



Mangere Bridge School Newsletter



Term 3 – Week 1
Friday 3rd Aug

SURVIVOR MANGERE BRIDGE: If I understand I can plan

Welcome back to Term 3 and a warm welcome to all our new families. We have been deeply involved in Survivor Mangere Bridge these last two weeks and children have been working hard to perfect their survival skills!

After the visit from the dog squad Ella and Lilly worked in Makerspace and were able to successfully programme a speed drawing of the Police dog. They encourage you to follow their instructions and have a go...

How to customize a sprite for a speed drawing project.

- First search for and open this website and click on create: <https://scratch.mit.edu/>
- Start with a new sprite by clicking the paintbrush icon beside 'New Sprite:'.
- Click on your blank sprite and open the costume tab.
- Select the customisation tools as needed and start drawing the first few shapes of your creation.
- Draw a few details and shapes in each costume
- To create a new costume click the paintbrush icon under 'New Costume:'
- Colour in your sprite if you want to or need to

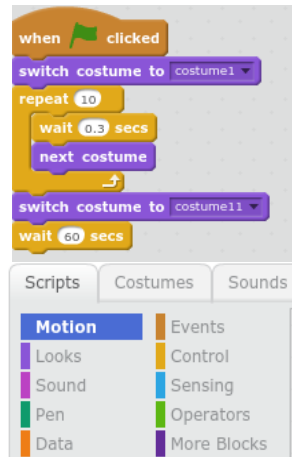
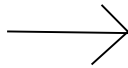


How to code the script for your speed draw project.

To code this speed drawing, click the tab which says "Scripts" And use the script options, to copy our script.

All code is colour coordinated.

Instructions by Ella Smith Rm11

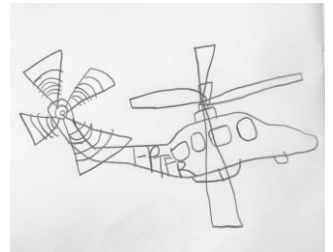


The Police Dog Visit

By Lily Schoone Room 11

As we walked in our orderly line, the sounds of aggressive dogs barking echoed through the playground. We stood in anticipation and three men in police uniform talked to us about their job as officers of the NZ police dog squad. Then the action happened!

One of the police dogs performed an exercise called 'heel', then another exercise called 'search' where the dog followed the scent of a missing person to find them. Lastly, one of the officers wore a protective arm sleeve and then pretended to be a criminal trying to escape. The trained dog ran and locked its jaws onto the officers protected arm and dragged him down to the ground. It was a powerful thing to witness!



Westpac Helicopter – by Seteone Fonua Rm6



Police Car – by Regan McFarlane Rm6



We worked together to build a shelter in Rm6 – it is a great learning space too!!



Spot this Rm15 camouflaged person!!

PTA Notice/News

We wanted to thank our MBS whanau for supporting our first school Disco Night. Feedback was that it was a great success and we managed to raise just over \$2000, which will be going towards funding our goal of a covered outdoor learning area.

Our next PTA meeting is next Thursday 9/8/18 at 6pm in the staff room. Enter through the door by the library. All welcome.

Fundraising dates for this Term:

Hell Pizza Lunch-Thursday 9/8/18

Movie Night-Early Sept-Date and Movie to come.

Cross Country Sausage Sizzle-25/9/18

Disco-End of Term 3.

As always we need volunteers to make these events happen. We will put up specific dates, times and type of help required closer to the time, but feel free to email mbspta@mangerebridge.school.nz to register your interest in helping and we will add you to the Friends of the PTA mailing list.

Thanks for your continuous support!

Your MBS PTA

Reporting to parents @MBS

On Monday 6th August you will be receiving your child's Mid year report about their progress in reading, writing and mathematics against the New Zealand Curriculum and the goals they set at the beginning of the year.

On the 14th and 21st of August Whanau Conferences will be held. **School will finish at 1.00pm on both these days.**

These conferences are for the whole family to attend **including the student** so that they are able to celebrate their learning with you.

If you haven't already booked, please find the booking information below.

