



20 June 2023
Week 9

Tenā koutou katoa, malo le soifua, ni sa bula vinaka, fakalofa lahi atu, ni hao, mālo e lelei, kia orana, mālo le soifua, noa'ia, talofa lava, bula vinaka, namaste, marhaban, salam alaykum, and hello everyone.

Ngā mihi nui ki a koutou katoa, talofa lava, fakalofa lahi atu, malo e lelei, bula vinaka, kia orana, namaste, marhaban, salam alaikum, nei hou and greetings to all our Glendene School whānau.

E mihi mahana ki a koutou katoa. Ko tōku tūmanako, kei te pai koe me tōu whanau.

My warm greetings to one and all. My hope is that you and your whānau are well.

Talofa lava to you all,

Our staff are looking forward to meeting you again at the learning meetings, tomorrow and Thursday. I have read everyone's mid-year reports and can see progression learning. You can see the digital copy of the report that was sent and a paper version will be available at the meeting.

Sadly, our gardening project has been delayed due to the weather. It is now on the 20th and 21st of July.

We will be needing people to help with the gardening and to help feed the gardeners. It is an exciting project.

Nāku noa, nā
Ann-Maree Molloy
Acting Principal

LEARNING MEETINGS - PARENT INTERVIEWS

Our Learning Meetings (Parent Interviews) are this week on Wednesday 21 & Thursday 22 June. Our times and information is below:

- **Wednesday meetings are for Pohutukawa classes only (Room 6, 7, 8) and school will finish at the normal time of 3.00pm.** The Wednesday meetings will be from 1.00pm to 5.00pm.
- **Thursday meetings are for the whole school. School will finish at 2.00pm on this day.** The Thursday meetings will be from 2.00pm to 7.00pm.

If you have not yet booked a time for the learning meetings, please book through our Skool Loop app or alternatively, contact the school office and we will book a time for you.

SENSORY GARDEN PROJECT

The Sensory Garden Project has been cancelled this Thursday and Friday due to the forecasted weather. The date has now been moved to Thursday 20 & Friday 21 July. We would love to have some parent helpers to come along and volunteer to help us with our Sensory Garden Project on the above dates. Please let Cecilia in our school office know if you would like to be a volunteer. Lunch will be provided for our volunteers.

PHOTOLIFE - Class, Individual and Siblings Photos

Our Photo day was on Friday 16 June, 2023. Please keep an eye out on your emails from Photolife on how to view and purchase your child's photo when they are ready.



Auckland Junior Under 11's, Division 2 Squash Championships

On the weekend I had a squash tournament at the National Squash Centre, Auckland to compete in the Auckland Junior age group championship. I did it by putting in all of my effort and hitting the ball away from my opponent.

Here are the people I versed and the scores. Paxton 3-0, Siddath 3-1, Keelyn 3-1. During the game I felt hot and not very confident but after the game I felt very happy.

by Aidan in Pohutukawa Waru - Room 8

LAST DAY OF TERM 2, 2023

The last day for term 2, 2023 is next Friday 30 June. School will finish at the normal time at 3.00pm. The school office will be open on Friday 14 July in the school holiday for uniform and enrolment enquiries from 10am to 2pm. We hope all our tamariki have a refreshing holiday break and we look forward to seeing all our students on the first day back to school for Term 3, 2023 on Monday 17 July.

GECKO WAY - TERM 2, 2023

Our tamariki receive ka pai tickets when they follow the Gecko Way. The focus for this term is:

- Whaia te tikanga - do the Gecko Way
- Manaakitanga - Make new people and visitors welcome. Have a kind face, kind hands, kind feet and use kind words
- Tiaki to taonga - keep the places we use clean and tidy.

Look after yourself. Look after others. Look after our place. Our best always.

ATTENDANCE

Students who attend school regularly have been shown to achieve at higher levels than students who do not have regular attendance. This relationship between attendance and achievement may appear early in a child's school career. Good attendance habits pay off!! More school days attended can increase a child's academic success and improve their chances of success.

GLENDENE SCHOOL UNIFORM

Thank you to all our families who send their children to school with the correct uniform. It is great to see our tamariki in their correct school uniform.

