

**Tena koutou! Malo e Lelei Talofa lava! Kia orana! ! Fakalofa Lahi Atu! Bula Vinaka!
Namaste! Kumusta! Hola! Salam Alaikum! Hai! Xin chào! Ayubowan!**

School Roll: 132 Term 2 – 5th June 2025 – Newsletter 9

A warm welcome to our new students and families, we hope you enjoy your time at our school.

Talofa Lava Whanau

**Happy Samoan Language Week! The theme for this year's Samoan Language Week is
'la malu lou sã. Folau i lagimā', which means "A well-grounded self is a successful self".**

Knowing who we are and where we come from is important to our identity and the culture and language that we carry in our lives. It's been great to see students participating in Samoan Language activities this week in their classes. We have been steadily growing our Language weeks over the past few years and for this to grow more, we would love to have parent input about what future language week events could look like at our school. Keep a look out for future parent meetings to participate!

LEARNING CONVERSATIONS -Next week - Wednesday 11th June

Teachers are looking forward to meeting their students and parents/caregivers next week for Learning conversations. This is a great time to share your child's learning milestones at this time of the year. You would have received your interview time by now. **There are no formal classes on this day, but the school will be open for learning conversations only. Students must attend the interview with their parents/caregivers. If you have forgotten your interview time just ring the school office.**

Matariki Breakfast – Thank you for the spaghetti can donations and family forms coming in for our special breakfast on **Wednesday 18th June!** Thank you to the parents who have sent in their form offering to help on the morning, we will confirm your help closer to the day. Keep bringing in those Spaghetti Cans and/or a donation of a bread or egg donation on the week of our breakfast. Thank you for your support.

SOME FRIENDLY HOUSE KEEPING REMINDERS:

- **LATENESS:** School starts at 8:45am! Lateness counts towards absence. For students with ongoing patterns of lateness I am happy to meet with whanau to look at a support plan, together.
- **SWEET TREATS:** Keep chocolate, lollies, chewing gum, big bags of chips and big packets of biscuits at home. These are treat foods that can be enjoyed at home. If students bring these to school, these will be held by teachers for the day and returned to your child at the end of the day. We have free fruit and lunches in schools.
- **WATER ONLY SCHOOL:** We are a Water Only School.
- **FINGERNAIL CARE:** We don't mind students wearing nail polish, but they **must not wear FAKE LONG/SHORT NAILS**. Students will be asked to remove them. This is for Health and Safety reasons to avoid injury to themselves and others. We have seen severe injuries in the past and do not want a repeat of this. So, it's a yes to nail polish and a no to long fake nails!

- **CLOTHING:** Please name your child's clothing and footwear! Lost property can be found in your child's learning studio. At the end of each term, lost property is displayed on the Junior playground deck area and any clothing left over after this, is then taken to the clothing bin. Children are responsible for their belongings.
- **SCHOOL NOTICES:** Please check your child's bag for school or class notices so you know what is happening at school.
- **WINTER IS HERE!** – Please ensure children are dressed for the colder conditions.
- **SCHOOL IS STILL OPEN ON RAINY DAYS!**

Noho ora mai,

Mrs Latoa-Levi

DRIVEWAY SAFETY

SLOW DOWN! Drive to the conditions! Think about your driving!
Please park and walk to collect your child. Do not call out to your child from your car.
Safer school communities together!

SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS 2025

We're looking for another hard-working team of eager and active board members to help take our school to the next level!

Elections for new school boards are taking place in September!

Come and be part of our Onepoto School Board! Keep a look out for more information this year!

ONLINE ELECTIONS 2025

This year school elections will be done online. We will let you know how you can do this, in Term 3!

Onsite Health Services at our School:

***PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE:**

Our awesome Public Health Nurse, Nicky Burgess, is onsite once a week for health concerns with children and whanau. Contact the school office if you'd like your child to see Nurse Nicky. School office 09-4807469

***SOCIAL WORKER IN SCHOOLS (SWiS)**- We are very fortunate to have a Social Worker, onsite once a week to support students and whanau. *Min Lee is our social worker in schools (SWiS) from Family Works Northern. They support students and families/whanau to overcome challenges. This enables students to reach their full potential in learning.* Please feel free to contact Min on 022 017 1247 / Min.Lee@fwn.org.nz
 Min is onsite on Wednesday and Thursdays.

WE WELCOME NEW ENROLMENTS

If you have pre-school children who will turn 5 years old at any time or you are wanting to enrol older children, please contact our Office Manager Ms Konia at the Office for an Enrolment Pack. Alternatively, you can complete the online Enrolment Form on our school website. This helps us to plan for staffing and classes. (09) 480-7469

Absences or Messages Line- ph. (09) 480-7469 or 022 5193610

Please call or text with a reason for your child's absence from school.

Dates for your Diary:

Date	Event
Friday 6 th June	School Assembly 12:15pm – Hapori Onewa leading
Monday 9 th June	Kaipatiki Team in with Rangitoto - Mātai
Wednesday 11th June	Learning Conversations (Parent Interviews) all day
Wednesday 18th June	Matariki Breakfast
Thursday 19 th June	Photolife - Class Photos Only.
Friday 20th June	Matariki – Public Holiday
Monday 23 rd June	Kaipatiki Team in with Rangitoto - Mānuka 5:30pm – School Board Meeting
Tuesday 24 th June	Toitoti Books Reading session – PwC Team – Hapori Rangitoto
Wednesday 25 th June	School Reports home
Friday 27 th June	Term 2 ends - 1:30pm finish
TERM 3	
Monday 14 th July	Term 3 Starts
Friday 25 th July	Half Day for Teacher Maths PLD - school finishes at 12:30pm for teachers to attend professional learning in Maths. This is part of the Refreshed Curriculum.

2025 Key Events



ENROLMENT INFO

JULY 29 TUE
6 - 7PM
YEAR 6 PARENT INFO EVENING

AUGUST 14 THUR
9AM - 12PM
OPEN DAYS

SEPTEMBER 10 WED
3:30 - 8:30PM
IN ZONE ENROLMENT INTERVIEWS

OCTOBER 9 THUR
7:30 - 10:30AM
OUT OF ZONE ENROLMENT INTERVIEWS

Come along and find out what makes Northcote Intermediate School special.

Parents, caregivers and students are invited to come and see a 'normal' day at school. Check in with student leaders on arrival, and some of our awesome students will take you on a guided tour of our wonderful school. Bookings are not required.

Please note that our break time is 10:30am until 11:00am.

These dates are for IN ZONE enrolments only.

If you have completed an enrolment form, we encourage you to book a time as these are an important part of our transition process.

Interviews are conducted by appointment and details can be found on our website closer to the time.

This date is for OUT OF ZONE enrolments only.

If your child has been successful in the ballot, we encourage you to book a time as these are an important part of our transition process.

Interviews are conducted by appointment and details can be found on our website closer to the time.



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Bookings: mi-casa.aimyplus.com
Website: www.micasaasc.co.nz

TERMS:
OUR DISCOUNT & PROMOTIONS ARE SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY.
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