



The Brilliant Learners



Wahanga Tuarua, Wiki Tuatahi | Term 2, Week 1, Friday 17th April 2020

Kia orana, Kia ora, Malo e lelei, Talofa lava, Namaste, Fakalofa lahi atu, Bula vinaka, Ni hao, An Yeoung ha se yo, Greetings to our Brilliant Learners whānau and friends...

Our first week of Term 2 Flat Bush School Distance Learning is done and dusted. It has been great receiving emails and photos from Faiupu, Simrah and Gwenavea this week! You'll see what home learning looks like in the Seau, Kumar and Whaanga bubbles later on in this newsletter. Keep checking the [school website](#), particularly our class page: [Room 12](#) to see how learning at home is going for your Room 12 peers.

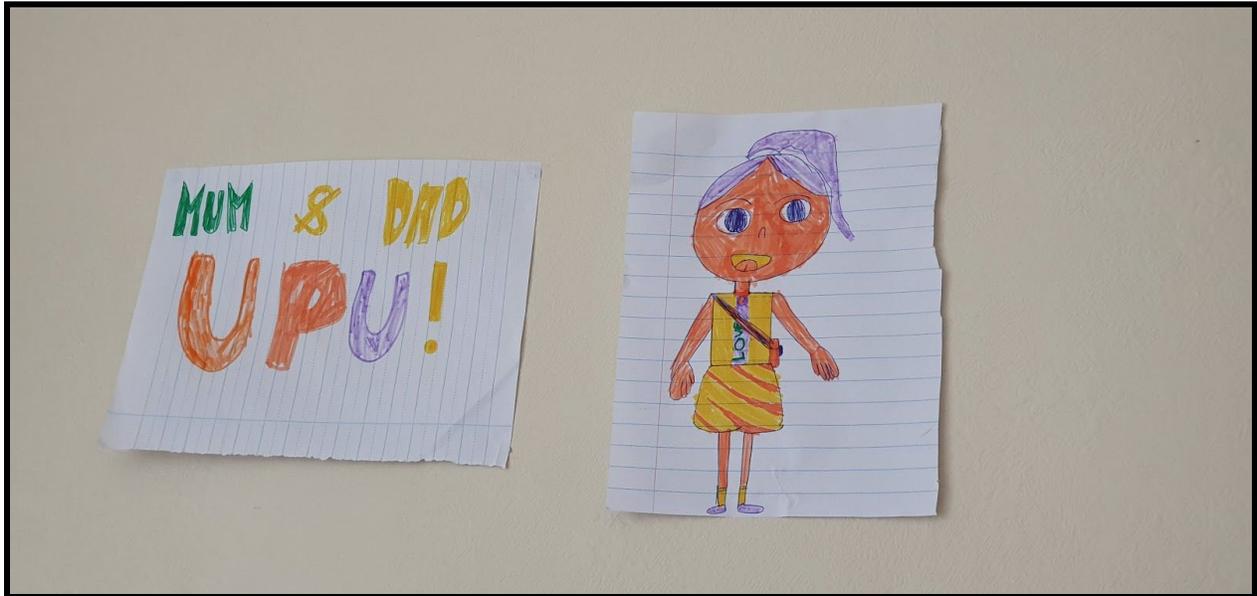
New Distance Learning activities for Week 2, Term 2 will be available on the [school website home page](#) soon. You can work together with your aiga on a range of tasks (aligned to our six school values) at a time that suits you!

For those of you with access to the internet, you can log on to [StudyLadder](#) to access Handwriting, Spelling and Mathematics online learning tasks. Your studyladder username and password in your learning packs that you took home before lockdown.

Remember you can also tune into TV 2 +1, The Home Learning TV channel. It is free to air on TVNZ Channel 2+1 and [TVNZ](#) on demand. It runs from 9am to 3pm Monday to Friday. For physical activity sessions, your options are a Les Mills class from 9-10am on TV1 or Born to Move on TV2 at 3pm (Monday to Friday).

Don't worry if you haven't heard from me yet, I'll be giving you a call early next week! You can also continue to keep in touch via email: elisap@flatbush.school.nz. **He waka eke noa, We are all in this together!**

FBS DISTANCE LEARNING WITH THE SEAU AIGA



17.4.20 Today's Activities

Here is a picture I drew.

Hi Miss Patterson

I did some studyladder yesterday and I did the 9am Les Mills exercise with my Nana and my brothers. Last night I did an activity called would you rather with my mum and brothers.

Today, I did a book activity that came in the mail yesterday and when it's my turn on the device I will do more studyladder.

Here's a photo of my activity book that I got in the mail.

