs. Other Schools Transition Visit