



TE WHAREKURA O MANAIA

HE KAWERONGO MĀ TE WHĀNAU

E tangi tīkapakapahia ana ngā mate huhua o te wā, e mōteateahia ana ngā tini whanaunga kua riro atu nei i ngā wiki tata, i ngā rangi tata kua pahure ake nei. He roi aroha e maringi iho nei, he wai apakura e rere atu nei ki a koutou katoa kua riro atu nei ki te pō – kāti!

Katoa aku mihi ki a koutou katoa e te whānau. Nau mai, hoki mai tātou ki te kaupapa nui whakakotahi nei i a tātou. Tēnā tahi tātou i tā tātou whakarite mō te tau kei mua i te aroaro me ōna hua katoa.

RĀ TUATAHI – DAY 1, TERM 1 2025

Kura starts again next Tuesday, 28th January 2025.

Pōwhiri: A pōwhiri for our new students will be held at 9am. We ask that our new students and their whānau meet at the kura waharoa by 8.45am.

WAITANGI DAY KAUPAPA - WHITIANGA

THURSDAY 6TH FEBRUARY 2025 10AM - 2PM

Our kura has been invited to tautoko Ngā Tūmanako Whitianga Trust at their Waitangi Day commemoration. Our tamariki will have the opportunity to participate in sharing waiata and haka alongside stories of Te Tiriti o Waitangi from Ngāti Hei and other iwi members.

This is a wonderful opportunity for our kura to support our local community and be part of this significant kaupapa.

TRANSPORT ARRANGEMENTS: As this is a public holiday, there will be **NO SCHOOL BUSES** running. Whānau will need to arrange their own transport for their tamariki to and from Whitianga. We encourage you to connect with other whānau members to arrange carpooling if needed.

Tauira will need to wear kura uniform to this kaupapa.

Date: Thursday, 6th February 2025 Time: 10am – 2pm Venue TBD, Whitianga

NO KURA – FRIDAY, 7TH FEBRUARY 2025

Our kura will be **CLOSED** on **Friday, 7th February 2025**, as our kura will be attending at the Waitangi Day commemoration in Whitianga on Thursday, 6th February.

SCHOOL LUNCHES

We're excited to share that our kura will continue providing kai for our tamariki this year, with **morning tea and lunches available daily.** We also have breakfast available too.

We warmly welcome Rossi, who will be leading our School Lunches team for 2025. We're currently seeking one person to join Rossi in our School Lunches team.

If you or someone you know would be interested in being part of our School Lunches team, please get in touch.

STATIONERY LISTS

- 1. Order online through OfficeMax: Click here to go to OfficeMax Te Wharekura o Manaia
 - Shop from home
 - \circ $\,$ Delivered to your door $\,$
- 2. Purchase from our school office
 - Visit during office hours
 - Pay cash or arrangement

We will post stationery lists to our Kura Facebook page shortly.

Contact Whaea Lorraine (078668786 or lorraine@twom.school.nz) if you need any help.

UNIFORM LIST

Need new uniform for 2025? The updated TWOM Uniform List with all ordering details is now available. To order, simply click the attached form to view sizing, prices, and payment info.

Click here to download TWOM Uniform Order Form 2025

SCHOOL BUS INFORMATION FOR - TERM 1, 2025

THAMES, COROMANDEL AND WHITIANGA ROUTES

COROMANDEL BUS:

Bus run starts at 7.15am.

Tamariki must be waiting enroute at the designated bus stops for pick up. The bus goes up Kapanga and Rings Road to Driving creek turn off, and back down to the carpark at the back of the Coromandel Information Centre. This is the last stop if you have missed an earlier stop. Please be at bus stops at least 5-10 minutes early.

Drop off begins at 3.20pm in Coromandel following the same morning route.

THAMES BUS:

Meet at Ngati Maru office on SH25 at 7am Pick up at Ngati Maru office on SH25 at 4pm.

WHITIANGA BUS:

Meet at Evolution Fitness Joan Gaskell Drive at 7am Pick up at Evolution Fitness Joan Gaskell Drive at 4pm.

Noho ora mai, nā Matua Martin Mikaere.

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