

# Meet the Teacher Evening Room 2 2019 Tess Kirkham

Tuesday 12th February

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5.30 Event starts- Parenting Place speaker- Hall

Meet the Teacher- Classroom Session 1-6.05 to 6.30

Change-over time (5 mins)

Meet the Teacher- Classroom Session 2 6.35 to 7pm

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# Purpose of the Evening

- -For us to get off to a good start in our 2019 relationship
- -To gain a better understanding of what happens in Room 2
- -To meet one another and set up effective channels of communication



### About Tess Kirkham

A little about me.

This will be my third year teaching at PMPS.

- I love teaching and working with children of all
- ages.

I live very close to school and attended both BBI and Macleans College.

I am from a family of educators.



# About Team Puriri;

Room 1: Miss Kim (Y1)



## Room 2: Miss Kirkham (Y2)

Room 3: Ms Farmer (Y3, Team Leader)

Room 4: Miss Wilson (Y2/3)



# Upcoming Events;

- -Family Picnic (next Tuesday 19th)
- Puriri Assembly (29th March, Week 8)
- Conferences (Week 10)





## Our learning this year...

**Term 1 Unit :** Being part of a community (environmental)

Term 2 Unit: Kitchen Chemistry - changes

Term 3 Unit: Looking at Traditions and what they mean to us

Term 4 Unit : Story telling





#### Lines of Communication;

The best way to contact me is via email BUT I am generally in the classroom from 8.00 am each day. My email address is <u>tessk@pmps.school.nz</u>

• **Dojo** - join via email - let me know if haven't received invite email



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Keep in touch with day to day events at PMPS through Facebook, WeChat and the Skoolbag App.

Our school website is Regularly updated with news, events And useful information.





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# **Student Agency**

- Goal setting in writing and handwriting
- Choice in classroom
- Leadership in year 3
- Talking about their learning





#### Our school values and PB4L Class Matrix;

<ul> <li>Respect</li> <li>I can keep our classroom tidy</li> <li>I can listen to the speaker</li> <li>I can put my hand up if I have something to say</li> <li>I can use an quiet voice</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Responsibility</li> <li>I can keep my hands and feet to myself</li> <li>I can look after others</li> <li>I can look after my things</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Excellence</li> <li>I can always try my best</li> <li>I can keep my books neat and tidy</li> <li>I can help my class work well together</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Resilience <ul> <li>I can try new things</li> </ul> </li> <li>I can ask questions even if they seem silly <ul> <li>I can try again and again</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



# Homework Expectations;

**Reading** every night - need bookbags at school **Poetry** on weekends

Go to the library - choose own books

Talk about **maths** in everyday life

- Number on houses
- While cooking or baking Optional: access to **mathletics**



# Our library day is: Friday.

# Please bring library books back to school on Thursday.

### **Absences and Lateness**

If your child is absent, please contact me by email or notify school through email, the parent portal, or telephone (you can leave a message). If you are running late, please contact school, and sign your child in at the office.



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#### Any Quick Questions...