



Thursday 6 June 2024

Week 6 Term 2

Kia orana, Kia ora, Malo lelei, Talofa lava, Namaste, Fakalofa lahi atu , Bula vinaka, Ni hao ma, Xin chāo, Salam alaikum, greetings to all whānau and friends of Flat Bush School,

Last week's Samoan Language Week was an amazing celebration for all of our FBS learning community. It was another opportunity for us all to make memories that will last a lifetime, faafetai tele lava to all of our hard working staff who organised, planned and delivered such a memorable week.

**FRIENDLY REMINDER**

A friendly reminder that our FBS learners should only finish before 3pm if there is a valid reason. We understand that there are whānau emergencies from time to time that mean our learners need to be picked up early. However, wanting to beat the traffic or because it's raining, are not reasons for our learners to be picked up before the regular end of the day at 3pm.

**FBS LIBRARY**

Starting next Monday, our FBS Library will be open in the morning from 8.15am-8.55am. Our learners are invited to come in and read with myself or Ms Agness during this time. We will have book boxes for our learners and notebooks to record what they have read, this will take place every morning. We also invite our FBS whānau to join our school library, to do so please come and see Ms Agness before school starts and she will organise a library card for you. We have in our library a dedicated section with books for our whānau to read, these have been donated by our FBS staff. This is a new initiative and is absolutely **FREE!!**

**TEACHER ONLY DAY**

Tomorrow FBS will be closed for instruction as we have a Teacher Only Day and we will be joined by the teaching team from Rongomai Primary School. We will be working on activities related to Aotearoa/NZ Curriculum, Structured Literacy and also the use of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in our schools. This is a Ministry of Education endorsed Teacher Only Day and most schools in our local area have had a similar day in the past few weeks. FBS will be open again on Monday, June the 10th.



**THANK YOU**

A big thank you to all of our FBS whānau for the improvement on Flat Bush Rd at the end of the day during pick up time. We appreciate that cars are not stopping in front of the school and that we are all working together to keep our children safe. Ngā mihi ki a koutou katoa.

Mr Avatea  
Proud to be your Principal

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