

Home Learning: Term 3 2019 - Tuakana Team

****During the term, check the News Flash for optional tasks which might interest YOU!**

Look out for “Challenge Central!”

***Remember that your “Home” book is a good place for notices, home tasks and anything special you would like to share at school- perhaps a story, poem, photo, passion project.**

We would LOVE to see some of your out-of-school projects!! Thank you to those who were brave enough to share in Term 2!

Don't forget to Pray!

The Church is a pilgrim people on a life journey towards God. Since the Church began people have used their gifts to spread the good news of Jesus. We are called to build God's Kingdom on Earth.

Our focus Scriptures are:

Matthew 16:18 - “.. upon this rock I will build my Church”

Jeremiah 18: 6 - “ like the clay in the potter's hand, so are you in my hand.”

“But the kingdom of God is founded on his love and rooted in hearts... giving peace, freedom and fullness of life to those who welcome it.”

Pope Francis

Take time to....

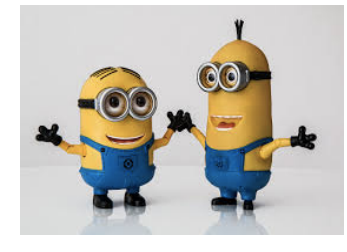
- read the stories about Peter, Paul, Stephen in the Acts of the Apostles
- note people today who are persecuted for what they believe
- discuss how the Good News was spread in Early Church times and compare it with how it can be spread today
- celebrate the Eucharist as a family - go to Sunday Mass together and then have a picnic or a family walk
- use your gifts for the mission of the Church, eg read a prayer, make music, do the parish gardens, become an altar server.

A great way for your whanau to be involved in our R.E focus is for you all to explore the Family Whanau resources online here- <http://www.faithalive.org.nz/assets/Resources/Family-whanau-book.pdf> Look in particular at the Church strand - P 30, 36

Let us build the city of God.

May our tears be turned into **DANCING**.

For the Lord, our light and our love,
Has turned the night into day.



The Cornerstones of Learning...

Explore.. Read.. Write.. Put your maths eyes on... Talk.



Explore...

Our city...

Perhaps you could arrange a family outing to explore central Auckland. This site has lots of ideas!

<https://theculturetrip.com/pacific/new-zealand/articles/a-walking-tour-of-aucklands-architectural-landmarks/>

You could record your walk in photos or a video. Your classmates would love to see it!

Talk...

Be prepared to talk to a group or to the class about some of the learning you've been sharing at home - such as your Maths Eyes work ... or your city photos... or a book you've read.

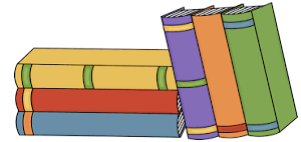
When you are ready to share, ask your teacher!

Read...

Read... a new book ... or two... or ten!

Set yourself a goal to improve the number of books you have issued from our Knowledge Nest!

How many books do YOU think you could issue and read in a term? Challenge yourself!



Write...

This is based on the Feel Brave writing workshop which Tuakana watched at the end of Term 2. The link is below.

If you decide to enter, please get your entry to your class teacher by Friday 9th August so that we don't miss the deadline!

[Feel Brave – NOT WORKING](#)

Feel Brave®

Maths...

Put your Maths Eyes on...

Look at some of our wonderful Auckland buildings.....

But with your Maths Eyes on!

Maths may appear in many forms, not just numbers.

Look around for examples of shapes, angles, patterns, symmetries, reflections, lines, fractions, or measurement – the possibilities are endless!

Take a photo and come up with a caption, title or question to help those looking at the photograph to develop their maths eyes. Share this with your class whanau!



And of course- don't forget....

Daily practise of your spelling words:

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

Daily practise of your times tables and fast facts:

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/supporting-school-maths>

