

# HPC e-Bulletin

22 May 2020

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Kia ora koutou  
Dear Parents and Whānau

It was good to welcome students back to school this week and am so impressed with how the vast majority of them have settled quickly into their work and also respected the 'back to school' rules. We have learnt a number of lessons, particularly around clarity and flexibility in delivering the learning and now working on how we might put the lessons learnt into practice back at school.

Next week is another **block week** for students. We found that it enabled them to settle quickly into the learning and limited movement for hygiene reasons. We are continuing the block week structure next week. Can you remind students that Monday they need to bring their books and equipment for their normal Monday periods 1 and 3 classes.

**Junior Reports** for Term 1 were made available online over the lockdown period. If any parents were unable to access these, please contact [studentservices@haurakiplains.school.nz](mailto:studentservices@haurakiplains.school.nz) or phone the college office (07 867 7029). A subject teacher report evening will be held later in the term for Junior students.

**Junior Certificate and Diploma:** Years 9 and 10 will receive a hard copy information sheet to bring home on Tuesday 26 May of how they are tracking in their Junior Certificate and Diploma with regards to their Grade Point Average. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your child's River Guide.

**Senior Progress Reports:** Senior Progress Reports will be available online next Tuesday at 9am for parents and whānau. An instructional letter will be emailed on Monday guiding you through the online report process. The purpose of this report is to inform students and caregivers where each student is at in terms of NCEA.

We will be holding **senior** subject teacher interviews for caregivers / students to 'meet' with teachers. This will be happening next Thursday 28 May 4-8pm, or alternatively a Google Meet or phone call can be set up. To book online for a face to face interview go to [www.schoolinterviews.co.nz](http://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz) and use the code: **c46z6**. Appointment cards will be sent home next week or for the other options mentioned please email [studentservices@haurakiplains.school.nz](mailto:studentservices@haurakiplains.school.nz)

**Students at Home:** If you are needing to keep your child home for a further week under COVID-19 Level 2, can you please let the school know [studentservices@haurakiplains.school.nz](mailto:studentservices@haurakiplains.school.nz)

**Online Learning:** As we still have some students at home, teachers will continue to put the week's learning online in Google Classroom by Sunday evening. Please be aware that staff may structure the learning for the two blocks for each subject rather than for each day.

**Sports:** We are waiting on a government decision which will be made next Monday 25 May which may impact on sports moving forward and will let students and community know as soon as we are able to what arrangements we are making.

Ngaire Harris  
PRINCIPAL

*"It's Friday – Time to go make stories for Monday"*