

MARINA VIEW SCHOOL

Matatau mo te ao Learning for Life



NEWSLETTER

Tena koutou e te whānau, mihi nui ki a koutou katoa

Dear Parents & Caregivers,

PINK SHIRT MUFTI DAY

On Friday 15 May, our MVS Leadership Rōpū have organised a mufti-day to support Pink Shirt Day. This is a nationwide movement led by the Mental Health Foundation of New Zealand. This year's message is Kōrero Mai, Kōrero Atu, Mauri Tū, Mauri Ora – to speak up, stand together, and stop bullying. We invite all students to come to school wearing pink or mufti to show their support for creating a kinder, more inclusive Aotearoa. Pink Shirt Day is a chance for our kura to celebrate diversity and take a stand against bullying in all its forms.

This is a gold coin mufti day and donations of \$1.00 or \$2.00 can be made on your *myKindo*. Please navigate to 'School Fundraisers' and you will see the 'Pink Shirt Day' donation options.

We look forward to seeing a sea of pink across the school as we stand together for kindness.

OUT OF ZONE BALLOT

Applications for the May out of zone ballot have now closed. A ballot will be held on Wednesday 13th May, and all applicants will be notified in writing/email within 3 school days of the ballot date.

BIKE & SCOOTER SAFETY

A reminder for any children riding bikes or scooters to and from school, to please ensure they are wearing a helmet. We have seen a number of children without helmets, which poses a risk to their safety.

We would also like to remind students that bikes, scooters and e-scooters are not to be ridden through school grounds.

WINTER UNIFORM

As the weather is colder now please ensure your child has a Marina View School jumper, and is wearing the correct Marina View School uniform. Please note, tight bike shorts or leggings are not correct uniform for girls – please ensure a Marina View School skort or the navy blue shorts are worn.

If you need to order any new uniform items, this can be done online at

<https://www.argyleonline.co.nz/shop/auckland/marina-view-school>.

Please also ensure all children have a spare change of clothes in their bag, especially during winter months when they may get wet or muddy.

Please ensure ALL uniform items (including lunch boxes and drink bottles) are clearly named, so if they turn up in lost property we can return them to the student.

Kind regards,
Maurice Young
Principal

UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY

- 12th Y7/8 Camp Whānau Info Evening
- 12th Y7/8 Writers Festival Trip
- 13th Out of Zone Ballot
- 14th Y5/6 Ripa Rugby Zone Day
- 15th Pink Shirt Mufti Day
- 18th Rm 18, 21 & 22 Trip to MOTAT
- 19th Rm 15, 19, 20 Trip to MOTAT
- 19th Y7/8 Football Zone Day
- 27th Y7/8 Boys Basketball Zone Day
- 28th Y7/8 Girls Basketball Zone Day

JUNE

- 1st KINGS BIRTHDAY – SCHOOL CLOSED
- 3rd Photolife Class Photos
- 3rd Kai & kōrero evening – 5.30pm in Hall
All whānau welcome
- 4th Year 8 Massey High Open Morning
- 5th Y7/8 Table Tennis Zone Day
- 11th Y5/6 Football Zone Day
- 10th Photolife Portrait/Sibling Photos
- 11th Photolife Portrait/Sibling Photos
- 17th – 19th Year 7/8 CAMP – Carey Park
- 24th Year 0/1 Trip to MOTAT
- 26th Year 5/6 & Y7/8 Book Battle
- 30th Y5/6 & Y7/8 Hockey Zone Day

JULY

- 3rd Term 2 Ends @ 2:15pm

PINK SHIRT MUFTI DAY!!



Wear PINK to support anti-bullying!
Pink Shirt Mufti-day
Gold coin donation
Friday 15 May



TERM 2 EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITY FEES

Year 1	Team Lydiard	\$17.00
Year 2	Team Ashford	\$0.00
Year 3/4	Team van Beek	\$0.00
Year 5/6	Team Oldham	\$17.00
Year 7/8	Team Erceg	\$18.50



KINDO SCHOOL PAYMENTS

Please check your *myKindo* account for all school payments due.

Please ensure you have set up your *mykindo* account. To create an account click here: **Create Account** or download the mobile app - search 'mykindo' app on Google Play or the App store to download. You will need to use the email address that the school has on file for you.

A reminder that you can view your financials on your myKindo account.

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YEAR 7/8 CAMP FEES

The balance for the Year 7/8 Camp is due on Friday 22nd May. Communication will be sent out this week regarding the remaining amount.

Payments can be made through your *mykindo* account. To set up an automatic payment into Kindo, please follow the instructions on the link here:

How to set up an automatic payment.

Our Camp Whānau Information evening will be held on Tuesday 12th May at 5.00pm in the Staffroom. This will be a chance to learn more about camp, hear important information, and ask any questions you may have.



