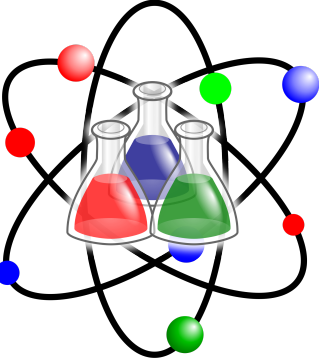


Year 3 Team Newsletter - Term 2, 2022

Dates to note	Welcome to Term 2
Week 1 Swimming - <u>Wed & Fri</u> at the Millenium	Welcome back! We hope you had a great holiday and are excited about the learning we will experience this term. It's a full term, so be sure to read the newsletters, emails and notices via Hero.
Week 2 Tuesday - Science in a Van - About Matter (visitors to school) Swimming - <u>Wed & Fri</u>	We would like to welcome Michelle Webster to the Year 3 teaching team, a familiar face around school! She is looking forward to getting to know the students in Room 4.
Week 3 Swimming - <u>Wed & Fri</u> Friday, 20 May - Pink Shirt Day, non uniform day	Topic – Our inquiry topic for this term is Change . We will be looking at how we can ‘ change or make something different ’. We want our children to understand the difference between reversible and irreversible changes. We shall be conducting various science experiments to find out.
Week 4	
Week 5 Monday, 30 May - Cross Country Wednesday, 1 June - Trip to MOTAT	Visual Language – We are learning how words and pictures can be combined to present information.
Week 6 Monday, 7 June - School Closed, Public Holiday, Queen's birthday	Oral Language – We are learning to share ideas and information with the class (see attached Home Learning task - a hard copy will also be stuck in their book to take home).
Week 7	Reading - We shall continue with our reading groups and some whole class texts. We shall be focusing on their understanding of the text.
Week 8 Thursday, 23 June - Teacher Only Day, School Closed Friday, 24 June - Matariki Holiday, School Closed	Written Language – We are learning how to write information, explanations and reports. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Write logical information with sufficient details.• Sequence and group main ideas.• Use keywords which are appropriate to the topic.
Week 9 Monday, 27 June - Teacher Only Day, School Closed	Maths – We are continuing to learn our addition, subtraction, multiplication and division facts and strategies. We are taking a closer look at time and shapes this term.
Week 10 Wednesday, 6 July and Thursday, 7 July - Parent Teacher Interviews Friday, 9 July - Last day of school	Visual Arts – This is covered independently in each classroom, based around our inquiry topic.
	We are very excited to have such an action packed term. Should you have any questions, please contact your child's classroom teacher. Kind regards, Year 3 Team <i>Claire Garnett (Y3 Team Leader), Jody Kukard, Michelle Webster and Tania Davey (R4 Thursdays & R3 Fridays)</i>