

AKO ITI NEWSLETTER

Learners motivated to achieve and succeed.

Help Wanted

The Ako Iti teachers use many books to teach our children reading. We are looking for some parents who would be willing to help us put away these books after they have been used. If you are able to help, please see the office. We will train you up. Even 15 minutes would make a huge difference.

Earlier this week a notice went out about PMP. If you can help, please fill in the form on Signee or see the office.

Winter Months

We know that our children love to play. We also know that they seem to find the puddles and mud especially interesting in winter. Could you please ensure that your child has a change of clothes in their bag. Although we endeavour to discourage them getting wet and dirty, sometimes it just happens!

Resources Needed

Could you please help us collect these resources for our Inquiry next term.

* Glad wrap or handy towel rolls

* Corks

Our Learning in Term 3



During Term 3, all Year 1 and 2 children will take part in the 'Get Firewise' programme. It focuses on:

- safety around matches and lighters
- safety near fires
- understanding that fire can be dangerous
- knowing what to do if there is a fire in a room
- practising evacuating from a room in a fire emergency.

During this programme we will be supported by the NZ Fire Service. A booklet will also be sent home for your family to discuss together.

Movement Inquiry

For our Inquiry we will explore and explain 'movement' by:-

- developing our understanding about how things move and how we can make them move.
- developing our understanding of the scientific method

We will explore movement through the concepts of Gravity, Push and Pull, Wheels and Axles, Air and

