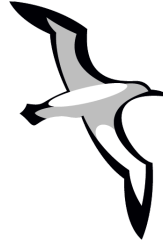


Dear Parents/Caregivers,

1 February, 2024

Kia ora koutou. Nau mai, haere mai ki te tau hou!



Te Kura o Kirikiri Tatangi Seatoun School

Welcome to the new year with the Year 5-6 Team. We are looking forward to an awesome year of learning and fun. It was great to meet many of you at our 'Meet the Teacher' day last Friday. This year there are four Year 5-6 classes and we want to welcome Rachel Lee to our teaching team for 2024.

Teaching Team

Room 10 Jessie Gregory

Room 11 Jayshri Dayal

Room 12 Janine Imrie

Room 13 Rachel Lee

Learning Assistant (part time) Pip Troy

Deputy Principal - Senior School, Matt Finnigan



Integrated unit - Marine Science

This term we will be learning about our local marine area, and basing some of our research at Worser Bay Boating Club. We will participate in some science research, helping our students feel connected to our beautiful setting. We will be reaching out and asking for any parents who can help with supervising our field trips. Alternatively, if you have a background or passion for Marine Science, then we would love to hear from you.

Health & Physical Education

During Weeks 3&4 our students will be participating in Pedal Ready. This is from Monday 12 Feb - Friday 23 Feb. It is a bike safety program run by Wellington Regional Council. Please take the time over the next few weeks to make sure your child has a well-maintained bike and helmet that can be used for the unit. Please let us know if you need to borrow equipment for your child, as Pedal Ready do have bikes that can be borrowed.

<https://www.pedalready.org.nz/>

Upcoming Events

Tuesday 27 February - Meet the Teacher Evening

This is an opportunity to hear how we teach and organise the learning in the Year 5-6 team, and we discuss some topics and themes covered over the year. This will be similar to the presentation given in December last year. Alongside this presentation, John Western will be hosting a Digital Safety/E-Learning workshop that we recommend for all.

Ngā mihi,

Year 5&6 Teaching Team