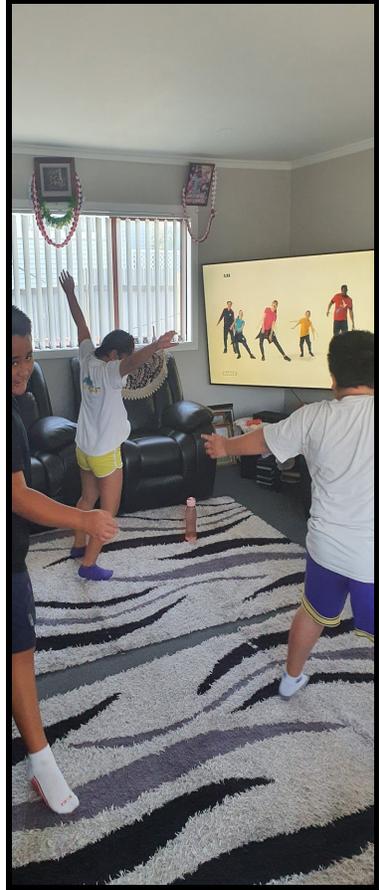
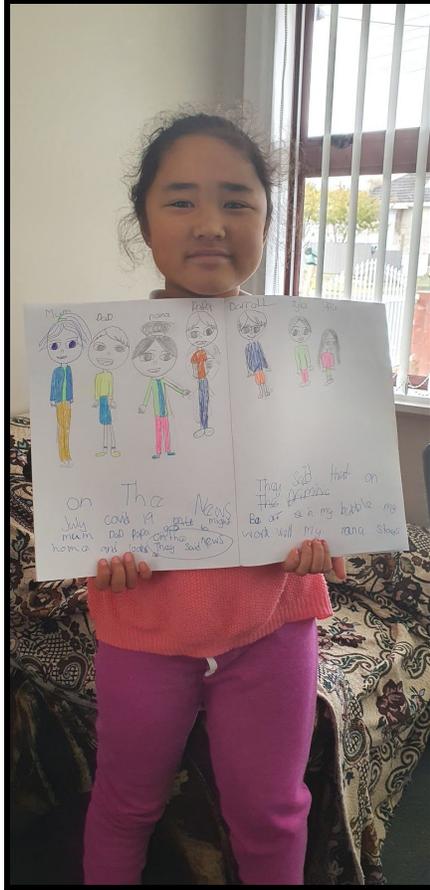
Hope you are well and take care

Faiupu



15.4.20 MISS PATTERSON GETS EMAILS AND PHOTOS...

Faiupu got straight into her home learning, drawing a picture of her bubble, including the name of her aiga: Mum, Dad, Nana, Papa, Darrell, Tyler and Upu. She also wrote about what her and her family learnt about Covid-19 after watching the news together. Faiupu, Mum and I got to chat about what we have been up to during Lockdown. At 3pm Nana, Darrell, Tyler and Faiupu tuned into 'Born to Move' on TV2 for some physical activity. Have a look at the photos below. Check out @dtfseaucrew Tik Tok dance video clip too!





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Today me and my dad and brothers did some gardening outside while we planted vegetables.



Thursday 16th April 2020

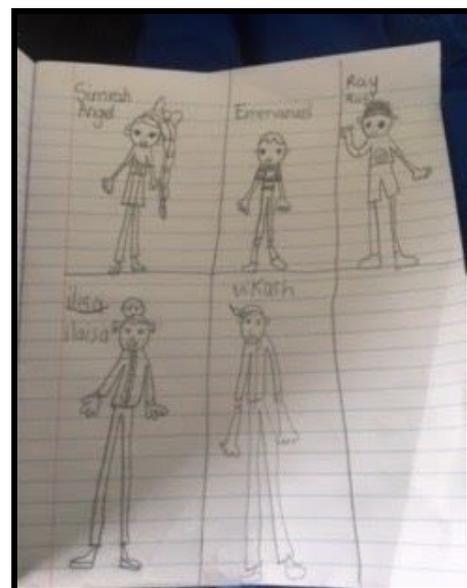
Today me and my family went for a walk at the botanic garden. We took a photo of a plant which is called a monkey puzzle tree that can live for 1000 years and grows to 50 metres high.



Wednesday 15th April 2020

During the lockdown, family and I have been playing outside in the

afternoon. Every day in the morning I do chores around the house and we also do gardening. We do home school at home and we do learning at home. My parents taught me their language, my mom teaches me the Samoan language, my dad teaches me Fijian and Hindi. Me and my brothers role play about a story called the giving tree. We also go for walks in the park every day. We watch movies about whales. One of the chores I do is washing the dishes.



