



MAYFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Kia ora, Talofa lava, Malo e lelei, Namaste, Fakaalofa atu, Bula, Kia orana, Mauri, Nihao, Salam, Sawasdee, Kumusta Kayo, Hola, Xin chao, Vanakkam, Choum reap sor, Ming-gah-lah-bahr, Akkam, As-salaam 'alykum

Principal's Message

Talofa lava, Kia Ora and warm Pacific greetings to all our families and caregivers, As we come to the end of our first wonderful term in 2026, I would like to take a moment to thank all of our families for your continued support of our school. Together, we have had a fantastic and successful term, and it has been wonderful to see our community working in partnership to support our tamariki.

A special congratulations goes to the 56 students who attended our attendance celebration trip in recognition of achieving 100% attendance this term. This is an outstanding effort and something to be very proud of. Regular attendance is one of the most important ways we can support our children's learning, and we thank our parents and caregivers for helping make this possible.

We would also like to congratulate the many students who received academic achievement awards this term. Your hard work, dedication and commitment to your learning have been outstanding. We are incredibly proud of the effort you continue to show in your classrooms each day.

To our parents and families, thank you for your encouragement, support and partnership throughout the term. Your involvement makes a real difference in the success of our students and the strength of our school community. We look forward to another exciting term ahead as we continue to grow, learn and celebrate success together. I am proud to share some positive highlights from our recent Education Review Office (ERO) report. The review acknowledges the progress our school has made and affirms the strong direction we are moving in as a community that places our tamariki at the centre of everything we do.

The report recognises the strength of our curriculum and learning programmes, which reflect the languages, cultures and identities of our students. At Mayfield School, we are proud of our Pacific and Māori heritage and continue to ensure our children see themselves, their families and their cultures valued in their learning experiences. ERO also acknowledged that our learners benefit from good quality teaching that supports progress in reading, writing and mathematics. This is a direct reflection of the dedication and commitment of our teachers and support staff, who work tirelessly every day to support the success and wellbeing of our children. I would like to sincerely thank our amazing staff for their passion, care and professionalism. Their commitment to ongoing professional learning in areas such as structured literacy and mathematics continues to strengthen teaching and learning across our school.

I would also like to acknowledge and thank our Mayfield School Board for their leadership and support. Their investment in resources, including digital learning tools and improved systems across the school, helps ensure our students have the opportunities they need to succeed both now and in the future. The report also highlights the caring, respectful and inclusive learning environment we have at Mayfield School. Our school values of Relationships, Resilience, Responsibility and Respect guide the way we work together and help create a strong sense of belonging for our students. As we look ahead, we will continue focusing on strengthening student attendance and improving achievement in reading, writing and mathematics, while maintaining the strong partnerships we have with our families and community.

Thank you to our parents, caregivers and whānau for your continued support. When we work together, we create the best possible future for our children.

We welcome Mrs Cissy Sione, our brand new School Ready Teacher who will open up room 1, day one of term 2. We look forward to working closely with the Ted Manson Foundation and thank our School Board who will continue to support and provide resources for this new entrance – Year 0 space.

We wish all of our families a very blessed Easter and a relaxing, safe, and joyful school holiday break. We look forward to seeing everyone back, refreshed and ready for Term 2, on Monday 20th April 2026.

"Ka mahi pai mātou ina mahi ngātahi mātou" *We work best when we work together*

Ngā mihi nui,
Mrs Meritiana MacShane
Principal
Mayfield Primary School

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Congratulations to all our Award Winners from our Term 1 Principal's Golden Assembly – 2nd April 2026

Academic Excellence Award Winners

Room 2: NJ Unasa
Room 3: Lynn Tuia
Room 4: Eva Kerridge
Room 5: Dulcie Tei
Room 6: Brinseirapalagi Sua
Room 9: Fiasili Tarako
Room 10: Jana Kerridge
Room 11: Leinati Tuia
Room 12: Franziska Veamatahau
Room 13: Poppee Heta
Room 14: Skylar Tusini-Teura
Room 15: Evannah Laupau
Room 16: Ebenezer Vaiola

Outstanding Effort Award Winners

Room 2: Nanafua Lealaogata
Room 3: Maro Coronel
Room 4: Arabella Tatupu
Room 5: Ethan Prasad
Room 6: Elora Mataia
Room 9: Atelaite Leota
Room 10: Nieannah Sue
Room 11: Donnica Viliamu
Room 12: Terisa Tanoai
Room 13: Nathaniel Kerisiano
Room 14: Layla Kelsall
Room 15: Kadaeiuz Leafe
Room 16: Zion Afuie

100% Attendance in Term 1 – Award Winners

Room 2: Nafanua Lealaogata, Iunisi Piutau, Velonika Piutau & Solialofi Tauega
Room 3: Lynn Tuia & Zayne Levi
Room 4: Tepaita Sateki
Room 5: Lotovale Sua & Manila Viliamu Latu
Room 6: Brinseirapalagi Sua, Norman Unasa & Elora Mataia
Room 9: Shaloriel Ma'a, Eiki Mailangi & Susan Vake
Room 10: Tui Kerisiano, Jana Kerridge, Ace-Kortez Makahopokia-Tiatoa & Nieannah Sue
Room 11: Legion Cecil, Milika Faka'osita'u, Paul Peleti Tiatia, Donnica Viliamu, Leinati Tuia
Room 12: Semu Tomasi
Room 13: Nathaniel Kerisiano, Brenda Iese, Mila'Jae Makahopokia, Joseph Sue, Killarney Tatupu, Keanu Teaukura, Ellasharn Tutaki Telea, Juvana Utuvai, Tyson Terekia
Room 14: Laylah Kelsall, Sinalei Maa, Roiho Shortland, & Arman Iman Hussein
Room 15: Koby Clark, Kaia Kerridge, Siutaisa Mavae, Aimyra Rakitu, Yvonne Unasa, Siona Viliamu Latu, Teokotai Faui & Zion Levi
Room 16: Zion Afuie, Silu Apelila, Rose-Ana Fa'au, Sefo Mailangi, Albert Sue Jainaff Mohamad Kamal, Hine Roberts-Shortland, Teariki Teaukura Caprii Down-Cassidy



Have a safe holiday – See you all on Monday 20th April 2026

Ngā mihi nui
Mrs Meritiana MacShane
TUMUAKI / PRINCIPAL