



May 2020

Whakaoriori Kāhui Ako

Today ◀ ▶ February 2021 Week Month Agenda ▾

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
31	Feb 1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12 11:30am Ste	13
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21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	Mar 1	2	3	4	5	6

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“Ko te manu e kai ana i te miro nōnā te ngahere,

Ēngari ko te manu e kai ana i te mātauranga nōnā te ao”

The one who partakes of the flora and fauna, that will be their domain.

The one who engages in education, opportunities are boundless.



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Kia Ora Tatou,

My goodness, where did April go? It is May already and some of us are back at school in what can only be called the weirdest days at school ever! School at Level 3 is not how we know it and I take my hat off to all the staff who have managed to go in and offer support for our essential and safe workers' children. Hopefully, we can get back to school shortly for Level 2 and then maybe Level 1 before the end of the year.

What we need to be doing, and many of us are, is thinking about what school and learning is going to look like when we go back. It is important that we take this time to think very carefully about our local curricula and examine what is important to keep and what we can let go.

If you have time check out the "DisruptED" podcasts- these have been fantastic at giving us opportunities to hear from leaders in our educational community and their thinkings.

The Across School Lead team and I want to acknowledge the huge amount of learning and development that you as educators have done over the last few weeks. You have modified, adapted and innovated to provide learning for our young people. You are an amazing group of people. We also want to be able to support you by connecting you with others who want to learn, develop and implement new things with your teaching and learning programmes - please check out the survey below and we will use this to get this happening. However, if you are like - WOW there is SO much information out there and my head is exploding and I can't have another thing - then that is ok too.

It would be great for us to get back to our three key workstreams - Student-Led Inquiry, Transitions and of course Wellbeing which are going to be very important for the next few months.

The Masterton Trust Lands Trust Wellbeing group has continued to work on developing the project scoping document and we can't wait to share this with you shortly.

Please continue to lead with passion and integrity. Be strong, you know your community and your learners and ask for support if you need it.

Stay safe whānau and see you on the other side.

Nga mihi nui

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Below is a collection of resources and links.

REAP have organised them into the following themes;

Pre-school, here you will find ideas to do with your pre-school children, there are also ideas for whānau and teachers.

School, here you will find useful links to try with your school aged children, there are also ideas for whānau and teachers.

Adult Learning, here you will find information on available adult learning opportunities.

Digital Tools and Support, here you will find information on computer courses, an option for connecting to the Internet and cyber safety

Job Support, here you will find useful links to those who can help with employment and work related courses.

What the Experts Say, this covers parenting information and well-being information for children and adults.

Check out this link for more information - <https://www.reapwairarapa.nz/interesting-links/>

Whakaoriori Kāhui Ako - Survey

We have developed a very short survey around some areas that you might want to connect over - if you have a minute and want to engage then please do so. We value your voice!

[Link to Survey](#)

Upcoming Events

Papa Kāinga TV!



Home Learning | Papa Kāinga TV is free to air, on TVNZ channel 2+1 and on TVNZ OnDemand, as well as on Sky Channel 502 and Vodafone TV. It runs from 9am to 3pm on schooldays with programming for children and young people aged 2 to 15, as well as for parents.

<https://learningfromhome.govt.nz/learning-resources/home-learning-tv#Programme-schedule>

Check This Out!

Distance Learning

We have put together some useful links to support teachers during distance teaching and learning.

Learning from Home - [Resources](#)



TE RITO TOI HELPS TEACHERS work with children when they first return to school following major traumatic or life changing events. It does that by providing research informed practical classroom activities and lesson plans to help children better understand their changed world and to begin to see themselves as being part of the promise of new and better futures. Te Rito Toi is based on understanding that the arts are uniquely placed to lead a return to productive learning when schools reopen.

<https://www.teritotoi.org/>

Check out [DisruptED](#)

Whakaoriori Kāhui Ako - PLD Workplan

We have created many PLD opportunities in line with our work streams.

Click on the link and keep an eye out for information about how to register!

Please email Janine Devenport, your WSL or ASL for the link to book.

All contact details are on the "Our People" page.

Whakaoriori in Action!

