



Glen Eden Primary

Takahē Team Newsletter, Term 4, 2022



Nau mai, haere mai! Welcome to Term 4!

Unbelievably, it is already the last term of the year! We hope you have enjoyed some time with your whānau over the holidays and are well rested ready for Term 4.

Term 4 is super busy for Takahē Team with a topic focus on Digital Technology, Electives and a Zoo Trip.

We also have our normal end of year events coming up which our tamariki and staff have already begun working towards. These include school athletics, Mayow Fun Day and Prizegiving. More information about these events will come closer to the times.

It is important that tamariki wear sunhats and sunscreen. Teachers are actively encouraging students wear their hats whenever they are outside. There is also sunscreen provided in classes for tamariki to use. As the weather warms, we hope to be able to open the school pool later in the term.

Mathematics

We have started this term with Algebra and Geometry & Measurement (Position and Orientation). In Algebra the students will find and follow rules to determine the next member in a sequential pattern. In Position and orientation they will create and use simple maps to show position and direction. In week 3 we will move on to Multiplication and division, moving on to fractions to finish the year.

Health and P.E.

This terms focus is on Athletics. The Year 4 students and some of the 8 year old Year 3 students will run their sprint races at school on the 4th of November. The remaining Year 3's and the Year 2's will have their sprints at school on the 16th of November.

Takahē Trips

We have arranged a trip to the zoo in week 4, November 9th. (Details and permission slips to follow via the skool loop app).

Electives

During Weeks 5-7 tamariki will participate in electives. They will choose from a range of activities such as Māori crafts, baking, coding, art to name but a few. Once placed in a group students will have 5 sessions of their chosen activity.