

## **NELSON CENTRAL SCHOOL - 2023 PLACEMENT**

...... will be in Room 12 with Lynley Walters

## **WELCOME TO Room 12**

December 2022

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Your child has been placed in Room 12 for 2023. I am excited about the new year ahead, and am looking forward to working with you to ensure your child has a productive and enjoyable year.

2023 Start of year is going to look slightly different from what you may have experienced in previous years or other schools. We are going to run our first 2 days as Whanau Connect days, on 2nd and 3rd of February. This will be an opportunity for all families to book a time to meet with their classroom teachers before school starts and share information, goals and aspirations for the year. Each of these hui will be 20 minutes to allow time for quality conversations. Information regarding booking a time will come out once children are given their 2023 class information.

2nd and 3rd February 2022 - Whanau Connect Hui (see above)
7th February 2022 - First full school day for all students.
7th February 10 am -Mihi Whakatau for all new whanau and staff

It is understandable that some children are anxious about a change of school, new teacher and classroom. Your positive attitude to these changes will play an important part in the children settling quickly and coping with the changes more readily. At the beginning of the year our focus will be on building a safe and strong relationship, establishing classroom routines and expectations. To assist in this, it is helpful if the children have their stationery requirements on Day 1. This will mean that the settling process can start straight away and they are not unnecessarily worried or stressed.

We are hoping that the school pools will be available for swimming from the start of the year, so it would be great if the children could have their togs everyday from the beginning of the year.

If you have further questions, please contact me on: lwalters@nelsoncentral.school.nz

I wish you a wonderful Christmas and New Year and a safe and enjoyable holiday time! Kind regards, Lynley Walters



## Room 12 2023 Stationery List







Homepack (new to school only)