



Friday February 2 2018

Kia ora, Kia orana, Malo lelei, Talofa lava, Namaste, Fakalofa lahi atu, Bula vinaka, Ni hao, greetings to all whanau and friends of Flat Bush School

Another warm welcome to all students and their whanau as we begin our new year.

Thank you to our families for working hard to have our students come back to school in their full school uniform and with their stationery, we appreciate your effort.

We are fully staffed and I want to acknowledge the hard work and effort of all staff in getting our school ready for opening.

HATS, HATS, HATS

Please remind your children to bring a hat to school everyday—particularly with the weather being so nice and sunny. Students who are not wearing a hat will be directed to spend their break times under the covered areas of our school. At Flat Bush School hats are compulsory during Terms 1 and 4. Thank you whanau for your support in this.

Waitangi Day

School will be closed for instruction on Tuesday, February 6 as it is the Waitangi Day Public Holiday. We open for instruction as normal on Wednesday.

School Assembly

We have our first school assembly for 2018 next Friday, February 9. We will start in the hall at 1.45pm and all classes will be announcing the name that their room will carry in 2018. This is a new initiative that we are starting as another way of creating, pride, identity and a sense of ownership for our students.

Whanau Picnic

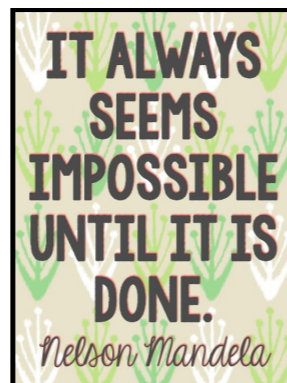
On Friday February 23, we will be holding our annual Whanau Picnic at school from 4.30pm –7pm. It is a lovely relaxed way for whanau to meet their child’s new teacher and for everyone to have fun together. There will be lots of fun activities for both children and adults to join in. We look forward to having our students and their whanau spending this time with our staff.

School Uniform and Stationery

We have the following items for sale in our school office.

Red/Black Contrast Short Sleeve Polo - Embroidered Logo 180-240GSM Anti Pilling Fabric Colour Fastness, UV Rated and Shrinkage Tested Price: \$30.00	Red Fleece Sweat Shirt – Embroidered Logo Anti Pilling Fabric, Colour Fastness, UV Rated and Shrinkage Tested Price: \$36.00	Fleece Jumper Full Zip–Red/Black Contrast Embroidered Logo 350gsm Heavy Polar Fleece. Anti Pilling Fabric. Colour Fastness, UV Rated and Shrinkage Tested Price: \$45.00
Track Pants – With School Name Price - \$30.00	School Shorts – With School Name Price: \$30.00	Bucket Hat – Red with School Logo <i>Summer Terms Only – Terms 1 & 4</i> Price: \$15.00

	NE/YR1 Rms 1,2	YR2 Rms 5,7, 8	Middle Syndicate Rooms 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15	SENIOR’S Rooms 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20
TOTAL	\$28.50	\$27.90	\$28.30 with a 1H5 Maths book \$27.90 with a 1E5 Maths book	\$23.20



Flat Bush School Staff List – 2018

Banapa Avatea	Principal	Yogi Moodley	Classroom Release Teacher
Julie Shirley	Deputy Principal	Chase Kisiona	Classroom Release Teacher
James Williams	Associate Principal	Faanunu Aneru	Classroom Release Teacher
Janetta Mayerhofler	Visual Art Specialist <i>Junior Team Leader</i>	Tania Hinga	Administration Officer
Elizabeth Heather	Teacher – Room 1	Sheree Ellison	Accounts/Payroll Officer
Lisa Boyd-Crofskey	Teacher – Room 1	Peti Ualesi	Liaison Officer
Natasha Young	Teacher – Room 2	Agnes Sagala	Teacher Aide
Sebrina Faavae	Teacher – Room 5	Anne Ongoua	Teacher Aide
Karen Browne	Teacher – Room 7	Turi Tupou	Teacher Aide
Terisa Schmidt	Teacher – Room 8	Gemima Katipa	Teacher Aide
Osana Crawley	Teacher – Room 12 <i>Middle Team Leader</i>	Paese Letele	Teacher Aide
Caitlin Haynes	Teacher – Room 9	Masina Taumafai	Teacher Aide
Cissy Zhao	Teacher – Room 9	Awhina Wipani	Teacher Aide
Martha Mokalei	Teacher – Room 10	Filisoaina Tito	Teacher Aide
Teokotai Tuteru	Teacher – Room 11	Moiho Leaupepe	Teacher Aide
Bernadine Russell	Teacher – Room 13	Maria Moore	Teacher Aide
Pratima Hira	Teacher – Room 15	Maggy Heather	Teacher Aide
Emily Fernando	Teacher – Room 19 <i>Senior Team Leader</i>	Stephanie Johnson	Social Worker
Sela Togiatu	Teacher – Room 14	Fetalaiga Taala Shivika Sharma	Mana Kidz Clinic
Manu Fonohema	Teacher – Room 16	Demetrius Solomona	Music Specialist
Siliga Stanley	Teacher – Room 17	Angie Harris	Tuck Shop
Anne Vaka	Teacher – Room 18	Ian Ellice	Caretaker
Dinah Winiata	Te Matauranga Maori	Tom Tupou	Assistant Caretaker



The hard working staff of Flat Bush School at their Professional Learning Day at MIT 30.01.18.

It has been great having the chance to meeting up with lots of our students and their whanau this week, I really look forward to having a chat with everyone else when I get the chance.

Kia manuia,
Mr Avatea
Proud to be your Principal