

Maranatha Christian School

Fortnightly Friday Flyer



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New Zealand ShakeOut Drill

This month we are taking part in New Zealand ShakeOut, our national earthquake drill and tsunami hikoī, at 9.30 am on 18 October. We will be practising our Drop, Cover and Hold drill. We are also taking part in the New Zealand ShakeOut Schools Challenge, organised by the Ministry of Civil Defence & Emergency Management and the Earthquake Commission. Your child will be bringing home a Challenge booklet, to work through with their whanau so we're prepared for an emergency. Take a look at it, have a go, and complete what you can, including the Our Plan section, then sign the Challenge checklist, cut it out and return to school before the end of October. We have prizes for everyone who returns their signed checklist. Find out more at www.shakeout.govt.nz.

Looking Ahead...

Monday, 15 October	First day of Term 4
Monday, 15 – 19 October	LifeEd Bus here all week
Thursday, 18 October	Shake Out Day Drill
Monday, 22 October	LABOUR DAY – NO SCHOOL
Monday, 29 October	Cut-off date for Term 3, 2019 enrolments (refer attached)
Wednesday, 31 October	ASB GetWise Financial Literacy day
Monday, 19 November	School Photos (note change of date)
Thursday, 6 December	Year 8 Graduation
Tuesday, 11 December	Prizegiving at Hope Centre
Wednesday, 19 December	Last day of Term 4. School finishes at 1.00 pm.



Term Dates for 2019

Term 1:	31 January – 12 April
Term 2:	29 April – 5 July
Term 3:	22 July – 27 September
Term 4:	14 October – 18 December

*“You have searched me Lord, and You know me.
You know when I sit and when I rise;
You perceive my thoughts from afar.
You discern my going out and my lying down,
You are familiar with all my ways.”
Psalm 139: 1-3*

