

Jean Batten School Newsletter



11 March 2022

Talofa lava, Malo e lelei, Kia Orana,
Fakalofa lahi atu, Namaste, Ni sa bula vinaka,
Konichiwa, Ni hao ma

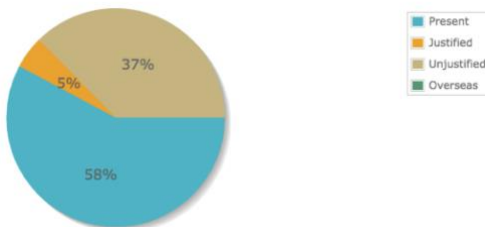
*Nga mihi nui kia koutou te whanau o
Jean Batten School, Nau Mai Haere Mai*

This is a trying time for all whanau as we navigate Ormicon right on our doorstep. All staff here at Jean Batten School hope this newsletter finds you in good spirits and sends the warmest of greetings.

ATTENDANCE

School is **OPEN** for instruction and JBS staff look forward every day to the smiling faces of our tamariki.

Although there are children who have to be home isolating, an average of 58% of students are still attending school regularly.



Overall attendance from Day 1 of 2022 school year

Our concern is the 37% of tamariki who are not attending school. Tamariki who attend school every day not only learn to read and write for academic success but also form and maintain friendships and enjoy physical activity through play.





BREAKFAST AND LUNCH
is available to all students
Monday to Friday.

FEELING UNWELL

If a child attends school but is feeling unwell, has a cough, a runny nose or a temperature then we will call home.



Please do not send your child to school if they are unwell before leaving home.

Positive COVID19 cases

Any student who has tested positive for COVID-19 will be required to isolate for seven full days. (7 days)

After the seven days of isolation the student is free to return to normal activities, if they are not symptomatic.

This is the same for students in a confirmed positive household case.



The Cause Collective is a NZ charitable trust operating out of South Auckland since 2016.

As a Pacific social change agency, they are interested in social problems facing communities most in need to see what's getting in the way of them thriving.

The Cause Collective works closely with JBS supporting our whanau. They have supported the school by providing such things as hand sanitisers, masks, food parcels, drink bottles to name a few. We are grateful for their support.

**Uniform/Stationary Starter Packs
are still available - \$60.00**

TERM DATES

**Term 1 ends on Thursday 14th April.
Term 2 begins on Monday 2nd May.**

*Kia pai to rāwhakatā whanau
Nardi Leonard (Principal)*