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Term 3 ~ 26 July - 1 October 2021

Welcome back to **Room 23 / Room 6** and Term 3. I hope you all had a relaxing holiday. What a busy and exciting term we have planned.

THE KNIGHTON WAY is an important part of our school philosophy and this term we focus on:

Persistence

- I keep trying.
- o I do my best work.
- o I finish my work.

Topic Learning

Knighton Way – Persistence/Whakapau Kaha Movement - daily dance and yoga Frogs – we will be learning about frogs this term and creating some wonderful artwork to put up in our new refurbished room.

Mathematics We will be resuming our maths knowledge on addition and subtraction. Making and joining numbers together and counting on from the largest number. Fractions and statistics will be something we look into as well.

Literacy We will be:

- Continuing to work on improving our writing by adding more details to interest our readers.
- Continuina to learn high frequency words needed for reading and writing.
- Learning our blends and digraphs.
- Read some fairy stories and learn to sequence them correctly.

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Term 3

Dates to Remember

* 26 July - 1 October *

30 July - Red Nose Day

Week 3 - Maths week 9-13 August (class maths activities)

3 September - Teacher Only Day (school NOT OPEN for learning)



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Home Learning

Reading books come home **most** nights (Monday – Thursday). Please take 10 minutes to listen to your child read. If they are tired then feel free to read their book to them or with them.

Poem books will come home on Friday for weekend reading, please return them on Monday.

Book bags are needed every day please!

A GREAT PLACE TO BE

Room 6 Alterations

This term Room 6 is being refurbished. We are getting a fresh paint job, new carpet and new wall panels. This refurbishment is meant to take 2-3 weeks to be completed. Very exciting!

While this is taking place, we will be using Room 23, at the back of the hall. This means that class will be a little disjointed for the first few weeks of term. However, we are looking forward to a beautiful class to return to.

***School Notices**∼ Tuesdαy

(eldest & only children)

* NO Junior Assembly This term

(as Middle & Senior school are using the hall for their production practices)

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Bread Tags

We will continue to be collecting bread tags. Thanks to those of you who are able to keep our collection growing!

Extra Information

Now that it is winter please remember that if your child wears a jacket/coat to school they still need a sweatshirt, a jersey or cardigan underneath because we take our jackets off inside.

We can put our jacket/coat back on when we go outside.

We take our **shoes off** in the classroom. Please send your child with shoes that they can **easily take off** and also **put back on**.



Winter Supplies

During winter, quite a few of us come to school with runny noses. If each child is able to bring in a family box of 'Budget' tissues for the class to use it would be greatly appreciated. Thank you.

School website <u>www.knighton</u> normal school

My contact details

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