



Important dates Term 2

Kia ora koutou

It is once again a busy term for us all at Te Aroha College. It has been very pleasing to hear our students talk about their successes across a whole range of activities and events recently. What has been most pleasing has been more and more students talking about how well they are doing academically and wanting to try harder to get better results. This is great and I want to focus more on that topic in our next newsletter.

To keep you all informed about some important dates this term that may have an impact on your family/whānau. The PPTA industrial action continues with the rostering home specific year levels. We also have our parent/teacher conference planned for week 6.

I empathise hugely with all students, families/whānau and teachers about the time away from school that our students are experiencing this year.

May 25 - Year 11 students rostered home

May 29 parent/teacher conference preparation (**Under review, confirmation early next week**)

May 30 parent/teacher conferences - scheduled meeting with parents and students, details to follow soon

May 30 - Year 13 students rostered home

June 1 - Year 12 students rostered home

June 6 - Year 10 students rostered home

June 8 - Year 9 students rostered home

June 28 - planned PPTA strike day, no students at school however supervision will be available.

We are also having two non-uniform days to support some very worthy organisations:

Friday May 19 - Students Against Dangerous Driving (SADD - <https://www.sadd.org.nz/>) and Pink Shirt Day (<https://pinkshirtday.org.nz/>). Both of these days are important for highlighting the wellbeing of our students.

Friday 26 - As part of the school spirit week

Many thanks for your patience with these changes to our normal school routines.

Senior Leader Team