## Week Seven, Term Three

# HIGHLIGHTS!

#### **BOOK WEEK**

We have had such a fantastic week celebrating Book Week! From being snug as a bug at our evening event with milo and biscuits, the fantastic costumes students wore and the literacy quiz, where students shone as they shared their book knowledge. There has been so much joy around books and reading. Grandparents' Day was a highlight, with a wonderful turnout for the costume parade and the chance for students to share their learning in the classrooms. A huge thank you to Janelle and Amy for baking all the scones – they were very much enjoyed!

### THIS WEEKS TUI VALUE RESILIENCE

We have been focusing on the importance of noticing and acknowledging our feelings. When we understand our emotions, we can make better choices for our own wellbeing and show empathy towards others. Recognising fleets - whether happy, sad, excited or worried - helps children build resilience, communicate clearly and strengthen relationships. At home you could ask:

- What feelings did you notice in yourself today?
- How did your feelings affect the way you acted or the choices you made?

#### **SPEECHES**

We are incredibly proud of our speechmakers this year! A total of 9 senior students and 5 middle school students stood confidently in front of an audience to share their speeches, showing great courage and skill. Congratulations to each of them for their effort and delivery. A special congratulations goes to Tessa, Esme and Rico who have been selected to represent us at the country cluster speech finals, which will be held next week at Tauwhare School – what an amazing achievement!



Our amazing speechmakers this year! We all learnt so much from your informative and persuasive speeches.



Well done to our runners who represented us at the Country Cluster Cross Country event today!

A huge thank you to Miss Dawber for organising all of our cross country events.





