SPS Year 7-8 Newslotter

Term One, 2025



Nau Mai, Haere Mai, and welcome to Term One!

After a long Christmas break, it is great to see all of the students back at school. Welcome to new families and students. We hope you have made a great start to S.P.S.

We welcome Miss Angela Chubb, and Mrs Erin Webb to our teaching team this year.

Our Teaching Team for 2024 is:

Room 1 - Mr Gareth King (Team leader)

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Room 2 - Ms Jo Todd

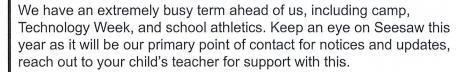
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Room 3 - Miss Angela Chubb

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Room 4 - Mr Geoff Dingle and Mrs Erin Webb

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Whānau Day is on the 5th of February at 11:30 am. All whānau are invited to come along and join in with our celebration of being back at school! More information will come out about this shortly.

A reminder that students need to have hats and drink bottles at school. We are a Sunsmart School and encourage students to protect themselves from getting sunburned. Our summer hours are 8:45 to 2:55. Please make sure your child is not at school before 8:15 in the morning.

We will be working hard in all areas of the curriculum this year. We will be incorporating the new resources for the teaching of mathematics this year. Families can support students learning at home by regularly checking Seesaw and commenting on the work posted, talking about the learning goals students are working on, and keeping in contact with the classroom teacher for any questions you may have.

Homework in the Senior School will be based on earning points for the Aim High Achievement Bands. We will share information about Achievement Bands early in the term.

We are looking forward to this year!



School Lunches this year

We will have a new provider for our school lunches this year, Information will come home about lunches as soon as we have it.

Important Dates!

Week one: 27-31 January

Monday 27 - Whanau

connection day

Tuesday 28 - Powhiri for new staff and students

Friday 31 - Top team day

Week two: 3-7 February

Wednesday 5 - Whanau day

with hangi

Thursday 6 - Waitangi Day

Week three: 10-14

February

Monday 10 - Camp meeting

at 4:30

Week four: 17-21 February

Camp Week

Week five: : 24-28

February

Wednesday 26 - Turnbull

Cup swimming

Week six: 3-7 March

Thursday 6 - Assembly

Friday 7 - Teacher Only Day

Week seven: 10-14 March

Monday 10 - Taranaki

Anniversary Day

Thursday 13 - Kapa Haka

starts

Week eight: 17-21 March

Technology Week

Week nine: 24-28 March

Wednesday 26 - Athletics

Week ten: 31-4 April Week eleven: 7-11 April

Wednesday 9 - ANZAC

Assembly

Friday 11 - End of term 1