

RIMU TEAM NEWSLETTER TERM 2 2010

Rimu Team teachers would like to warmly welcome back Mrs Dhaliwal. She will be teaching in Room 4.

LUNCHES

It has been great to see students with healthy lunches. We continue to encourage children to bring a balanced lunch. Sandwiches or similar, fruit and water are also good. Cookies and chippies are allowed but we ask that these are in **small quantities only please.**

There will be no lunch ordering as our lunchroom is no longer operating. Please ensure your child has a healthy lunch every day.

READING, READING, READING

Please read daily with your child, sign their Reading Log and make sure this comes back to school the following day. If they do not bring a book bag they are unable to take a new reader home until this is returned to school.



What We Do Impacts On Others.

We have discussed things that people do such as being kind, dropping rubbish and how this impacts on others. This term we are also looking at what we can do to improve natural play areas in school and how this impacts on others. We will use De Bono's 6 Thinking hats as a tool during discussions and decision making activities.

Topics

Technology - How can we improve our school environment to make it more fun? Parents are welcome to suggest ideas and come and help with practical work. Please see your child's class teacher.

We are investigating ways in which we can make play areas at school more interesting for children. This will be a major Inquiry topic running throughout Term 2.

Mathematics –Geometry Number Knowledge and Strategies

Writing Genres – Procedural, Reports, Narratives and Recounts

You Can Do It – Confidence

Natural Disasters – We will spend week 7 of this term looking at what to do and how to protect ourselves in the case of disasters such as earthquakes, tsunamis and fires.

Lost Property

Please name your child's clothing and encourage them to check they bring all their clothing home at the end of each day.

