ST PAUL'S SCHOOL

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Our Vision

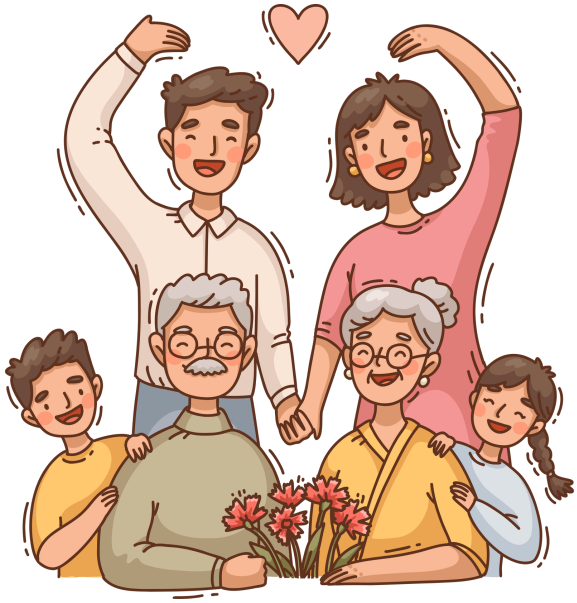
Love  Aroha ; Learn  Ako ; Serve  Mahi

Our Mission Statement

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



Thank you



for coming to our inaugural Whānau Day!

"God saw all that He had made, and it was very good."

Genesis 1:31

Newsletter No. 36 – Week 06 – 18 November 2026

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Email: office@stpaulsprimary.school.nz

Hello, Kia Ora, Tālofa lava, Mālō ē lelei, Ni Hao, Namaste, Annyong (Korean), Privet (Russian), Hola (Spanish), Kamusta (Filipino), Bula Vinaka (Fijian), Muraho (Rwandan), Apa Kabar (Indonesian), Hallo (Dutch), Fakaalofa lahi atu (Niuean), Kia Orana (Cook Island), Mingalaba (Myanma), Akwaaba (Ghanian), Dobro došli (Slovenian, Croatian), Xin Chào (Vietnamese), Noa'ia (Rotuman), Mauri (Kiribati), Amakuru (Kirundi), Ia Orana (Tahitian), Dia Dhuit (Irish), Sze'p napot (Hungarian).

Term 4

20 Nov	Room 5 Liturgy
26 Nov	Celebration of Sport at 6.30pm
27 Nov	Room 3 Liturgy
1 Dec	Sacrament of Reconciliation
2 Dec	Year 6 Retreat
4 Dec	• Celebration of Learning 2.45-5.30pm • Disco 6.00-7.30pm
8 Dec	Year 1 and 2 Athletics - to be confirmed. Parents will be welcome.
9 Dec	Year 6 Graduation and Thanksgiving Mass, 9.15am
11 Dec	**Last day for 2026 and Prizegiving at 11.05am approx.**
3 Feb	**First day of school**

Week 06

Kia ora koutou e te whānau o Hato Pāora

Yesterday was a brilliant day. It was wonderful to see so many extended family members, especially grandparents. There was lots of feedback about how learning had changed over the years. Some examples:

- more technology
- lots of buddy and group learning
- learning is fun
- positive interactions between teachers and students

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- whiteboards not black boards
- encouraging and supportive environment

Just to name a few things.

The Culture Group performances were great last night. Many thanks to our talented staff. We raised $2,749.80. Thank you to the community for your support.

I have short story to share with you all that speaks to us about inclusion. Over the past three years, Matthew Yu, one of our Year 6 boys has participated in Kapa Haka, Pasifika and Filipino groups. He is Chinese. He loves learning about other cultures and over the years has participated in the groups with joy and enthusiasm. Thank you Matthew for your learning mindset and being a wonderful role model.

Congratulations to our Athletics Team who represented St Paul's School at the Cluster Athletics Competition last Thursday. We came 1st. I attended the whole day and I was really proud of all our athletes. They supported one another through the day. Go St Paul's School!

Thank you to the PTFG for our sausage sizzle last week. We raised $885.

