



Huntly Primary School

Knowledge is Power – Matauranga Maramatanga

Newsletter

Wednesday 28th May Week 5 - Term 2 School Roll - 183

Kia ora e te whaanau,

We're already halfway through this 9-week term, and it's been fantastic to see such high levels of energy and effort across the school. Our students have really stepped up and we're proud of the learning and teamwork we're seeing every day.

Our senior students are busy preparing for their upcoming Winter Sports event, showing great commitment and enthusiasm during practices. Meanwhile, our junior students are getting active and involved as they practice their skipping skills for Jumping June – a fun and energetic way to keep moving during the colder months!

We're also looking ahead to a very special week of learning and celebration for Matariki. This will be a highlight of the term and we can't wait to share our plans with you soon – keep an eye out for further details.

Our Expectations for Student Attendance

We'd like to take a moment to remind all families of the importance of regular school attendance. There is a strong link between being at school and achieving success in the classroom. Attending and engaging in learning is a shared responsibility, and we thank you for your ongoing support in ensuring your child is here every day.

If your child is going to be away, please let us know as soon as possible. You can notify us by phone, email, or through Skool Loop, and be sure to include the reason for the absence.

While we understand there are times when absence is unavoidable, students who miss school regularly can quickly fall behind. If your child is away often or for an extended period, we will reach out to discuss how we can help.

We're here to support you. If you're facing challenges getting your child to school, please reach out to your child's teacher, message us on Skool Loop, or call us on 828 7198. Together, we can find solutions to support regular attendance and keep your child on track.

Ngaa mihi mahana,

Justine Brock

Tumuaki | Principal

ACHIEVEMENT CERTIFICATE WINNERS

23rd May 2025



HUNTLY PRIMARY SCHOOL

BREAKFAST CLUB

8.30 - 8.55 am daily

Special thanks to Alysha Harper for running this
for our tamariki.



INTERSCHOOL WINTER SPORTS

13th June

Rugby, Soccer & League players from Room 7,8,11 & 12
Notices will be sent home with participating students



FREE - Guitar lessons are available at school by Matua Val.
Please discuss this with your child and advise the school
office if they are intersted to learn.

Students will need to have their own guitars

School Calendar

2nd June - King's Birthday - SCHOOL CLOSED

3rd June - School Photos 9 am

13th June - Interschool Winter Sports

19th June - Matariki Celebration 8.30-11.30 am

23rd June - Heart Foundation - Jumping June

27th June - End Of Term - Last day



Winter is coming. There will be wet & cold days ahead. Our classrooms are warm and dry. Keeping students at home because of the weather is not a justified absence reason.

ATTENDANCE

Please advise the school the reason any of your children are going to be absent from school. We have a lot of students not attending for unknown reasons.

LATENESS

School starts PROMPTLY at 9 am. Students arriving after this time are missing vital learning & information regarding school activities. Please ensure your children arrive at school on time.

SCHOOL FINISHES AT 2.45 PM DAILY

Winter Sports Practices: Yrs 5,6,7 & 8 - Tuesdays 1.30-2.30

A change of clothes would be advisable for playing on the fields.

Mouth guards are required for all those playing league.

No long fingernails!



School Photos will be on Tuesday 3rd June at 9 am
Orders will be as usual through the PhotoLifethe website with your key code given after the photos have been taken. All students have class & individual photos, sibling photos will be on the signed request form issued at the school office.

STUDENTS MUST BE AT SCHOOL IN UNIFORM & ON TIME OR THEY WILL MISS THEIR PHOTO SESSION!!!

JUNIOR SCHOOL - ROOMS 2,3,4 & 5. HEART FOUNDATION - JUMPING JUNE FUNDRAISER.

Students who raise \$10 or more in sponsorship will be able to choose a prize. Go to jumpingjune.co.nz to register your childs profile, then ask friends & family to sponsor their JUMPING JUNE FUNDRAISING on Monday 23rd June.



Public Holidays this term

MONDAY 2ND JUNE - KING'S BIRTHDAY

FRIDAY 20TH JUNE - MATARIKI

SCHOOL CLOSED THESE DAYS

TERM DATES 2025: TERM 2 - 28TH APRIL -27TH JUNE

TERM 3 - - 14TH JULY - 19TH SEPTEMBER

TERM 4 - 6TH OCTOBER - 16TH DECEMBER

Huntly Primary School Presents

Whakanuia ia

Matariki 2025

Thursday 19th June 2025

8:30 am to 11:30 am

School Hall

Join us for 2 hours of celebration.

Enjoy our 'Muramura i te toi' Art display.

Classroom performances

Whaanau and staff Morning tea



✨ Muramura i te toi art display ✨

📍 Location: Breakfast Club Room

🎨 Opening Morning:
Thursday 19th June –
8:30am till Morning tea

📅 Display Dates:
Open daily from 2:45pm
– 3:30pm

Runs across Week 9
Extended viewing during
Parent-Teacher
Interviews