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Kia Ora koutou!

Kia kaha te reo Māori!

Kei te pēhea koutou? How are you all? Kei te tino hari koa ahau! I'm super happy! This week we've delighted in the many, many rauemi reo/resources to sustain and feed our te reo me te ao Māori! We've enjoyed sharing our huatau/ideas across the teams too. Thank you teachers, LAs, all staff – love seeing our use of kupu/words grow, including in our īmēra/emails! No matter how small, go for it – karawhiua 🥰



Let's celebrate! Te Puna Wairua in the spotlight – woohoo!

Huge, huge ngā mihi ki a koutou – Whaea Lee (Pou Matua), Whaea Saf (Kaiako) and Matua Andre' (LA) o Te Puna Wairua! What an AWESOME treat for so many of us to celebrate the many strengths of our tauira at our celebration of ako/learning assembly: karakia, hīmene, whakataukī, waiata, kanikani, pūrākau, pānui, Kahoot! **Whanaungatanga** is one of our TPS values and this was certainly alive online today! Thank you whānau for joining in the mahi and e hoa ma/friends who also joined today's celebration. Loved the energy, warmth and inclusion. Ka mau te wehi koutou! 🎉

Karawhiua – give it everything, go for it, be a doer!



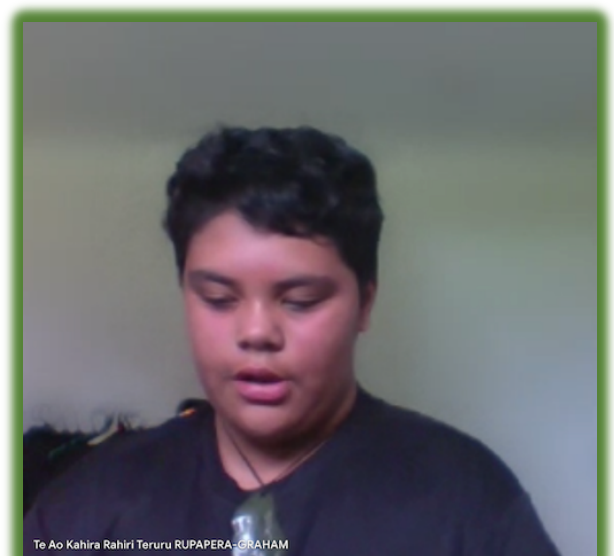
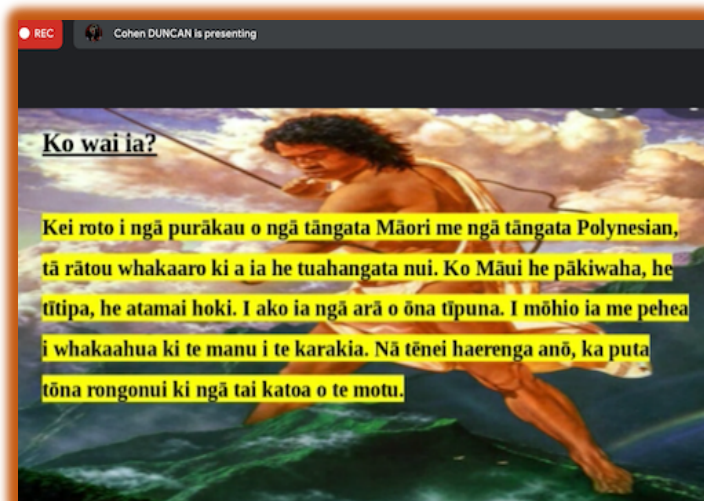
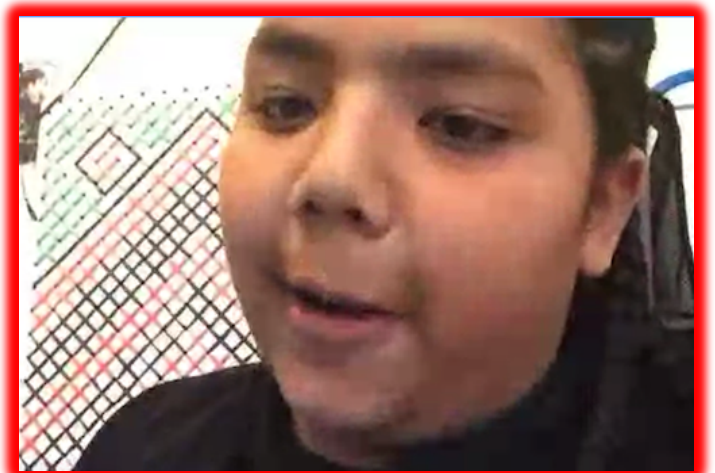
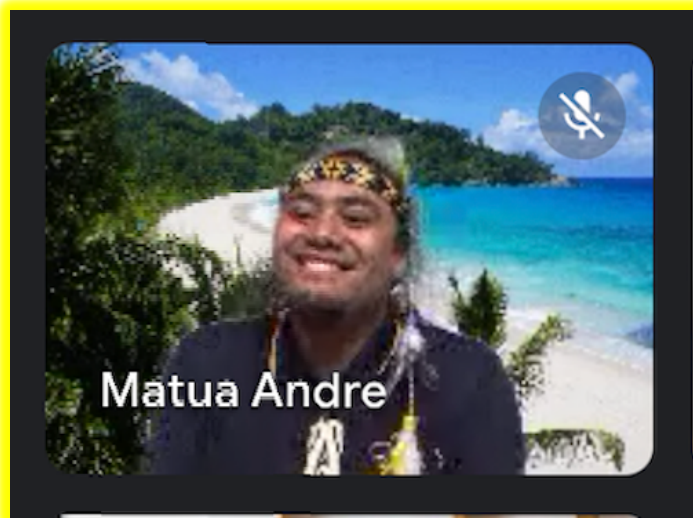
Super, super proud of our tamariki and their ako! Again, highlighted today, we witnessed the beautiful and extensive range of tauira strengths. What a hoot, that Kahoot game is, Matua Andre'! We think you'd be a great Kaihautū on TV!

