



Friday 19 2020, Term 2 Week 10: No.08

Fordell Flyer

Community partnership creating confident, connected life-long learners.



Tēnā koutou, nau mai, harere mai. Well it's hard to believe the end of term is just in two weeks – end of term being Friday 3 July.

Whanganui High School Visit – Last week we had a visit from Whanganui High School to speak to our Year 7 and 8 students. Mr McAllen, Rebecca Phillips (who was a Fordell student) and Jakob Moorhouse were the leadership team that visited – they shared all that Whanganui High School has to offer. Due to Covid-19 Whanganui High School will not be having open days but we will be able to book a day to visit. When we have a date set a letter will come with the Year 7 and 8 students, we will need parents to help with transport, it is an excellent opportunity to visit and ask your questions. The information and enrollment pack came home last week with Year 7 and 8s.



Cullinane College – Cullinane College will also be visiting but have yet to finalise the date. Cullinane College will be having an Open Evening on 6th August from 6pm in the Wharenui. Information and the invitation to the Open Evening have been sent home.

Mid-Year Learner Reports and Parent/Teacher/Student Conferences - A notice has come home about Parent/Teacher/Student Conferences. These will be in Week 11 on Tuesday 23 June (early finish at 12pm) and Thursday 25 June (normal finish). Please ensure you have sent your form back indicating your preferred time. Mid-Year Learner Reports come home today. As mentioned earlier these are slightly different than our normal Mid-Year reporting. There is a graph for Reading, Writing and Mathematics that will indicate how your child is tracking towards their expected levels for their current year level against the New Zealand Curriculum. The key explains the placement of the tick – dark green is expected levels.

ENGLISH - WRITING								
Current Year Level	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7	Year 8
Early Level 1	Level 1	Level 1	Early Level 2	Level 2	Early Level 3	Level 3	Early Level 4	Level 4
L5								
L4							✓	
L3								
L2								
L1								
	Work Effort	Of Concern	Good		Excellent			

Key				
	At Expected	Just below	Below	✓ - currently working
The Levels are from the NZ Curriculum and are aligned with expected levels for current Year Level.				

The example on the left shows this student at mid-year is working at their expected level in Writing for Year 7. When the End of Year Learner Report comes home you will see a tick in the right column under your child's current year to indicate where they are placed.

Lost Property – Please look at the Lost Property. There is a large amount in the bin, some beautiful clothes, but unfortunately they are not named. At the end of the term we do have to get rid of it all.

Have a fantastic weekend.



Ngā mihi nui.
Yvette Moorhouse, Principal

OUR VALUES

These are our expectations

Compassion Aroha

- Show **empathy**.
- **Pride** for myself and school.
- Work as a **team**.

Courage Toa

- **Persevere**.
- Make **good** and **honest** choices.
- Show **confidence**.

Respect Whakaute

- **Speak** with and **show** respect.
- **Let others learn**.
- **Caring** for equipment and property.

Responsibility Kawenga

- **Ready to learn**.
- **Be committed**.
- Take **ownership** for my choices.

THE 4Rs

Our Learning Muscles
How we do things around here

- **Resilience**
- **Reciprocity**
- **Resourcefulness**
- **Reflectiveness**



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Term 2 Week 9 we celebrated



awards:

Senior Hub

Kimberly Macrae for being a kind and considerate member of Room 5.

Annabelle Spetch for being a focused learner and completing all of her work to a high standard.

Blaire Webby for making great progress with her writing.

Junior Hub

Tom Pankhurst for great ideas and words in his writing.

Emma Hughes for having a 'can-do' attitude and staying focused to do her work.

FORDELL VALUE CERTIFICATES

These students have received a certificate for displaying the school values on a consistent basis. Congratulations to the following Fordell School students:

Rory Heron, Maggie Wright, Sasha Pullen, George Edmond, Darline Sklenars-Quilter, Sienna Rossiter, Andrew Grice, Wyatt Alderton, Xavier Gardiner, Xavier Brotherton, Eli McLeay, Julian Dunn, Kobi Auker, Coby Cooper, Sophie Cranstone, Jonty Ryan, Ellie Simpson.

FORDELL VALUE BADGES

VALUES BADGE – Sienna Rossiter

Term 2 Week 10 we celebrated



awards:

Senior Hub

Nathan Vincent for taking pride in his learning and completing tasks to a high standard.

Coby Cooper for being a focused learner and showing respect.

Elizabeth Macrae for effort with her writing.

Junior Hub

Anthony Rowe for being a writing superstar!

Aubrie Sollitt for being a class role model for our Values.

