



Planning for Remote Learning – Important Information

This Friday 27 March is officially the end of Term One. The following two weeks will become School Holidays.

Term Two will now commence remotely on Tuesday 14 April 2020 which takes us to the third week of the nation's shutdown.

From this time the Seesaw App will be your 'go to' for tasks, activities, suggestions and relevant information in regard to your child's remote learning.

From the app you will receive 'family' notifications for children each day. From there, children can see the tasks and can respond to the teacher via the app when necessary.

We expect there to be a variation of how much time children spend on these tasks during this period. It is not reasonable to think that children will be sitting completing these tasks for six hours every day. Please use your discretion to suit what is taking place in your household.

Most parents are already connected to Seesaw. If you aren't you can email me: principal@onekawa.school.nz and I will send you a code to connect.

For the remainder of this week we suggest some simple ideas to keep children busy such as: drawing pictures, doing some baking, playing board games and making learning fun through play.

Also, there are several websites that provide fun learning activities. Here a just a few you could try:

<https://nzmaths.co.nz/maths-kete> NZ Maths website – simple activities for families

<https://www.arcademics.com/> A cool website with lots of interactive maths games

<http://www.scholastic.com/teachers/story-starters/> Ideas to write fun stories

Thank you all for your amazing support. We wish you all the best and look forward to providing remote learning from Tuesday 14 April.

Nga mihi nui

Steve Bloor
Principal