



Ranzau School

Where everyone can shine
Tiaho Tātou Katoa

Stars of the Week



Georgia Murdoch
Henri Selwyn
Jacinta Rainbow
Jasper Davidson
Jesse King
Keziah Gapes
Levi Mason
Luke Linden
Renee McPherson
Tommy Cumpstone

Events Coming Up

23rd October

Year 6 visit to Waimea
Intermediate

25th October

Room 4,5,6, & 7 Top Team
Room 1,2,3 & 8 Trip to
Faulkners Bush

For more events visit our
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School Happenings

Welcome back to term four. I hope everyone had a wonderful break and are now ready for another fantastic term at Ranzau.

A special welcome to the following new students to Ranzau School:

Jake Gouws & Bryn Englefield

Learner Qualities: Set Goals

"What do you want to achieve and how will you know when you have done it?"

When we **set goals** in our learning we commit to something and use that to motivate ourselves. The goals we set should be S.M.A.R.T (Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Realistic and have a Time frame) *For example:* I am learning to ride a unicycle. Something that I knew nothing about.

In order to know if I have been successful with my unicycling I set myself a S.M.A.R.T goal: To be able to ride a unicycle the length of the tennis court by the end of term 4.

Please feel free to use this language with your child and to ask them about our learner qualities. The more our students are able to understand what learning is and what it looks like, the more successful they will be at it.

Keeping Healthy. If your child is unwell please keep them at home as this stops the risk of it being spread throughout the class and school. Also, stomach bugs are currently in the school community. To stop the spread of these please stay away from school until it has been at least **48 hours** since your child last vomited and is well enough to attend school.

Future Planning At the moment we are planning for our school and your child's future. As part of this we look at our school structure and class organization. To help us with our planning we would like to know of any families who may be considering enrolling students at Ranzau over the next 12 to 24 months. If you know of any families who may be in this situation please ask them to contact the school before the end of the term.

Students Before School A reminder to parents that students are unable to be dropped at school before 8:30am.

A thought for this week: "There is only one way for a person, of what ever height, to feel proud of themselves. That is to struggle and overcome challenges and to discover that 'I can!' People with high self-esteem have a lot of 'I cans' in their lives" – Parenting Magazine

Families are encouraged to borrow books from our school library. We have a specialized section just for parents. You are welcome to come in and make use of the available resources.



Supporting success in your school.

If you are a parent, staff member or member of the school community and you draw down a new ASB home loan of \$150,000 or more, ASB will donate \$500 to your chosen participating school. Visit asb.co.nz/schoolbanking for full details.

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