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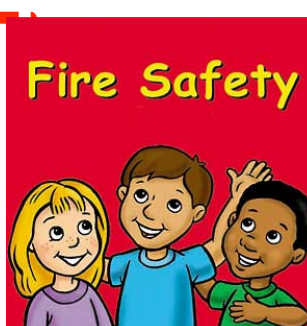
What's happening this term...

Welcome back to Term 3. We hope you enjoyed some lovely family time and that everyone is ready to launch back into school.

A special welcome to the children who will be starting school for the first time.

Fire Safety

This term we look at the health curriculum with a focus on 'Get Fire Wise'. Your child will come home with a book that you can work through together. As part of this unit we will have a visit from some firefighters and they will bring a fire engine to school.



We welcome Karen Doogan and Donna Beechey who open our next New Entrant class in Room 18.

Karen Wilson will be teaching in room 3. Charmaine Doole and Emma Milne will be teaching in room 4.

Curriculum Topics Term 3

We are focusing on:



Physical Education
Folk dancing



Writing

Students are writing about personal experiences.



Mathematics

Number: Building number and strategy knowledge.

Statistics: Probability – investigate situations that involve elements of chance.

Geometry: Movement and position – Give and follow instructions that involve directions
An excellent website for you to visit to demystify the number work your child is learning in the classroom is www.nzmaths.co.nz. Go to the **'Families'** section.

In Discovery Time

Students will be exploring the living world with a focus on mini beasts. We will be developing an understanding that all living things are suited to their particular habitat.

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