Te Kura o Winiri
WINDLEY SCHOOL
E Tipu Nga Rakau Iti

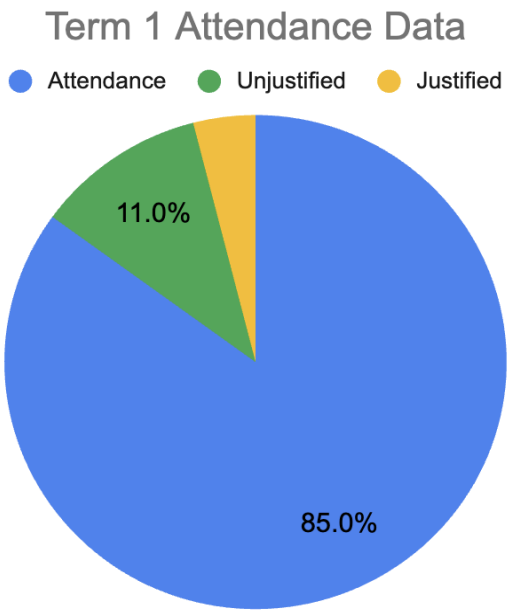
17 May, 2024

Noa'ia gagaj 'atakoa

Three weeks in and already the atmosphere here at school is well and truly busy a good busy. A special welcome to our new students and their families who started recently. Whether you're joining us for the first time or returning for another year, we are happy to have you as part of our school family.

GASAV NE FÄEAG ROTUAM TA - Rotuman Language Week
The 2024 Rotuman Language Week theme is all about 'Sustainability.' Its motto, "Vetạkia ‘os Fäega ma Ag fak hanua - Sustaining our Language and Culture," highlights the importance of protecting the Rotuman language and culture for the future. We wish the Rotuman community a successful week of celebrations

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE
In Term 1, our school achieved an overall attendance rate of 85%. However, we've noticed a significant number of unjustified absences, which is a worry. Let the school know if your child is going to be absent for a day or intends to be absent for a portion of the school term for whatever reason, like a tangi or sick.



Our school aims for a 90% or more attendance rate. This target reflects our commitment to ensuring that students are present and engaged in their learning journey. Coming to school is important because it helps you learn new things, make friends, socialise with others and sets you up well. Plus, it's a place where you can stay active through sports and take part in school activities.

If you're experiencing difficulties ensuring about attendance, please don't hesitate to contact us for support and assistance.

Fạiåkse'ea

Anau Kupa
PRINCIPAL

STUDENT NEWS

PB4L AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students for following the expectation **Be on time - right place right time;** Aviana Hapeta-Harris, Aimapuni Schuster, Fa'aea Faaea, Du Lian, Anahera Hohepa, Kiri Ngaronoa Talivai, Andrew Tung, Kereama Taui, Abigail Lian, Sarayah Haenga, Hail-Ruby Martini, Peniel Brown-Moe, Caprice Saengsourinh-Thongduang, Batralina Togafiti Seuseu, Phyo Phyo Aung, Keisa Togafiti Seuseu, Leo Johnson, Tuni Toalei, and Ayla Mataio.

VAI AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students who have received their VAI certificates. Term 2 Week 2 Certificates.

VOICE/To korero
"Everyone has a voice that can change the way things are"
Johnny Chea You R4
Paw aye Ling Tung R7
Ranger Rask R1

ACTION/ Ngā mahi
"Learners make a difference"

Nevaeh Nevin R1
Prez Rua-Manuel R2
Tazmyn Williams R4
Uriam Teikake R5
Sherrick Graham R7
Vicious Tanirau Smith R12
Anahera Paaka Gough Taite
Karaitiana R12
Kyro Iakopo R16
Joseph Silivelio R16
Freya Louez R17
Hail-Ruby Martini R10
Quinn Waihi R15
Jahkobi Williams R15

IDENTITY/Tuakiritanga
"Know who you are, be who you are, show who you are"
Bryce Ruhi R2
Kula Sopoaga R5
Ahmad Almuhawen R10

GLOW DISCO

Join us for Windley School's inaugural school disco on Friday, May 24th, from 5:00 to 7:00 pm! All proceeds will directly benefit our school playground. Please note that this event is only for Windley School students.

STAFF NEWS

SUPPORT STAFF

We have amazing support staff who go over and beyond to ensure our tamariki are supported as well as the teachers they work with. Their commitment and tireless efforts behind the scenes contribute to the smooth running of our school. Their hard work, commitment, and professionalism do not go unnoticed, and we appreciate all that they do to create a positive and nurturing environment for our students, and staff. Thank you all for your invaluable contributions.

TEACHER-ONLY-DAY

A reminder that there is Teacher Only Day on **Friday 31st May** for staff professional development therefore, school will be closed.

WHĀNAU NEWS

LANGUAGE WEEK PREPARATIONS

We've hosted several Whānau meetings to assist the school in organising language weeks and brainstorming other exciting ideas. Please stay tuned for updates on future meetings.

SAMOAN LANGUAGE WEEK/Vaiaso o le Gagana Samoa

The parent group met recently to finalise arrangements for Samoan Language Week, which kicks off with the opening ceremony on Monday, May 27th starting at 9.15am. Come along and join in the fun.

The theme for Samoa Language Week is 'Tautua i le alofa, manuia le lumana'i – Serve in love for a blessed future'. The theme highlights the importance of service grounded in love and the ongoing need for its development. The theme 'Tautua'—service' is not only about what we do but how we do it.

YELLOW-BROKEN-LINES (on Hampshire Street)

Just a reminder the yellow-broken-lines along hampshire street especially on the corner across from the school gate means you cannot stop, wait, drop off your child or park at any time. The yellow lines are there for a reason to keep everyone safe.

CALENDAR DATES

- Swimming every Wednesday
- Board Meeting - Monday 27 May
- Teachers Only Day - Friday 31 May
- King's Birthday – Monday 3 June
- Board Meeting - Monday 24 June
- Matariki – Friday 28 June
- Mobile Dental Van onsite - 22 August – 13 September 2024

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