



WHAKAMARU SCHOOL

Growing Creative Thinkers

Tēnā koutou ngā whānau o te kura o Whakamaru.

Whakatauki o nga Marama - Phrase of the month

Ko te manu e kai ana i te miro nōnā te ngahere
Ko te manu e kai ana i te matauranga nōnā te ao
The bird that consumes the Miro owns the forest.
The bird that consumes knowledge owns the world.

Just like that the term is over and what a term. Highlights from the term have been the election of our board, junior trip and sleepover, All Black trip, Cross Country and the South Waikato Cultural Festival. It was great to see so many of our own whanau and the other Pinelands families at our school for what turned out to be a glorious day. We really enjoyed re-connecting with you all and see the restrictions lifted on schools to allow this to happen on such a special day.

It has been sad to see the latest reports in the media around school bullying. As you will be aware this is a challenge in most schools but we also have procedures that we follow to ensure the wellbeing of our students. Please rest assured that this is one thing our staff work hard on, to ensure this is not a big issue at our school. See our policies and procedures on our 'School Docs' site (go to our school website to access this site)

We are holding a Teacher only day on Friday 21st of October (Labour weekend) in term 4. As a school we have received funding to modernise our school learning spaces. So on this day our staff (BoT included) will be visiting schools to get a plan together to start the process of updating our classrooms.

I have put out a Community Consultation on our Health and PE programme (Google Form), please have a go at completing this form, a link has been placed on Clasdojo and you may have it in your email inbox

I am wanting to hold a School **Working bee** in the holidays, Wednesday 12 October see page 7 for details. I would really appreciate any help if you are available.

Oxford Pies—A reminder that order forms and payment to be received by Friday 7 October. Please note that the office will be open from 9am to 12 noon on Friday 7 October if you need to drop in an order form. Email orders can be sent to elval@whakamaru.school.nz and internet payments will need to be made by 12 noon Friday 7 October.

See the back page for Term 4 calendar.
Swimming pool will be open on day one of term 4.

Ngā mihi
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NEWSLETTER T3
Week 08-10 2022 #5

Supreme KAAHU kids



Nathaniel Aryunda
Week 06 Term 3



Isaiah Palangeanu
Week 07 Term 3



Hayden Riri
Week 08 Term 3

Maunga Ropu Term 3 Winners



15870



14160



14100



14070



Kyran Doig
Week 09 Term 3

Term 3 2022 Week 06 & 07 KAAHU Awards

KNOWLEDGE SEEKERS

We...

- are curious
- are creative thinkers
- investigate
- ask questions
- research
- inquire
- are effective
- are initiative
- are problem solvers

Pallas (K)

HIGH ACHIEVERS

We...

- do our personal best
- practise excellence
- show perseverance
- have a growth mindset
- 'a can do attitude'
- set S.M.A.R.T. goals
- strive to reach our goals

Isaiah (H)



**Supreme KAAHU KID
Nathaniel Aryunda
Week 06**

K.A.A.H.U. Kids are ACCOUNTABLE

We...

- manage ourselves appropriately
- practise integrity
- organise our time effectively
- complete tasks
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- are respectful
- are kind
- are caring
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Kyran (Acc)

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Alizae (Acc)

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McQuinn (H)

ALWAYS RESPECTFUL

We...

- are respectful of ourselves
- are respectful of others
- are respectful of property
- are respectful of our environments
- use our manners
- treasure other people and the way they live
- are respectful to be respected
- Ko au whaka ko koe no au

Cody (Ar)

K.A.A.H.U. Kids are UNIFIED

We...

- cooperate with others
- work together as a team
- collaborate
- help others
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Paddy (U)

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Millie (U)

Maunga	Junior Students WEEK 6
Pureora	Pallas Hulton
Titiraupenga	Isaiah Palangeanu
Tongariro	McQuinn Colipano
Tauhara	Cody Sillis



*Assembly hosts
#06 Term 3 2022
Darcy & Tobyn*

Maunga	Senior Students WEEK 6
Pureora	Kyran Doig
Titiraupenga	Alizae Whare
Tongariro	Paddy Parkes
Tauhara	Millie Parkes

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Azril (K/U)



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Isaiah Palangeanu
Week 07**

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Ardent (H)

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Hosea (A/Ar/H)

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Tobyn (H)

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Corvo (Acc)

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Tahani-Rose (Acc)

Maunga	Senior Students WEEK 7
Pureora	Darcy Mackey-Namana
Titiraupenga	Azril Maulana
Tongariro	Tobyn Ransfield
Tauhara	Corvo Oka-Smith



