



ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL

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Our Vision

Love



Aroha, Learn



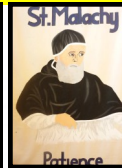
Ako, Serve



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Our Mission Statement

St Paul's School Massey provides quality education for children in a Catholic community committed to Gospel Values.



Jubilee, Year of Hope

Hope for Aotearoa, New Zealand

For our nation, that we may work together to create a society rooted in justice, equity, and kindness. **May hope unite us.**

For the tangata whenua and all peoples of Aotearoa that we may walk together in unity and understanding. **May hope build our future.**

For our environment that we may be responsible kaitiaki (guardians) of God's creation. **May hope renew the earth.**

Hope for our school

For our community, that we may always be a place of welcome, belonging and love. **May hope flourish here.**

For our mission as Catholic educators that we may inspire and guide with faith and hope. **May hope light our way.**



Do to others as you would have them do to you.

Luke 6:31

Newsletter No: 07 – Week 08 – 19.03.2025

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Email: office@stpaulsprimary.school.nz

Facebook: 'St Paul's School, Massey—Events'

Hello, Kia Ora, Tālofa lava, Mālō ē lelei, Annyong (Korean), Namaste, Privet, Ni Hao, Hola (Spanish), Kamusta (Filipino), Bula vinaka (Fijian), Muraho (Rwandan), Apa kabar (Indonesian), Hallo (Dutch), Fakaalofa lahi atu (Niuean), Kia Orana (Cook Island), Minggalaba (Myanmar), Akwaaba (Ghanian), Dobro došli

Term One

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| 30 Jan | Reading Nights begin |
| 17–28 March | Life Ed Caravan is here |
| 19 March | Cluster Swimming Competition at Oratia School |
| 20 March | 50 Reading Nights |
| 22 March | Filipino Practice in the school hall 9.00-12.00pm |
| 25 March | Cluster Touch Tournament at Swanson School Rain day 27 March |
| 27 March | 7.00pm PTFG Meeting. Information on the attached flyer |
| 30 March | Community Mass at St Paul's Church 10.30am, 162 Waimumu Rd, Massey |
| 2 April | 11.15am Sacrament of Reconciliation |
| 11 April | Teacher Only Day—No School |
| 11 April | Last day of Term One |
| 28 April | First day of Term Two |

Week 08

Kia ora koutou e te whānau o Hāto Paora,

Over the last few weeks our children have been learning and planning their class garden. This learning is part of our Science programme and care for our environment. Many of the gardens have added art pieces. Over the next few weeks the children may be adding to their garden, caring for their garden and at the end of the term the winning class will have hot chips for lunch.

Upkeep and care for the gardens will continue for the year. In this way all children are responsible for caring for the environment.

We have a large number of children who have chosen to be part of our culture groups. So a large number of costumes need to be sewed. **If you have sewing skills can you please contact the office.** The school has bought the materials and the designs are very simple.

Mary Zellman Continued...

Upcoming event:

School Community Mass on Sunday 30 March at 10.30am, at St Paul's Church, 162 Waimumu Rd, Massey. This is an opportunity to pray and worship as a community. We all need prayers. I am sure you all have family members or friends who need our prayers too. The children will be giving you an invitation soon.



Please continue to be careful in the carpark. Drive slowly and reverse park, keeping a watchful eye out for any pedestrians. It is great to see parents using the pedestrian crossings and holding on to their children while walking in the carpark.

Please note: Teacher Only Day

Friday 11 April

Ngā mihi nui.

Mary Zellman

Principal

Reading Nights:

25 Nights: Kalin Reupena, Yoha Choi, Bella Jones, Leon Haigh, Francis Holt, Vivian Shin, Tina Nguyen, Isaac Zang, Paul Kuata, Lucy Piovan-Kehoe, Chloe Dey.



Attention Year 6

Parents and Caregivers

Transition from Year 6 to Year 7

As we support our tamariki in their transition to Year 7, we kindly remind you to ensure your child is enrolled for their next school (2026) by the end of Term 1.

For our feeder schools:

- St Dominic's College – Enrolments close 11 April
- Liston College – Enrolments close 30 May

Ensuring your child's enrolment is confirmed will help make their transition smoother and provide them with confidence about their next steps.

Thank you.

Absent?

If your child is away, use the @school app. If you do not have it, or are having trouble logging into it, or have lost your password/logon, please email the office: office@stpaulsprimary.school.nz and we will help you. Thank you.

Our Feeder College

Open Evenings:

**Liston College Open Evening -
Wednesday 19 March 6:30 pm**

**St Dominic's College Open
Evening -**

Thursday 20 March 6:30 pm

Sports results:

St Paul's Panthers lost 36-8 POD: Aranui Muller

Hoop Heroes lost 36-20 POD: Nadia Webster, she played great defence and showed great courage!

St Paul's Disciples WON 34-8 POD: Brooks Carlisle

St Paul's Hotshots lost 8-4 POD: Oscar Tagalao

St Paul's Saints WON 25-9 POD: Taane Manukau



St Patrick's Day



2025 SCHOOL DUES

**Stationery is overdue.
Please pay immediately**

Year 1: \$50

Year 2-3: \$65

Year 4-6: \$70

New to school? Add \$15 for book bags

Term Fees are due at the **end of each term.**

Term Fees \$148 per term (Including \$15

Special Character Contribution),

total: \$592 per year.

AUTOMATIC PAYMENT:

It is strongly recommended that you organise your child's dues to meet your financial commitment to the school.

You are welcome to commence a weekly/fortnightly payment plan for your child's fees and stationery. Consistent automatic payment will help by spreading the cost throughout the year.

Please contact our finance administrator, Leony, at office@stpaulsprimary.school.nz for assistance in calculating your Automatic Payment.

Bank Account:

ST PAUL'S SCHOOL (MASSEY) BOARD

12 3085 0310721 00

Ref: Name/Fees

Uniform Shop

Open: Friday only

8.00 - 9.00am

Cash/Eftpos

Please note that the uniform shop prices reflect the latest costs from our supplier, embroidery and shipping.

Year 5 and 6 students must wear the school PE shirt (\$16.00) for Physical Education lessons.

SPARE CLOTHES

Please bring spare clothes for your child in his/her bag (including underwear).

It does not have to be school uniform.



**The Life Ed Caravan
arrived on Monday the 17th
March for and will be here for
two weeks
and the children will have
two lessons with Harold the Giraffe.**

Correct Uniform

Please ensure that your child wears correct and clean uniform daily including their shoes/sandals.

By respecting the uniform, our students show respect for their peers, teachers and the school community. It fosters a sense of belonging and inclusivity.



Think of others and bring your pocket money to school and put in the Caritas box.

Mary Zellman—Principal