Ngā mihi nui

Mary Zellman

Principal

Sports Results

St Paul's Saints lost 23-31, POD: Yoha Choi
St Paul's Warriors WON 38-22, POD: Bronx Waikiki
St Paul's Hoop Heroes WON 28-16 POD: Erica Lakra
St Paul's Apostles lost 34-8, POD: Joel Kwon and Jackson Moore
St Paul's Little Legends lost 14-22 POD: Tukaha Hei Hei
St Paul's Warriors won 44-20 and POD was Jai Love

Reading Nights



25 Nights: Amanda Arellano.
75 Nights: Hannah Lijo.
125 Nights: Birdie Paewai.
150 Nights: Semisi Johnson.
200 Nights: Aaliyah Kuata, Sophia Good, Harmony Edwards, Jaxson Sunderland, Bodhi Tuimavave-Clarke.
225 Nights: Faith Moimoi, Georgia Hukui, Ira Jimenez, Wynter-Rose Ford, Aldreik Sanchez, Justin Reyes, Ryesen Garcian, Cooper Laureano, Aurora Hawkins-Smith, Georges Abdo, Foheloa Funaki, Hedy Koch, Liam Apacible, Isabella Magnampo, Migen Umali, Christine Lian-Zaw, Micah McQuoid, Lose Faeamani, Ashley Ropati, Jai Love, Madeleine Dalton, Emma Edginton, Veronica Abdo, Damian Allen-Baines, Hayley Salazar, Ollie Luzada, Cassandra Falcon, Micaela Magwa, Lucia Kim, Jaelene To, Izayah Hei Hei, Coreen Encarnado, Nalexi Posimani-Itunu, Jeremiah Edwards, Joseph Bosnic, Bodhi Tuimavave-Clarke.



Last Day for the Uniform Shop 2026

The last day for the uniform shop this year will be **Friday, 4 December 2026, 8:00AM to 9:00AM.**
It will open again in February 2027.



Scholastic Book Order

Reminder to parents/ caregivers who would like to order from Scholastic:
20th November - Last day to order for Issue 7
27th November - Last day for order for Issue 8

School Dues

2026 fees balance must be paid before 30 November 2026 (less than 2 weeks).

Term Fees $153.50 per term
(including $17.50 Special Character Contribution).
Total: $614 per year.

If you arrange an AP with Mrs Leony, PLEASE DO NOT STOP until you receive a notification.

Contact our finance administrator,
Mrs Leony, at office@stpaulsprimary.school.nz for any information in regards to fees.

Bank Account:
ST PAUL'S SCHOOL (MASSEY) BOARD
12 3085 0310721 00
Ref: Name/Fees



Photolife - School Photos

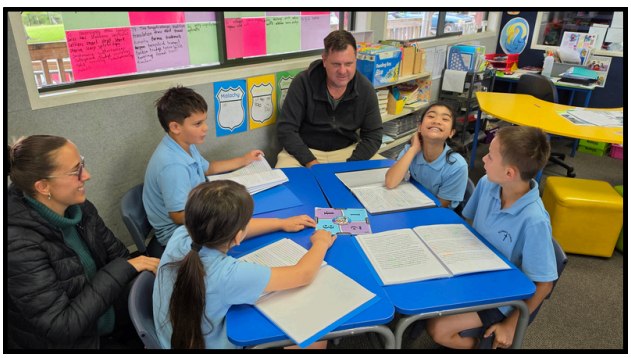
Parents/ Caregivers should have received emails from Photolife on 15 November with the code to purchase school photos. Please check your spam folder as well. You have until **Sunday, 29 November** to order to receive free delivery to school.













Uniform Policy applies to boys and girls

Please be mindful of our policy regarding:

- No nail polish
- Hair touching the collar must be tied up with a blue or black hair tie. Black/blue headband may be worn.
- Black shoes and blue socks
- Black sandals (please no socks with sandals)
- School hat

2026/2027 ENROLMENTS

Are you sure your next child is on our waiting list for the end of this year or next year? Check with the office. Thank you.

Term 4 - No Hat No Play in the Sun Policy

Please ensure that your child(ren) has/have their school hat ready to wear. Hats are available to purchase from the Uniform Shop (open every Friday 8:00am-9:00am). **They are $15 each**.

What a diverse community we live in.

Mary Zellman - Principal