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Zyon Cooper, Dallas Gibson, Carter Connors, Keegan Spicer, Hudson Spetch, Anya Sewell, Jordan Dunn, Lennox Brotherton, Emma Vincent, Deacon Williams, Greta Gill, Blaire Webby, Angel Landon-Lane, Korbin Gabbott, Anthony Rowe, Aston Hayward, Dexter Brotherton, Samuel Macrae

FORDELL VALUE BADGES

VALUES BADGE – Greta Gill

PIE ORDERS DUE

Pie orders are due back Monday 22nd June, please return your orders and money to the school office.
The delivery date for pies are Monday 29th June. These can be collected from the school office.

Parent/Teacher/Student Conferences

Today you will receive your day and time/s for next week's conference. If you have not yet arranged a time, see Juanita in the office.



Happy Birthday to the following students:

Tuesday 9 June – Anthony Rowe
Thursday 11 June – Grace Mackay
Wednesday 17 June – Matthew Grice
Wednesday 17 June – Kiana Te Kahika
Friday 19 June – Dallas Gibson
Sunday 21 June – Jackson Loader

2020 Dates

Week 11

Monday 22 June – Board of Trustees Meeting
Monday 22 June – Pie orders in
Tuesday 23 June (early finish 12.00) and
Thursday 25 June – Parent/Teacher Conferences

Week 12

Monday 29 June – Pie Orders Delivery
Friday 3 July – Last day of Term 2

Term 3

Monday 20 July – Term 3 Starts

Week 7

Friday 4 September – Cluster Cross Country

Week 9

Thursday 17 September – Cluster Speech Competition

Week 10

Friday 25 September – End of Term 3

Term 4

Monday 12 October- Term 4 Starts

Week 4

Tuesday 3 November – Cluster Athletics

Week 7

Friday 27 November – Tough Kids

Week 8

Friday 4 December – Year 7&8 Dinner and Dance

Week 9

Thursday 10 December – 2020 Fordell School Prizegiving

Week 10

Tuesday 15 December – Last day of school year.

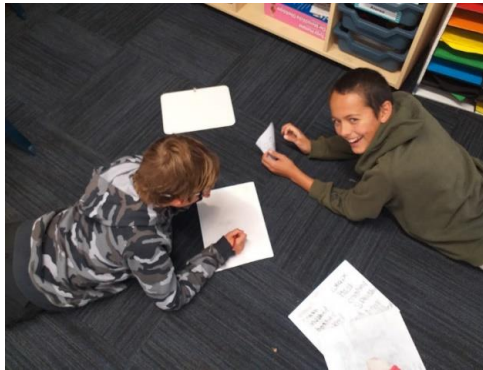


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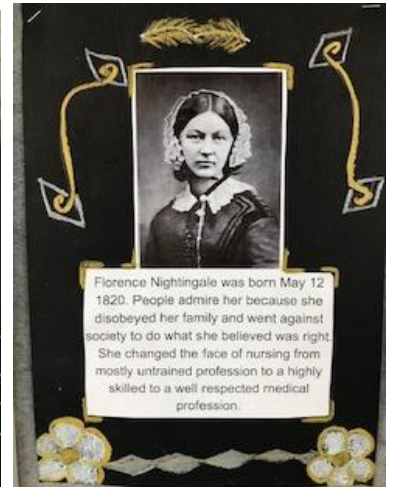
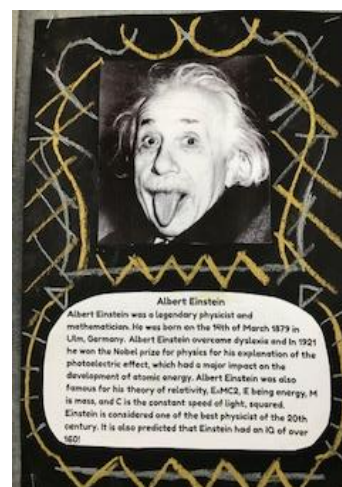


Effective Communication

In Room 5 we have been working on what effective communication looks like and sounds like. We challenged ourselves to give explicit instructions to someone who is blind folded. Give it a go!



Room 5 Inspiring People



ROOM 3'S INQUIRY LEARNING: HOME SWEET ANIMAL HOME



We 'Tuned in' to the topic; thinking about what we know and asking questions.



We learned about bees' homes. We asked an expert (thanks, Ashley!).

We shared our learning by writing and creating.



We did field work and went out looking for spider webs. Then we learned about how they spin their webs and had a go at making our own.

We have designed our own creatures and made them out of salt dough, with Mrs Mellso.

We love learning in Room 3!