

# YEAR 7 & 8 - TERM 2 2024

# SUPER TUESDAY



During Term 2, we will all be participating in Super Tuesday during Period 5 and 6. Before we go on holiday, you will get a chance to identify your top 3 choices. Have a look at what is on offer and decide your favourite.



## Mosaic

With a focus on caring for the environment and celebrating our partnership with Māori culture, we will be designing and making mosaic. We'll use recycled materials and natural goodies like small rocks to build something awesome.

But remember it's not just about making cool stuff – it's about being kaitiaki, guardians of the Earth. How can we symbolise this message? Join us as we create, protect, and learn together!

## The Wonder of the Bush

### In The Bush:

Students will learn to feel comfortable in the bush through developing some basic survival skills and understanding. You will learn knife skills, rope skills, bush cooking, and how to build a safe shelter.

### For The Bush:

Students will learn about the range of different predators in the bush. You will learn how to track predators, identify the different types and where they are. We will then build and set traps in the identified areas.

### From The Bush:

Students will learn about the heart of nature and the ways in which it can benefit us. This may include weaving harakeke, learning about traditional rongoa and making products such as kawakawa balm.



## Robots: Scratch and Art

Get ready for an awesome time in our Super Tuesday class! We'll be diving into two exciting activities: learning Scratch, a fun way to code games on Chromebooks, and creating Recycled Art. Start collecting boxes, bottles, and lids—anything you can find. Let's turn our trash into treasure!

In Scratch, you'll learn to bring your game ideas to life through coding. And in our Recycled Art projects, we'll unleash our creativity by transforming old materials into something new and exciting. So, join us for coding, art, and the chance to win prizes! It's going to be a blast!



## Building Bonds with E-Pro8, Sphero and Lego

Lets embark on an exciting journey with our Tech/Engineering Adventure course! Discover the thrill of robotics, engineering and coding as you explore the world of E-Pro8, Lego and Sphero. Through collaborative activities and hands-on learning, we will develop essential technical skills but also foster meaningful relationships rooted in the principles of whanaungatanga. Join us for an unforgettable experience where innovation meets connection!



## Sports Academy

Hey there! Welcome to our awesome Waihi College Yr 7 & 8 Sports Academy 2024! Our mission is to make sports super fun while also helping you become the best athlete you can be!

We're all about teamwork, trust, and sticking to our goals. We'll learn how to take care of ourselves with healthy eating and exercise. By working hard and being responsible and accountable, we'll unlock our full potential in all kinds of sports and activities! Let's get moving and have a blast together!



## The Art of Storytelling

Do you love to create colourful art? Would you like to be a part of a team who tell their story through the prints they create? Then nau mai, haere mai. We will be telling our stories through prints that will create an amazing wall hanging.

Which story? The story that best suits this group. It could be about You, Us, or it could be a theme such as Kaitiakitanga or Kotahitanga. It could be an artistic retell of a story that we all enjoy ? Or maybe it will be a wall hanging that showcases the uniqueness of each of us. Come along and join us on our arty storytelling trail, then celebrate our collective creativity when we unveil the wall hanging in Week 10.