



## Purapura Room Five Weekly Update, Week 4.

Kia Ora to our Purapura Room Five parents and whānau,

- **Thank you:** I would like to give a HUGE THANK YOU to Mr Manuel (Loughlin's Dad) for supplying Room Five, Room Six, and Room 4 with sunblock wall dispensers. We really appreciate you keeping our students sunsmart.
- I would also like to give a HUGE THANK YOU to Mrs Chesham (Tyler's Mum) for helping Ms Thompson re-barcode just under 2,000 books. This is such a time consuming job and greatly helps me out.
- **Well Done** to those students who are walking into school from the gate and leaving mum and or dad at the gate. You are on your way to becoming independent citizens of Hunua School.
- **Bible:** A Reminder that Bible Lessons starts this Wednesday with Mrs Finley.
- **Uniforms:** Could parents please ensure that their child's uniforms are clearly named. We have had students going home in other people's uniforms after swimming. This is difficult to sort out if uniforms are not named.
- **Reading:** I have been testing the students with their reading and have put the students into correct groups. The students will now be bringing home readers regularly from now on. Reminder that students can read either readers, favourite book, library book, etc. I have attached a Nights Reading Comparison to show the importance of reading each night with your child.
- **Homework:** Each student has their language homework glued into the back of their poetry books. Please read the guidelines that is at the front of this. I will be sorting out Maths homework for each of the students when I have completed the maths testing this week.

You can contact me by email:

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Regards,

Merlyn Thompson

# NUMBER OF NIGHTS READING COMPARISON

(Based on 10 week terms, 2 weeks holiday)

	Every School Night, including weekends and holidays	Every School Night including weekends	Every School Night	Three Nights per Week
After One Term	<b>84</b> Nights Reading	<b>70</b> Nights Reading	<b>50</b> Nights Reading	<b>30</b> Nights Reading
After Two Terms	<b>168</b> Nights Reading	<b>140</b> Nights Reading	<b>100</b> Nights Reading	<b>60</b> Nights Reading
After Three Terms	<b>252</b> Nights Reading	<b>210</b> Nights Reading	<b>150</b> Nights Reading	<b>90</b> Nights Reading
After One Year	<b>336</b> Nights Reading	<b>280</b> Nights Reading	<b>200</b> Nights Reading	<b>120</b> Nights Reading
After Two Years	<b>672</b> Nights Reading	<b>560</b> Nights Reading	<b>400</b> Nights Reading	<b>240</b> Nights Reading
After Three Years	<b>1008</b> Nights Reading	<b>840</b> Nights Reading	<b>600</b> Nights Reading	<b>360</b> Nights Reading