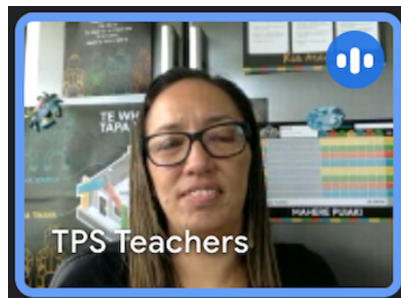
This week Whaea Lee shared that even though in lockdown, she has continued to be inspired by the tamariki and energised to be creative with her own mahi. Creativity is so very essential for our hauora – our taha hinengaro! Thank you Whaea Lee, thank you tamariki. Matua Andre' also reminded us that there has been a focus on harikoa – happy, upbeat engagement in ako. Being affirmative with our tauira and with each other is also essential for our taha hinengaro ❤️



Video competition!

What a highlight! Our assembly closed with the uplifting Waiata "Wairua" with kanikani clips put creatively together by the team and taura. Tino, tino pai tō mahi koutou! Fingers, eyes, arms, legs crossed for the competition! 🙌🕺






Ako Celebrations included:

Some of the photos have been taken during the live performance (sorry for the fuzziness). Mō ētahi whakamārama, toro mai ki tā mātou pae tukutuku! For more info, visit our **Teachers' and Te Puna Wairua Class Sites!**

- Karakia
- Hīmene
- Pepeha – Tamehana
- Kanikani – guest Tyla-Marie Witika, thank you for teaching the tauira this wiki!
- Pūrākau – Cohen with the help of his mum. Rangona ai ngā pūrākau mō Māui me āna mahi huhua puta noa i Te Moana-nui-a-Kiwa
- Maramataka waiata – cool way to enjoy singing about the months of the year Whaea Saf
- Poi – Lydia: ataahua e hine, beautiful, agile poi mahi
- Whakataukī – Kahira: new to TPS and WOW, clear, confident kōrero
- Tukutuku panel – Milan: 'niho taniwha' a timely reminder of our need to kaitiaki papatuanuku
- Te Wairua video – Te Puna Wairua staff and tamariki video compilation
- Closing acknowledgements, Karakia kai

'Me ka moemoeā au, ko au anake. Me ka moemoeā tātou, ka taea e tātou – If I am to dream alone, I would only benefit. If we are to dream together, we can achieve anything' (Princess Te Puea Hērangi).



School Values Award

Kaitiaki Ako & Whanaungatanga

Proudly awarded to...

Whaea Lee, Whaea Saf, Matua Andre',
Te Puna Wairua tavira & whānau!

Tino pai tō mahi koutou - the excellent celebration of te reo Māori, not just this week, but everyday you are leading us 🤗👍❤️

Dr Johnston

Principal | Tumvaki

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Friday 17 September 2021

Kia pai te mutunga wiki.
Fa'afetai tele lava, thank you, alofa tele ❤️🌸
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