



Kia ora parents, whānau and caregivers,

We have had an excellent start to Term 3 and I am very impressed with the high levels of focussed learning in the classrooms and the range of sporting and cultural activities underway.

This week the Senior Leadership Team and student leaders are visiting our 8 contributing schools to speak with Year 6 students about our great school. The student leaders have done a great job at creating a video tour of our school and speaking to Year 6 students about everything that is on offer and what they enjoy at TIS.

Enrolments for next year are now open and can be completed via our school website (Menu- General Information- Enrolment). We are pleased to confirm that next year we are in a position to accept a larger number of out of zone students.

Our TIS Open Evening is on Thursday 1st September, at 6.30p.m. in our hall for all new whānau to TIS in 2023.

Sport:

Term 3 is an exciting one at TIS with many students preparing for the Zespri AIMS Games in early September.

Our Mambas and Coasters managed a respectable 3rd place in their Super 11 basketball event earlier this term.

In week two, our winter code teams competed in the annual Super 11 Winter Tournament on a stunning winter day.

Overall results were the following:

Rugby: Boys 1st place and Girls 2nd place

Netball: Year Seven 5th place and Year Eight 5th place

Hockey: Boys 2nd place, Hockey Girls 2nd place and Mixed 5th place.

Football: Boys 5th place and Girls 3rd place

The Sports Department would like to acknowledge the efforts of all coaches and managers for their time and efforts with all teams throughout their respective winter campaigns.

Attendance- We are having a big focus on attendance this term and we expect all students to attend school everyday.



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Classroom teachers

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Teaching & Learning:

Early in Term Four, you will receive a Term 3 Progress report for your child followed by a student-led learning conference with your child's teacher.

Term 3 Progress Report

Our Term 3 Progress Report includes Overall Teacher Judgements in Reading, Writing and Maths. This is your child's current level of learning for curriculum expectations in their year group. The report also includes a General Comment and a Technology Specialist report. Our Technology Specialist classes run throughout the year and include Science, Art, Soft Materials, Hard Materials, Food, Music and Digital Technology. The report will be sent home with your child on Tuesday 18 October.

Student Led Learning Conferences

Our Student Led Learning Conferences are an opportunity for you and your child to meet with their teacher and share learning, progress, challenges, goals, and achievements. Learning Conferences are being held on Wednesday 19th October (3:30pm - 6:00pm) and Thursday 20th October (8:00am - 7:00pm).

Each conference includes 15 minutes with the teacher and 15 minutes for whānau to be together to explore their child's learning in class. Bookings can be made using the School Interviews website. Full details will be shared on Friday 16th September. We encourage whānau to keep their child at home on Thursday 20th October, however, we can supervise students who are unable to stay home on that day.

Ngā mihi nui, Cameron Mitchell

COMING UP TERM 3

Week 3:

- **Friday 12th August** - Super 11 Cross Country @ Waipuna Park + Mount Invitational Indoor Bowls Tournament

Week 4:

- **Friday 19th August** - Super 11 PB/BOP Rugby 7's @Mount Maunganui

Week 5:

- **Monday 22nd August** - Teacher Only
Day School Closed to Students

Week 6:

- **Thursday 1st September** - TIS Open Evening. 6.30pm in the Hall.
- **Friday 2nd September** - BOP Literature Quiz

Week 7:

- **Sunday 4th - Friday 9th September** - ZESPRI AIMS GAMES

Week 8:

Week 9:

Week 10:

- **Friday 30th September** - Last day of Term 3.

Term 4 Week 1:

- **Tuesday 18th October** - Reports go home to whānau
- **Wednesday 19th October - Thursday 20th October** - Student-Led Learning Conferences