

PARKLAND PRIDE

The Newsletter of Parkland School



Week 8 Term 1 March 25th 2020



COVID 19 - SPECIAL EDITION

Things have moved a little quicker than anticipated and we find ourselves working our way through the pending national lockdown.

Today teachers have shared with you a range of 'Learning at Home' activities and ideas. There are a wide selection of ideas that do not require a device as well.

From Monday March 30th the school holidays will begin! (These have been brought forward)

Teachers will not be making contact during this two week period.

Teachers will return to work on Wednesday April 15th but the school will remain closed. Teachers will be working from home and will be making contact with families & students from their class. We look forward to hearing how your initiation into the teaching world has gone. Think of it as an extended 'Education Outside the Classroom' experience! (Just like being on camp for a month!)

We will endeavour to keep you informed as we traverse the next four weeks and will advise you about the school re-opening date once known. (This wont be forever!)

Please remember that the school grounds are CLOSED so children should not be sent down here to play as a group.

Staff do not have access to the school site from midnight tonight either.

Online work is now available. Teachers will be distributing this today.

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[MIDDLE TEAM](#) - Click here

[SENIOR TEAM](#) - Click here



To login to your child's **Seesaw** account to allow them to post entries please follow these steps:

1. Download the '**Seesaw Class**' app (if using a phone or ipad) or go to seesaw.com on a computer.
2. Click Log In
3. Choose '**I'm a Student**' and enter the 12 letter Home Learning code into the TEXT CODE box that you will receive from your child's teacher
4. *If you have more than one child at school, you will need to log out and login each time they use seesaw*

PARKLAND STARS



PROUD PARKLAND CERTIFICATES

As part of our wellbeing amongst children focus we are currently identifying & acknowledging some of the character strengths each of us have.

WEEK 8 (We will make sure these people receive their certificates.)

Room 2	Dayton Nochete - <i>Kindness: For always having a kind heart, thinking of others and being willing to help teachers and classmates.</i>
Room 3	Amelia Els - <i>Leadership: For taking on a leadership role in the playground and helping out some of our junior students</i>
Room 4	Michael Jack - <i>Curiosity: displays an interest in his world around him and how things work.</i>
Room 5	Cameron Fryer - <i>Enthusiasm: for always being excited and passionate about your learning.</i>
Room 6	Elijah Saunders - <i>Curiosity: for observing, questioning, wondering and being excited to explore the world around him.</i>
Room 7	Olivia Hunter - <i>Creativity - sharing her passion for drawing and creating using the app Folioscope with others and helping others develop their skills.</i>
Room 8	Millie Galloway - <i>Teamwork: For having an inclusive attitude and going above and beyond expectation to ensure everyone feels secure.</i>
Room 10	Mose Salapo - <i>Kindness: For always watching out for others in Room 10 that need a little bit of help or cheering up.</i>
Room 11	Trae Hutton - <i>Kindness: You are genuine, sincere and calm in the way you talk and carry yourself at school.</i>
Room 12	Corin Inglis - <i>Love of learning: for always having a curious mind, seeking answers and thinking outside the box.</i>

Room 13	<i>Kahu Paewai - Humour: For always being so positive and for always enjoying a laugh with others! You really do have such a fantastic attitude!</i>
Room 14	<i>Kaha Whatuira - Kindness: Being a kind and caring person. Kaha always offers to help others and thinks of the needs of other people.</i>

Our best wishes to everyone

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