

**Sir Edmund
Hillary Collegiate
Ōtara**

**Middle
School**



NEWSLETTER

**TERM 3
Week 7 Edition**

2019

SCHOOL EVENTS

September

- 9 Maori Language Week
- 17 Rugby League Champs
- 26 Cultural Performance evening
- 27 Last day for Term 3

Tōku reo, Tōku Ohōho,
Tōku reo, Tōko Mapihi Mauvea
My language is my awakening,
my language is the window to my soul

SCIENCE FAIR

The Science fair was shared with students and staff at the collegiate on Friday. Thank you to the parents that came along to hear what their child had been learning this term. Their projects were amazing and each group of students were able to explain what they learnt and how their experiments went. Take a look at the centre of the newsletter to see additional pictures.



CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations whanau you have done a wonderful job making sure your child is immunized against measles. 2 weeks ago we had 79 students who were not immunized, today we have only 1 student who is yet to be immunized. It is a great achievement making sure your child will be safe against this very dangerous disease. He mahi nui mo te katoa... Great work everyone.

TE WIKI O TE REO MAORI

We have had another busy week with our Tamariki celebrating Kia Kaha Te Reo Maori with everyone. We started the week with a full collegiate assembly on Monday. On Tuesday classes from Junior, Middle and also Senior school got together to take part in Maori art, crafts and games. We will finish the week with an assembly and students will enjoy burnt sugar steamed pudding, custard and ice cream for lunch. It is great that throughout every year we spend time celebrating, understanding and appreciating the different cultures in our school. It is important that we do this so our students are informed and open to all cultures.

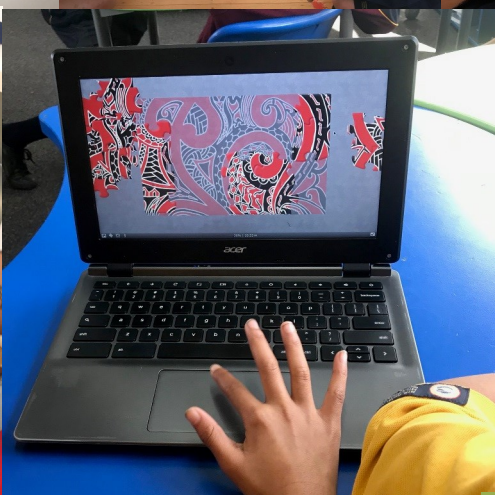
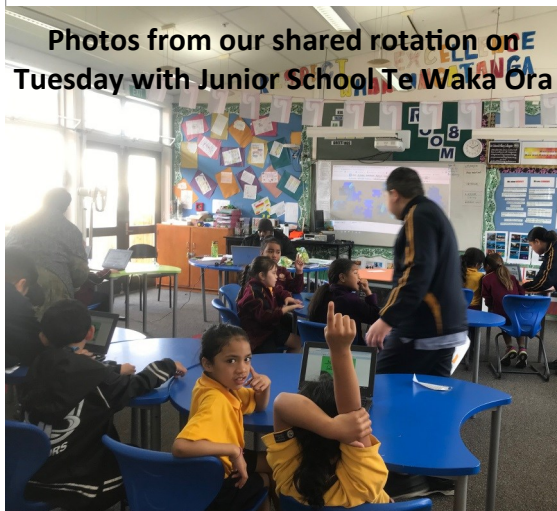


'Middle School Mana All Day Everyday..Middle School Mana All Day Everyday'

TE WIKI O TE REO MAORI

ROTATION ACTIVITIES

Photos from our shared rotation on Tuesday with Junior School Te Waka Ora



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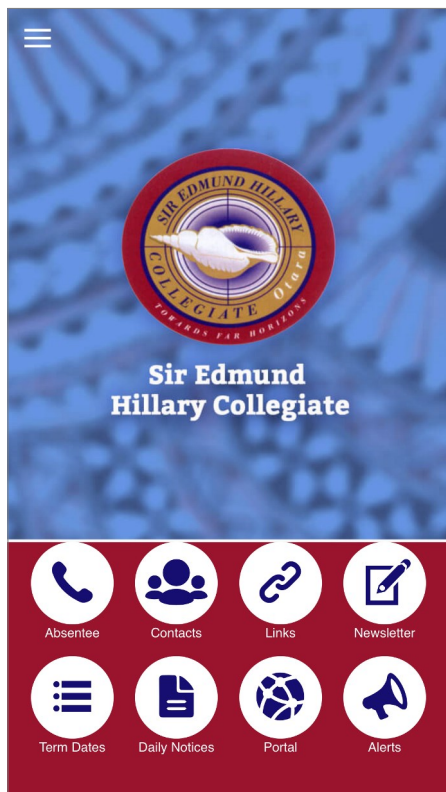
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EXCELLENCE

SCIENCE STEAM PROJECTS



SCHOOL APP INFORMATION



We have a quick and easy way for you to know what is happening in our school on a daily basis. If you have phone follow these instructions.

STEP 1: Go to App store or play store and download 'SchoolappsNZ'



APP symbol

STEP 2: Choose Sir Edmund Hillary Collegiate

STEP 3: Choose the class you would like to follow.

Once you have this App you will be able to send messages to school if your child is away, you will also be notified of any important school and class messages. If we have any emergency messages for you during our school day you will automatically receive a notification.

This will be another great way for you and your whanau to be connected to your child's learning on a daily basis.

TERM 3 ATTENDANCE TRACKING

We are tracking all classes attendance on a daily basis this term and we are seeing a huge positive change. At the end of the term we will announce the winning class

Week 1-85% - Winning class Room 1 -95%
 Week 2 87.6% - Winning class Room 9 -91.4%
 Week 3 86.6%- Winning class Room 1 -90.6%
 Week 4-92%- Winning class Room10 -92%
 Week 5-86.6% Winning class Room 1- 89.6%
 Week 6-89.2% Winning class Room 1-96.2%
 Week 7- 87.2% Winning class Room 11-91.2%
 Week 8- 88.1% Winning class Room 2-93%
 Awesome team work Whanau, lets continue to **'row our waka together'** and help our kids come to school.

Wk 8	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
R1	93%	90%	93%	83%	89%
R2	85%	88%	100%	96%	93%
R8	83%	90%	86%	79%	84.2%
R9	86%	90%	90%	93%	89.8%
R10	85%	88%	92%	85%	87%
R11	90%	87%	87%	90%	88.8%
R12	87%	80%	87%	93%	84.6%
R13	96%	89%	89%	89%	87.4%
Tot.	88%	88%	91%	89%	88.1%



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