Shoes with WHEELS are not for school. Thank you 😊

REPORTING YOUR CHILD'S ABSENCE

Please contact the school office via the following if your child is going to be away from school.

Phone: (09)8388603, **Email:** office@glendene.school.nz, **Mobile:** 02108475283,

Skool Loop App: Tap on Absentee on the app and submit your child's absence.

MOBILE DENTAL UNIT

The Auckland Regional Dental Service Mobile Unit is onsite at Glendene School until Friday 30 June. Please let the school office know if you would like your child to be seen by the dental unit.

GLENDENE SCHOOL BELL TIMES

8.30am	Classrooms open for children
8.50am	Get ready for learning
9.00am	Classes begin for the day
11.00am - 11.40am	Morning Tea
1.00pm - 1.40pm	Lunchtime
3.00pm	School finishes for the day

Health Corner - Please click on the links below for more information:



Te Whatu Ora
Health New Zealand

This winter, Te Whatu Ora – Health New Zealand is funding advice and - if needed - medicine for minor health conditions at participating community pharmacies.

A pharmacist can provide you and your whānau with trusted advice on managing your health.

If you need further support, they can recommend the best place for you to get it.

Medication for certain health conditions will be free for people under 14 years-of-age as well as those of Māori and Pasifika ethnicity and Community Service Card holders.

Head here for more information -

<https://www.tewhatuora.govt.nz/keeping-well/go-well/>

Glendene School Policy - Please see below:

Staying home and exclusion periods

To stop infection from spreading, we expect students and staff to stay at home when they are ill and/or symptomatic. The recommended period of time that someone should stay home depends on the illness. Students must stay home for at least 48 hours if they are ill (e.g. vomiting, diarrhoea, bad coughing). The HealthEd **infectious diseases table** provides recommended exclusion periods for a number of common childhood illnesses. We encourage people to seek advice from their own health providers, and to contact **Healthline** for advice if needed.

We follow guidance from HealthEd and the Ministry of Health for how long students, staff, and

Term 2, 2023 Events-Please note that these dates may change

Week 9	Wednesday 21/06 Thursday 22/06 Friday 23/06	Pohutukawa Learning Meetings Only 1.30pm to 5pm Learning Meetings - Whole School 2pm-7pm Kiwi Can
Week 10	Friday 30/06	Last day of Term 2 (School finishes at 3pm)

Term 3, 2023 Events-Please note that these dates may change

Week 1	Tuesday 18/07 Thursday 20/7 Friday 21/07	First day back to school Bike skills training programme for years 5 & 6 Sensory Garden Project Sensory Garden Project Kiwi Can
Week 2	Monday 24/07 Tuesday 25/07 Friday 28/07	The Brickpit Lego The Brickpit Lego Cultures Day-Mufti Day (Gold coin donation) Kiwi Can
Week 3	Monday 31/07 Tuesday 02/08 Wednesday 03/08 Friday 05/08	Maori Kuki Airani te reo (30 July to 05 August) Arataki Juniors Trip Duffy Theatre Arataki Seniors Trip Kiwi Can
Week 4	Wednesday 09/08 Friday 11/08	Board of Trustees Hui Kiwi Can
Week 5	Tuesday 15/08 Thursday 17/08 Friday 18/08	Rippa Rugby-Cluster Sports Save Day-Rippa Rugby Kiwi Can
Week 6	Tuesday 22/08 Thursday 24/08 Friday 25/08	Parent meeting 2.30pm KOS (Keeping Ourselves Safe) 3.30pm Police KOS (Keeping Ourselves Safe) 24/08 & 25/08 Kiwi Can
Week 7	Monday 28/08 Friday 01/09	Police KOS (all week) Kiwi Can
Week 8	Monday 04/09 Friday 08/09	Le-Faka Tongan Language Week 03 Sept to 09 Sept Police KOS (all week) Kiwi Can
Week 9	Monday 11/09 Friday 15/09	Life Education (all week) Police KOS (all week) Kiwi Can Kelifest 2023
Week 10	Friday 22/09	Last day of Term 3, 2023 - School finishes 3.00pm Kiwi Can

