

Tui Team



Term 2 2017

Nau mai, Haere Mai, welcome to Term 2! We hope you all had a great break. We have an exciting busy term planned. Please keep an eye on our weekly school notices for updates and your child's 'What's On' in their home learning note book.

Self-Management is Term 2's key competency

To help your child develop self-management skills and independence, please encourage children to walk into school on their own and do the following things:

- Hang up and unpack their bags.
- Put reading folder in the right place
- Get ready to start the day.
- Knowing where they will be picked up at the end of the day.

Thank you for your support.

Clothing

With this changeable weather please send your child to school with an extra layer. The wearing of **NAMED** appropriate clothing is vital at this time of year.

As this Term's key competency is Managing-self, it would be greatly appreciated if their shoes were easy for them to put on and take off by themselves as this fosters independence. This may involve you sitting down with your child and teaching them how to do up their own laces.



Key Competency

Managing-self

School Value Goal

Excellence

Whaia to iti kahurangi; ki te
touhu koe, me he maunga
teitei.

Pursue the highest ideals; if
you must submit, let it be to
a lofty mountain.

This means doing our best
and giving everything a go.

Discovery Time

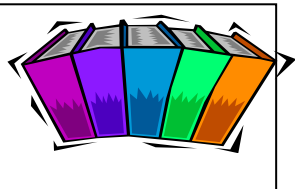
This is a wonderful time where we focus on the key competencies. The children explore different interests; practice their stick ability by completing a task and taking risks by trying new things.

**This will be on Friday's at 11.00, starting
Week 3 and finishing week 9.**

Communication

Remember to go onto our school website (www.welbourn.school.nz). This has the school and team newsletters, upcoming events and a place where we share school activities and learning.

You will find the Tui team blog on this website. Enjoy!



Library Days

Books are issued for a week and need to be transported to and from in your child's book bag. We encourage children to look after these expensive items and lost items will need to be paid for so they can be replaced.

Term Two Topics

Physical Education: Winter sport and Jump Jam

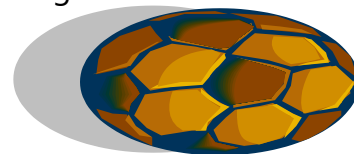
Science and Technology: Autumn changes and Matariki

Social Sciences: Matariki

Health: Keeping Ourselves Safe and Sneeze Safe

Winter sport

We are continuing to strengthen the skills that we learnt during our sessions with Sport Taranaki – Skills for Life. We will also be learning some skills for winter sports. Through our Jump Jam sessions, we will be building up our fitness and coordination. Please send your child to school with clothing that they can jump, run and move comfortably in. Children's clothing must be **NAMED**.



What's on this Term?

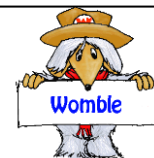
- Week 3 Anti-bullying week and Road Safety
 - Week 4 Books go home
 - Week 5 Show – Hiwi the Kiwi
 - Week 6 Queen's Birthday - Mon 5th June
 - Week 7 Scooter Skills Training and Elflock Theatre
 - Week 8 Matariki Show
 - Week 9 Parent/teacher/student goal setting conferences
 - Week 10 Last Day of Term Thursday 7 July
Teacher Only Day – Friday 8 July
- Term 3 begins Monday 24 July and finishes 29 September**

Reminder: 3 W's on Wednesday

Walking - to school every day

Wombling - Litter free lunch box

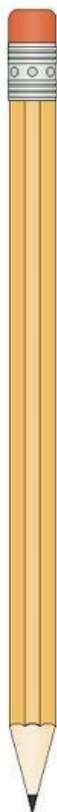
Wednesday - Banking day is Wednesday



Lost Property

Last term we had to give away a great deal of lovely new clothing. Named clothing finds its way back to its owner much faster.

If your child is missing anything please check lost property boxes in the corridor outside Room Nine.



We are looking forward to an action packed fun Term!

Janeé Murdoch, Kathryn Bolton, Juliet Vickers (Team Leader)