LUNCH ORDERS

Lunches are available through Ezlunch 3 days per week:

MONDAY – PIZZA

THURSDAY – SUBWAY

FRIDAY – SUSHI

Order before 9:00 am on day of delivery. Parents/Caregivers can place orders online through the *myKindo* app, and they will then be delivered to school and distributed to students for lunchtime.



COMMUNITY NOTICES

MASSEY HIGH SCHOOL OPEN EVENING

Tuesday 16th June, 4:00pm – 5:30pm OR 6:00pm – 7:30pm
Explore our facilities, meet our team, and discover how we help students thrive.

Online registration is required via this link:

<https://shorturl.at/caT90>

GENTLY LOVED MARKETS – BIG KIDS!

Pre-loved items for kids aged 5-12years.

Clothing, accessories, games, toys and more!

Sunderland Lounge – Te Rere, Cinema Rd, Hobsonville Point

Saturday 9th May, 11am – 2pm

MVS COMMUNITY NETWORK MATH-A-THON

We are excited to be running a Math-a-thon fundraiser this term. Children will bring home a fact sheet in Week 6 to learn. On Friday 29th June, the children will be tested on their questions and will then bring home the sponsor sheet for children to collect sponsor money. Money will be due back to school on Friday 26th June. Funds raised will be put towards the continued development of the bike track.



SCHOOL POLICIES

<https://marinaview.schooldocs.co.nz>

Username: marinaview

Password: mvs



Please refer to the link here for more information: [SchoolDocs Information for the Community](https://marinaview.schooldocs.co.nz).

CHANGE OF CONTACT DETAILS

If your child's contact details need updating with new contact phone numbers, address, or email address please email

office@marinaview.school.nz so we can update our records.



WORLD VISION YOUTH LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

On Monday, some of our MVS Leadership Rōpū had the opportunity to attend the World Vision Youth Leadership Conference, a powerful event designed to spark young people's passion for justice and strengthen their ability to take meaningful action in their communities. Throughout the day, our students engaged in inspiring workshops, listened to real-world stories, and explored how they can lead change both locally and globally. It was a fantastic experience, with all students returning energised, thoughtful, and motivated to make a difference. We are incredibly proud of the way they represented our kura, and how they continue to grow their leadership, developing their mana, manaakitanga and māramatanga.



World Vision



60'S UP CLUB VISIT

Wednesday 6th May, the 60's Up Club Takapuna came to visit the school and enjoy a performance from our Kapa Haka, Junior & Senior Choir. The event provided a meaningful platform for our students to showcase their hard work, and foster intergenerational connections.



ANZAC DAY PARADE

Some of our MVS Leadership Rōpū represented Marina View School at the Hobsonville ANZAC Day parade. This important event honours the courage, sacrifice, and service of those who have served our country, and provides a meaningful opportunity for our students to reflect on the significance of remembrance in Aotearoa, New Zealand.

Our student leaders demonstrated respect, responsibility, and pride as they took part in the parade, learning about the importance of honouring traditions. Through this experience, they gained a deeper understanding of why ANZAC Day matters and the role young people can play in keeping these stories and values alive.

Ngā mihi nui to the Bunting whānau for their support in guiding us through the correct protocols of the parade – your expertise ensured our students could participate in a way that upheld the mana of the occasion.



Lest We Forget.



MARINA VIEW SCHOOL MAUNGA MOMENT

Whaia te iti kahurangi ki te tūohu koe me he maunga teitei
Seek the treasure you value most dearly: if you bow your head, let it be to a lofty mountain