FBS DISTANCE LEARNING WITH THE WHAANGA WHANAU

Thursday 16th April 2020

Tènà koe Miss Patterson,

Thank you for your email and sorry for not talking to you yesterday. I was a bit shy because I have not had a call from my teacher before.

I am well in my bubble. There is me, nana, daddy, Uncle André and his partner Max. We also have 7 pets. Our dog Oki, my kitten Silly Billy, two other cats Cattie and Squiggles, a bird named Manu and two rabbits Harpo and Salt.

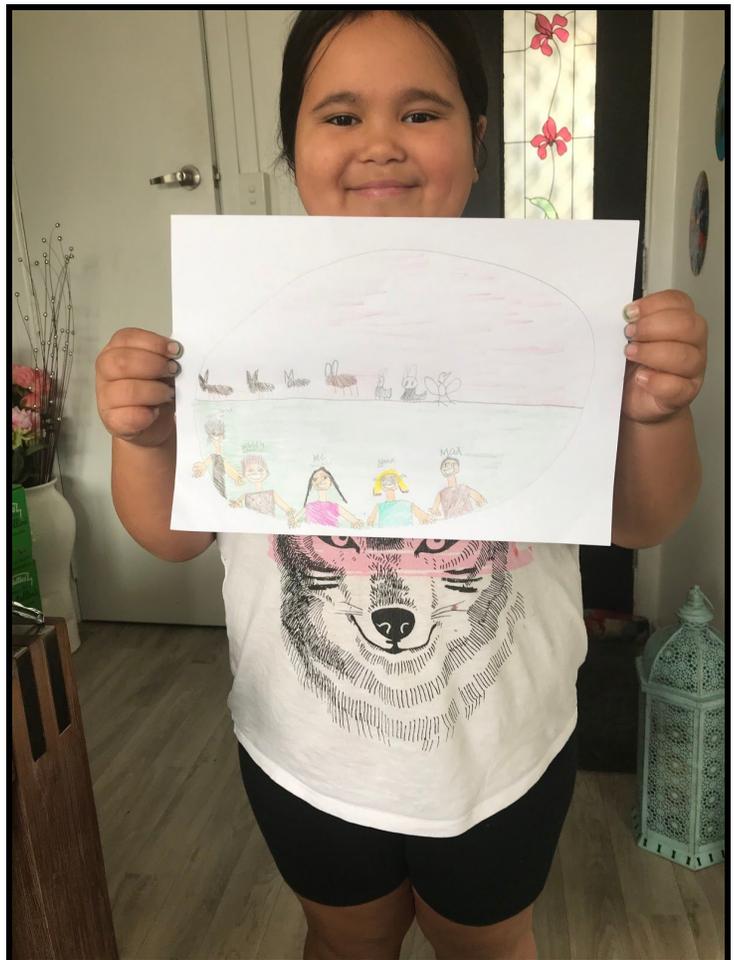
I have had many lazy days but also some working days. I have been on a couple of walks with nana and have been trying to keep moving around the house. Uncle André took me to the supermarket two times but I have not been back since because the lines were too long and it was boring.

My whānau and I have also coloured in some easter eggs for the Great New Zealand Easter Egg hunt and I even helped to clear out Nana's room ready for painting and wallpapering. It looks great with the new paint.

I am still waiting for my learning package to arrive so hopefully it comes tomorrow.

I am missing school and my friends. Can not wait until school starts again.

Ngà mihi
Gwenavea Whaanga



KEEP IN TOUCH

Here are the email addresses again, just in case you are wanting to get in touch with each other.

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SUPPORT FOR FAMILIES

The following services are available to support our Maori and Pasifika communities during Covid-19.

The Fono: Contact Ana, Email: ana.aitcheson@thefono.org Mobile: 021 956 633 (Relief packages)

Papakura Marae: Open Mon-Fri 10am - 2.30pm 09 297 2036 (Food parcel delivery)

Manukau Urban Māori Authority (MUMA): Open Mon-Fri 10am - 2.30pm, Location: Nga Whare Waatea Marae, 31 Galthorp Close, Favona, Manger (Food parcel pickup - Must bring ID, wait in car until instructed by team)

Have a FABULOUS weekend everyone!



Ko Kahuranaki raua ko Whakaturia oku maunga. Ko Te Ngaruroro te awa. Ko Te Moana Nui a Kiwa te moana. Ko Takitimu raua ko Ngatokimatawhauroua oku waka. Ko Ngati Kahungunu raua ko Ngapuhi oku iwi. Ko Whaturapiti raua ko Ngatiwai oku hapu. Ko Kahuranaki raua ko Tuparehuia oku marae. Ko Elisa Waina Patterson toku ingoa.

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