

Tēnā koutou katoa, Talofa lava, Malo e lelei, Kia orana,  
Ni sa bula vinaka, Taloha ni, Fakaalofa lahi atu, Ni hao,  
Assalamu'alaikum warahmatullahi wabarakatuh,  
Namaste, and Warm Greetings to All.



Next week on Tuesday 5 July, James Cook High School is eagerly hosting our first Home School Partnership (HSP) Day for 2022.

The circumstances of the last couple of years, with Covid restrictions and lockdowns, mean it has been a long time since we've been able to meet face to face. It

will be great to touch base again next Tuesday, discuss learning progress, and set out the plan for the rest of the academic year. As the whakataukī reminds us, "Ko te piko o te māhuri, tērā te tupu o te rākau." Please book appointment times via our website, [www.jchs.school.nz](http://www.jchs.school.nz).

School Reports have been distributed this week in Tutor classes. If your child has been absent, reports can still be collected next week, including on HSP Day. They are designed to update you on student progress in whichever qualification they are working towards – the JC Diploma in the Junior School, and NCEA and UE in the Senior School – so it is important that you get the chance to see them.

One aspect the Reports highlight is attendance – students who are missing days each week are significantly less likely to be academically successful, and not being here makes it harder to reach the target we are working towards. As the proverb says, "Fangota kihe kato 'ava" – so please discuss with your student's Tutor and Dean any ways we can help support your child to attend regularly.

We really hope to see you all next Tuesday – come chat with our teachers, and enjoy some awesome performances from our talented cultural groups!

We believe in your children, and work hard to develop their gifts and talents, but we can't do it on our own – we rely on you to support what we do. And we know that when we work together, huge things are possible – "O le tele o sulu e mau ai figota." 😊

See you Tuesday!

Mr Milton  
Deputy Principal



## SCHOOL APP

It's great to see our numbers climbing each week with School App downloads. It's been fantastic to know that parents and caregivers are finding it easy to use, especially when reporting absences or reading through Daily Notice information about what is happening at school that day.

We wrapped up our JUNE SCHOOL APP DOWNLOAD competition last week. Congratulations to all 8 winners who won \$50.00 Prezzy cards each. Thank you all for supporting our school in many ways, including the roll out of the new School App.

## WHĀNAU REMINDER – HSP MEETINGS



### Home School Partnership (HSP) Tuesday 5 July

Please take the opportunity to come into school on Tuesday the 5th and meet your child's class teachers, Tutor, Deans and other members of staff.

It is a great opportunity to discuss this Report with them, and track your child's academic progress.

Staff will be available to meet and chat with you between 10am and 7pm.

**There will be no timetabled classes on this day.**

You can book your appointments online by visiting our school website [www.jchs.school.nz](http://www.jchs.school.nz) or ask your child to book times with their teachers on your behalf.

We will also have Cultural Performances occurring during the day, and some displays of outstanding Student Achievement from 2021, for you to view and enjoy.

We look forward to seeing you on Tuesday 5 July!

Once on the school website, click on the link and select **Make a Booking** then enter code **yzrp6** to get started!

## KEY DATES

### Matariki at Pukepuke

(see our social media pages for more info)

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> July

### HSP (Home-School Partnership)

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> July

### Term 2 Ends

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July

### Term 2 Break – 2 Weeks

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> July to Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July

### Term 3 Starts

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> July

Friday 1st July 2022  
Term 2, Week 9