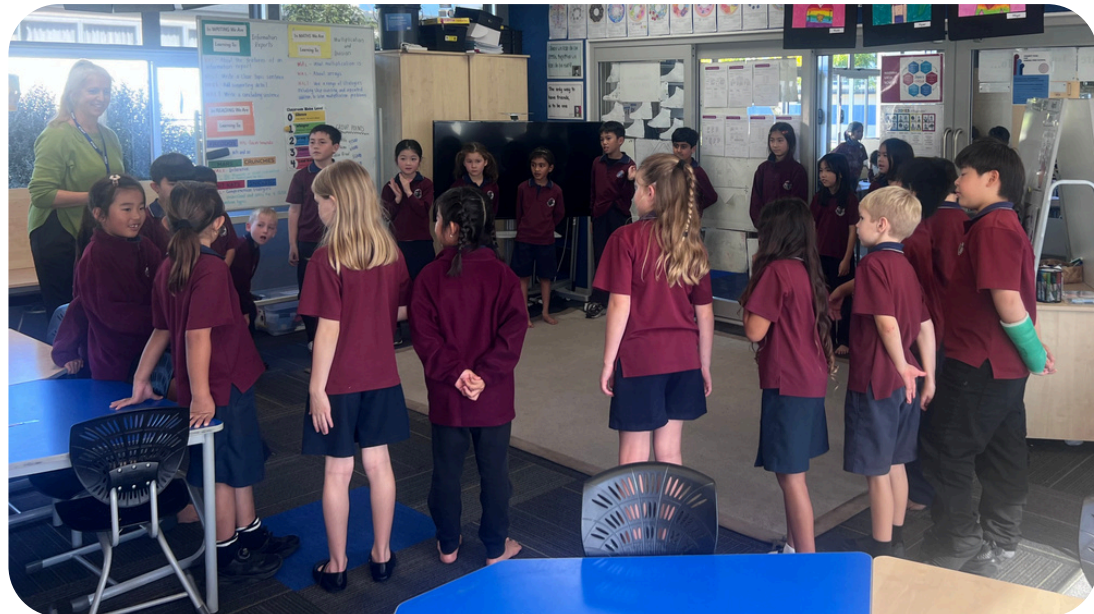
~ Room 11 ~ Maunga Moment ~

Room 11 brought energy and excitement to their recent music session as they explored beat and rhythm using their bodies and a range of instruments! Students clapped, tapped, stomped, and played in time, showing mana as they performed with confidence and pride. Their growing māramatanga was evident as they kept steady beats, worked collaboratively, recognised patterns, and experimented with creating their own rhythms. They demonstrated Manaakitanga as students supported and encouraged one another and celebrated each other's efforts. We look forward to future sessions with Vanessa Kelly (Music Teacher) on a Thursday.

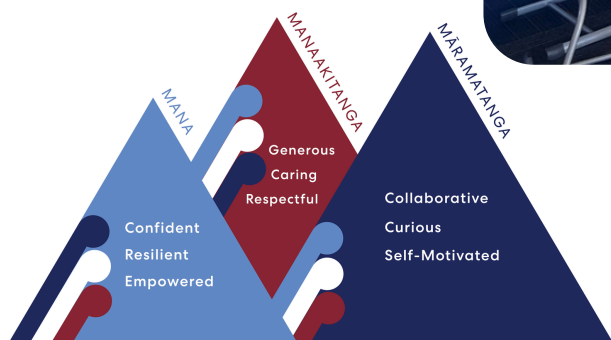


~ Māramatanga ~

~ Mana ~



~ Manaakitanga ~





YUMMY FRUIT SCHOOL STICKER PROMOTION



Marina View School has signed up to the Yummy Fruit School Sticker Promotion. It's easy to participate and our school will be in to win a share of \$200,000 free sports gear for the school.

TO DOWNLOAD AND PRINT OFF YOUR STICKER SHEET PLEASE VISIT:

[HTTPS://WWW.YUMMYFRUIT.CO.NZ/SCHOOLS/](https://www.yummyfruit.co.nz/schools/)

OR PICK UP A SHEET FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE

STICKER COLLECTION SHEET

School Name:

CUT-OUT LABEL COLLECTION SHEET

- Place your cut-out labels from Yummy apple bags on these parents. One cut-out label is worth 10 apple points.
- As apple trees takes the energy from about fifty leaves to produce one apple.
- Ask friends, family, relatives and neighbours to help with your collection.
- Most apples are still packed by hand.
- Visit www.yummyfruit.co.nz to print more Cut-Out Collection Sheets.
- One tree of harvested apples can fill twenty boxes.
- Griffing and budding are the methods used to propagate apples.
- Parology is the science of apples.
- Fresh apples float in water because 25% of their volume is air!
- Test cut-out labels from Yummy apple bags equals one hundred stickers. Awesome work!

School Name:

NEW VARIETY STICKER COLLECTION SHEET

Match these NEW Yummy Apple stickers and **DOUBLE YOUR POINTS!**

50 stickers = 100 POINTS!

School Name:

JOIN US WANT TO LEARN **REALISTIC DRAWING SKILLS?** **FUN GUARANTEED!**

Perfect for kids aged 5 to 13!

JOIN US RIGHT AFTER SCHOOL!

3:15pm & 4:15pm on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays

WHERE TO FIND US:
The Old ESOL Room
Marina View School

BOOK ONLINE NOW!
ArtAcademy.co.nz
Ph: 021 1510115 /
E: maya@artacademy.co.nz

Realisticus
Art Academy Love to Draw

GUITAR & UKULELE LESSONS

MUSIQHUB OFFERS GUITAR AND UKULELE TUITION TO STUDENTS AT MARINA VIEW SCHOOL WITH EXPERIENCED TUTOR DAVE GATMAN.

Students explore classic and modern songs, play as a group and take turns to solo. This format creates a relaxed and fun environment for students to learn. Lessons available on Mondays during school time.

ENROL NOW

If you are interested, please contact Dave on 021 2221456, or dave.gatman@musiqhub.co.nz

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