Term 3 Calendar

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sa t/S un
Week One 23-27 Jul	Powhiri for New Students					
Week Two 30-3 Aug	Community Swim Kereru & Tui Whanau	COOK ISLAND LANGUAGE WEEK	COOK ISLAND LANGUAGE WEEK	COOK ISLAND LANGUAGE WEEK	COOK ISLAND LANGUAGE WEEK Newsletter Assembly hosted by Rm 16	
Week Three 6-10 Aug PEACE WEEK	Community Swim Kereru & Tui Whanau Mid year Student Reports are sent home.	MOSA Football Room 14 & 4 Community Swim		PTA Hells Pizza Lunch PTA Meeting-6pm-7pm SD MOSA Football	SURVIVOR MUFTI DAY (Netball fundraiser)	
Week Four 13-17 Aug	Community Swim Kereru & Tui Whanau	1-6pm Whanau Conferences Room 14 & 4 Community Swim	Potential teacher strike	New Entrant Visits	Newsletter Assembly hosted by Rm 10	
Week Five 20-24 Aug	Community Swim Kereru & Tui Whanau	New Entrant Visits 1-6pm Whanau Conferences Room 14 & 4 Community Swim		New Entrant Visits		
Week Six 27-31 Aug	Powhiri for New Students Community Swim Kereru & Tui Whanau	Room 14 & 4 Community Swim		MOSA Rugby	Newsletter Assembly hosted by Rm 3	
Week Seven 3-7 Sept	Tongan Language week Community Swim Kereru & Tui Whanau	Tongan Language week Room 14 & 4 Community Swim	Tongan Language week PTA Movie Night 6-7:30pm	Tongan Language week SD MOSA Rugby	Tongan Language week	
Week Eight 10-14 Sept	Te Wiki o Te Reo Maori Community Swim Kereru & Tui Whanau	Te Wiki o Te Reo Maori Room 14 & 4 Community Swim	Te Wiki o Te Reo Maori	Te Wiki o Te Reo Maori PTA Meeting-6pm-7pm	Te Wiki o Te Reo Maori Newsletter Assembly hosted by Rm 11	
Week Nine 17-21 Sept	Community Swim Kereru & Tui Whanau	Room 14 & 4 Community Swim		New Entrant Visits		
Week Ten 24-28 Sept		School cross country event PTA Sausage Sizzle New Entrant Visits	5pm-7pm Survivor Mangere Bridge Evening Event.	New Entrant Visits	Newsletter Assembly hosted by Rm 7	

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Book School Interviews Online

Mid Year Whanau Conferences will be held at the following times on Tuesday 14th August and Tuesday 21st August.

1:30pm - 6:00pm. Interviews are 15 minutes' long

Please Note: School will close at 1.00pm on both these day

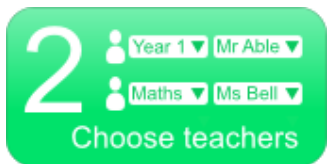
Your Whanau Conference will be a three-way conversation between you, your child and the teacher.

To book your Whanau Conference, go to www.schoolinterviews.co.nz/code in your browser, and enter the event code **73gga**. Then follow these three simple steps:

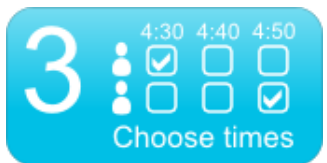


First enter your name, your student's name, and your email address.

If you need to book for more than one student, change the "Book for 1 students" setting, and enter the other student's name.



On the next page, pick your child/children's teacher you want to meet and then press "Go"



Then you'll see a timetable showing when your chosen teacher is available. Simply click on the times that suit you and then press "Go"

When you have finished, your interview timetable will be emailed to you. And you can return to the site and enter the event code **73gga** again to change or cancel your interviews.

If you don't have internet access, please return the form below with your preferred time slot to the School office.

Please circle the day and time slot you would prefer for your interview.
Tuesday 14th August and Tuesday 21st August. Interviews are 15 minutes' long

Tuesday 14th August

Tuesday 21st August

1.30 – 3.00

3.30 – 5.45

Child's Name: _____ Room No: ____ Parents Name: _____

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