



2 March 2022

Tēnā tātou katoa e te whānau

Dobar dahn, Nabad, Hola, Ciao, Ni hao, Namaste, Valttukkal, Abhinandan, Subhakansalu, Grīṭigaza, Talofa, Bonjour, Χαίρετίσματα, Grüß Gott, Zdravím, Приветствия, Sawasdee, Konnichiwa, Pozdrowenia, Selamlar, Guten Tag, Salaam, Salama Aleikum, Leikum Zdras-Tvuy-Te, Ahn-Young-Ha-Se-Yo, Marhaba, Nay Hoh, Ayubowan, Xin Chào, Kia Orana

Supporting Whānau

Staff realises there are many pressures on you, our school whānau. We certainly appreciate the support you've shown us with school and home coming together to keep our tamariki safe.

Staff is checking in with whānau (from their respective rooms) who have to isolate; likewise with staff. We know that you will be doing the same, offering help where you can.

STOP PRESS

Student Absences

Parents should inform the school office before 9.00am of a child's absence or intended lateness. Please telephone the school answer phone and provide the reason for the child's absence or submit an absences notification on the Skool Loop phone app (simple free download: In Google play & App Store search "Skool Loop" & choose our school once installed.

If we do not hear from you we will contact you to ensure your child is safe. For absences of one week or longer, notification must be in writing and the date of return to school must be specified.

Clyde Quay School has registered for Moving March 2022

Movin'March is here!

We're proud to be a Movin'March school and this month we're looking forward to seeing whānau and students walking or wheeling to or from school. Walking, biking and scooting is a great way to improve well-being, kick start learning for the day and it's also great for the planet! Don't forget your WOW Passport so we can stamp your trip and keep an eye out for our planet friendly spot prizes!

Whānau Photo Competition

Whānau can enter a photo of their journey to school and be in to **WIN** 1 of 5 x adult or child **Micro Scooters**! We're also giving away family passes to [Staglands Wildlife Reserve](#) or [Zealandia](#). WOW... that's 15 prizes to be won! **Go to the Movin'March Facebook page and share your photo in the comments under the weekly theme post.** Winners announced by 8th April.

WOW Passport Challenge

Let's get stamping! We'll stamp your walk or wheel trips at the gate and all entries will go in the draw to win one of 12 x \$400 **MYRIDE** vouchers (you don't have to complete cards to go in the draw!). If your family lives too far away, why not park a short distance away from the school gate and walk or wheel the rest of the way? For more information see our [Park & Stride](#) tips or try parking around the block.

Thanks for supporting our 'BOOK (no)BBQ'

Thank you for all the Google Form responses!

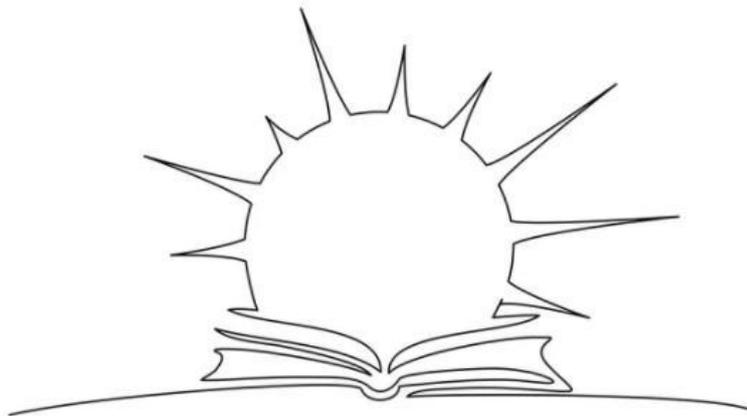
Tamariki who have chosen books to donate will be bringing home paper forms over the next week - **keep an eye out for them in school bags.**

Please complete these and return them to school as soon as you can.

If you haven't filled out the initial Google Form and would like it re-sent, email school.librarian@clydequay.school.nz, there are still some great books left to choose from!

As always,

**Thank you
for supporting our wonderful library!**



Pohutukawa (Y2)

