

Home Learning: Term 1 2018 - Tuakana Team

****Check the News Flash for optional tasks which might interest YOU! Look for "Challenge Central" in the next edition!**

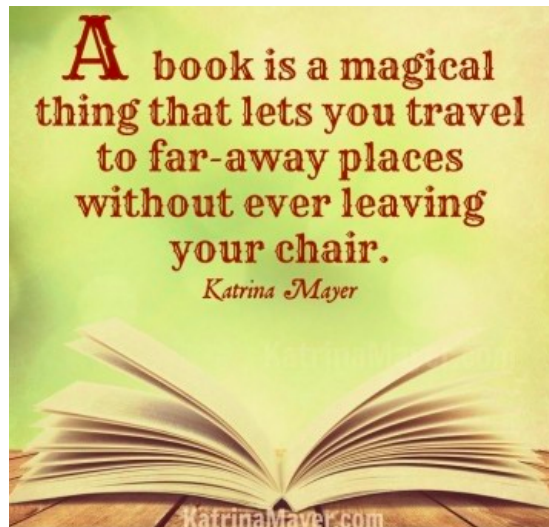
Reading:

Read every day!

You can read to yourself or to someone else.

You can listen to a story. (Try <http://www.radionz.co.nz/collections/storytime-treasure-chest>)

Build up your reading stamina!
It is important that you read for at least 15-30 minutes daily.



Numeracy:

Why is the number six so scared?
Because seven eight nine!



Term 1 focus:

- *Daily practice* of your times tables and fast facts. (from your Basic Facts group)

This site might be useful for practising:

<https://www.timestables.co.nz/>

If you and your family would like to find more, a good site to check is

<https://nzmaths.co.nz/number-knowledge-activities>

Spelling:

PRACTICE makes PROGRESS, NOT PERFECT.

Daily learning of your list words.
Use the **LOOK, SAY, COVER, WRITE, CHECK** method .

<p>LOOK</p>	<p>Look at the word. How many parts are there? What are the tricky bits? Can you find any spelling patterns?</p>
<p>SAY</p>	<p>Say the word to yourself. Break the word into syllables. How many parts are there? What sounds can you hear?</p>
<p>COVER</p>	<p>Cover up the word so you cannot see it. Picture the word in your mind.</p>
<p>WRITE</p>	<p>Write down the word, remembering how it sounds and what it looks like.</p>
<p>CHECK</p>	<p>Check to see if it is correct. Tick the letters you got correct. Write the word correctly if you made any mistakes.</p>