



Merivale School

Te Kura o Tūtarawānanga



Matuatia Te Ako



Learning First

PĀNUI

3 April 2024



Look how creative Room 4 were with shells,
and the beautiful Mandela they made!

WEEK 10

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1 April EASTER MONDAY	2 April EASTER TUESDAY (no school)	3 April	4 April	5 April Throat & Skin Nurse	6 April	7 April
8 April	9 April Throat & Skin Nurse	10 April	11 April	12 April LAST DAY OF TERM 1	13 April	14 April

WEEK 11

15 April	16 April	17 April	18 April	19 April	20 April	21 April
SCHOOL						
22 April	23 April	24 April	25 April	26 April	27 April	28 April
HOLIDAYS						

WEEK 1

29 April FIRST DAY OF TERM 2	30 April	1 May	2 May	3 May No School: STAFF ONLY DAY	4 May	5 May
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STAFF ONLY DAY: Term 2 - Friday May 3rd

The school will not be open for students on this day. All staff will be at school on this day. We are continuing with our Mana Potential journey. The focus of the day will be moving on from the V.A.L.E to Te Mana Tutarāwānanga and embedding our new uara.

Netball & Basketball Season 2024

Reminder: If you have received a notice home about Netball or Basketball - the bottom consent form needs to be signed and sent back to the office or Matua Paora.

Fees need to be paid to the office during the season, and can be paid by part payments.
 NETBALL SEASON 2024: \$50 per player
 BASKETBALL SEASON 2024: \$80 per player.



ATTENDANCE:

Last week and this week your child will be bringing home a letter telling you what their attendance has been over this term.

There are 4 categories:

Chronic - less than 70% attendance

Moderate - 70-79%

Mild - attendance between 80-90%

Good - 90% plus

In term 2 we would like all our students to be in the good attenders category. With your help we can do this whanau.

The majority of the letters sent are congratulating you and your child for their improved attendance. This is fantastic. Owing to attendance being a focus this term this is a very pleasing result.

If there are any issues with your child coming to school please contact me so we can work together for a successful outcome.

Heather Langley

Deputy Principal
SENCO

Week 9, 25 March - 28 March

	Tamariki Present	Percentage
Monday	151/168	90%
Tuesday	154/168	92%
Wednesday	155/168	92%
Thursday	150/168	89%
Friday	Easter	

Percentage for the week = 91%
good work whanau



TE WAKA NIHO TUATAHI :

Kia Ora Whanau

The mobile dental waka will be arriving at Merivale School on Monday 29th April.

Barb Laing and Tracey Nicholas will be the dental team working on this unit.

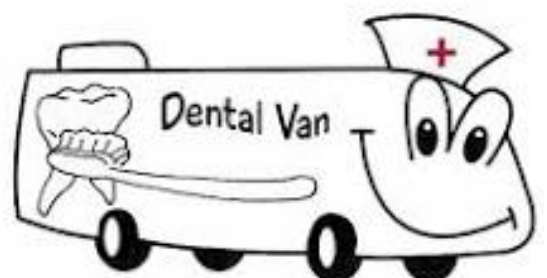
Initially they plan to see the most overdue students and all of the Year 6's.

These students will be called over from their classroom. A consent form will then be sent home for you to sign and update medical history and contact details. The consent form will advise you of what treatment is required for your child.

TREATMENT CANNOT START UNTIL THIS FORM IS RETURNED TO SCHOOL.

If you would like to attend the appointment then please contact Barb or Tracey by txting or ringing 027 2549060.

We only have the therapists here once a year so PLEASE make sure you sign and return the form ASAP. If during the time the waka is here your child has any dental issues then please let the school office know so we can advise the dental team.



Kia ora parents, caregivers and whanau,

Another short week this week but a lot to be aware of.

After School Programme. This is operated by the Merivale Community Centre. If your child is to attend the after school programme, please ensure that the staff at the centre are aware and that your child knows to go on the walking bus to the centre if they are **not** going home beforehand. There has been confusion for some students over the past two weeks.

Reminder that there is still a week of school before term finishes. The last day of Term 1 is next week on **Friday 12 April.**

Mauriora,
Matua Tom

We have some fantastic new bbq tables for the students to use. The woodworking group have been working hard with Stu & Mike from Iconz to create an area for sitting, chatting and eating lunch. The tables look great and will be very popular.... Thank you to everyone involved in getting this area ready.