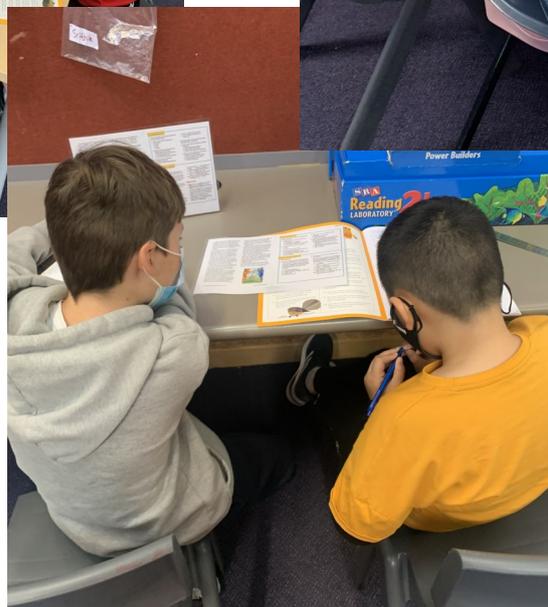


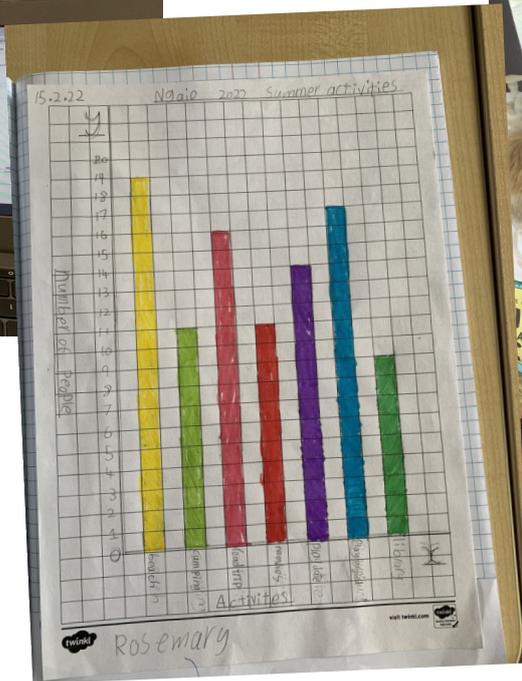
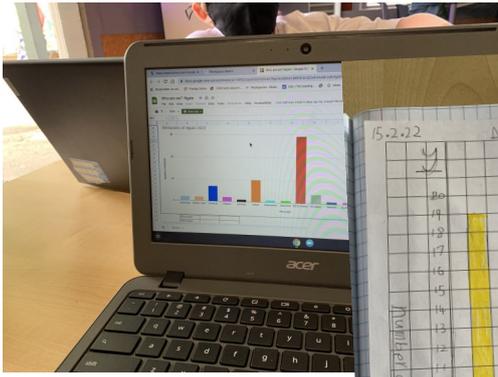
Pohutukawa play based learning in action.



Tamariki in Ngaio

have used their collaboration skills to master our new routines and processes. It's been awesome to see our year 6's acting as Tuakana to our year 5 Teina, guiding them through different activities. They have been carefully helping year 5's learn how things work around here! We've done some great learning already around statistics, IT skills, weaving artwork and are developing our writing skills too. On top of all that, we are still lucky enough to go to swimming!





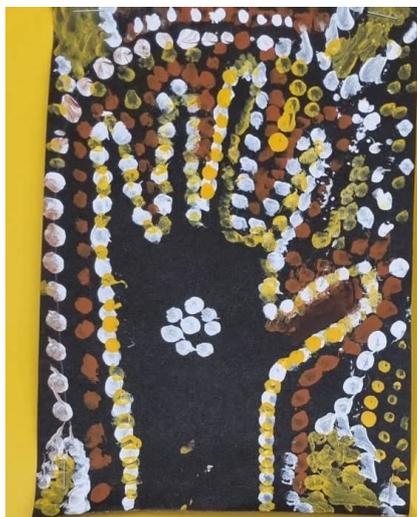
Swimming lessons for all classes are such an important part of our curriculum at CQS. Learning to swim is crucial for water safety and is a great skill for students to develop. Swimming is also a fun and healthy form of exercise.

As seen in the photos below, our Ngaio class are enjoying their time at Wellington East Girls' swimming pool.



KARAKA (Y3-4)

Here is a picture of some of our "Dot Art" that we have completed as we complete some learning about different cultures.



DEVINA



LILY



KATE



TESSA

School Calendar

Term 1

2 February—14 April 2022

7 March	Rimu Gym 9.00am-12.00pm
9 March	Ngaio swimming 9.00am-11.30am
14 March	Rimu Gym 9.00am-12.00pm
16 March	Ngaio swimming 9.00am-11.30am
21 March	Rimu Gym 9.00am-12.00pm
22 March	Rimu City Gallery-Hilma Klint Leon-9.30-11.30 Max-12.30-2.30
23 March	Ngaio swimming 9.00am-11.30am

Community Notices

Suzanne Aubert Scout Group

Located at: St Anne's Hall, 22 Emmett St Newtown



New adventures are waiting. Come join the fun in the outdoors! No membership fees until term 2. So come give Scouting a go! Come and join us on Monday nights:

Keas (5 to 8 year olds) 6.30 – 7.30pm

Cubs (8 to 11 year olds) 6.30 – 8pm

Scouts (11 to 14 year olds) 6.30 – 8pm

For more details either email SuzanneAubert@group.scouts.nz or contact Rob McCullough on 0221771007.

Follow us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/aubertscouts/

Tom Christie ex student from CQS is offering Table Tennis coaching and Cello lessons

Table tennis coaching

I began playing table tennis at the age of eight, at primary school, and since then, I have allowed myself every opportunity to improve. I have participated in regional and national training camps, played at tournaments around New Zealand, including the New Zealand Open Championships from 2017 onward, coached locally at Wellington College, and am a current member of the New Zealand under 18 national squad. My experiences have put me up against some of the top players from around New Zealand, and given me the opportunity to play against players from Australia and New Caledonia. If you are looking to improve your game, let me know. No experience with the game is required, all levels are welcome.

Cello lessons

At eight years old I picked up the cello. This was easily one of the best moves I have made, as music has grown to be an inseparable part of my life. Since then, my knowledge of the cello and classical music has increased steadily. Over the years I have been involved in numerous musical opportunities, and am currently a cellist in a piano/string quartet and piano trio, the Wellington Youth Orchestra and New Zealand Secondary Schools Symphony Orchestra. I also perform solo and with piano around Wellington, including performances of concertos. If you are interested in learning the cello, contact me with the information below. No experience is required!

Rate: \$30/hour Tom Christie 022 191 8533 tomoschristie2@gmail.com