*Assembly hosts
#07 Term 3 2022
Odina & Olivia*

Maunga	Senior Students WEEK 7
Pureora	Ardent Perez
Titiraupenga	Hosea Mackey-Namana
Tongariro	Paddy Parkes
Tauhara	Tahani-Rose Anderson

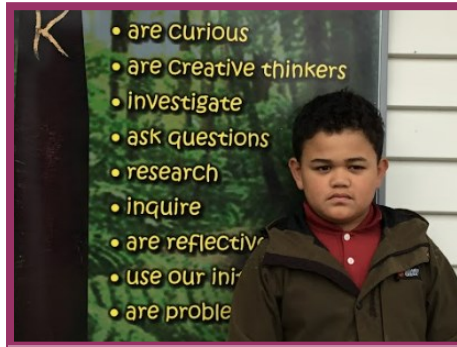
Term 3 2022 Week 07 & 09 Awards



Jaden (A)



Odin (H)



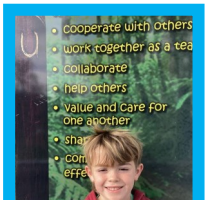
Supreme KAAHU KID
Hayden Riri
Week 08



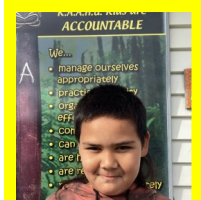
Rolly (H)



Grace (H)



Tobyn (U)



Kohatu (Acc)



Dana (Ar)

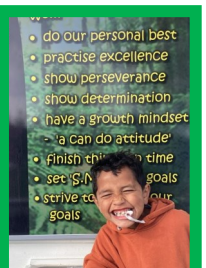


Amitiel (Acc/H)

Maunga	Junior Students WEEK 8
Pureora	Jaden King
Titiraupenga	Odin Karauna
Tongariro	Tobyn Ransfield
Tauhara	Kohatu Murray



Maunga	Senior Students WEEK 8
Pureora	Rolly Te Oka Reti
Titiraupenga	Grace Harcourt
Tongariro	Dana Swann
Tauhara	Amitiel Colipano



Darcy (H)



Logan (H)



Supreme KAAHU KID
Kyran Doig
Week 09



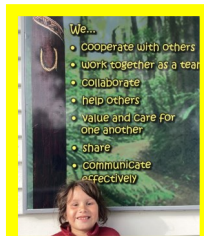
Chika (Ar)



Alizae (Ar)



McQuinn (Ar)



Corvo (U)



Pippa (Acc)



Millie (K/Ar)

Maunga	Junior Students WEEK 9
Pureora	Darcy Mackey-Namana
Titiraupenga	Logan Brolly
Tongariro	McQuinn Colipano
Tauhara	Corvo Oka-Smith



Assembly hosts
#09 Term 3 2022
Paige Dana

Maunga	Senior Students WEEK 9
Pureora	Chika Aryunda
Titiraupenga	Alizae Whare
Tongariro	Pippa Wilkinson
Tauhara	Millie Parkes

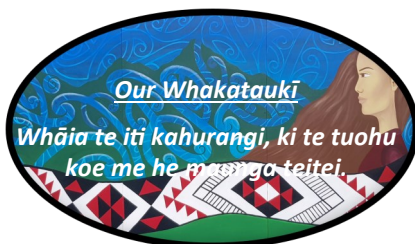
Wk 07 Certificates	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 5
Achievement Certificates	Daziah Tanirau	Tia-Maree Turfrey	Noah Karauna	Evie Williams, Hunter Mankelow, Teneti Brass, Odin Karauna, Kohatu Murray
Caught Being Good Duffy Certificates	Zaharah Riri	Millie Parkes	Alizae Whare	Odin Karauna Olivia King

Pinelands Cross Country on Friday of WEEK 8 so no School Assembly for certificates

Wk 09 Certificates	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 5
Achievement Certificates	Ardent Perez	Dana Swann	Darcy Mackey-Namana Odin Karauna, Robbie Aldworth, Tahei-pearl Anderson, Tobyn Ransfield, Madison Makelow, Musica Perez	Teneti Brass Evie Williams
Caught Being Good Duffy Certificates	Kyran Doig	Paige Carmichael	Teatairehia Tanirau	Hunter Mankelow



Two of our student high achievers—Logan Brolly receiving a trophy from Motor Cross and Paddy Parkes's Taupo Sports rugby team receiving a team award at the 'Global Rugby Tournament' held in Taupo. Congratulations boys.



Pursue that which is precious and do not be deterred by anything less than a lofty mountain.

KAAHU KIDS

WE ARE CREATIVE THINKERS WHO ARE.....

Knowledge seekers (K) - He tangata whai matauranga

- * are curious, inquiring and reflective

Always respectful (Ar) - He tangata whai manaaki

- * To ones self, others and property.

Accountable (Acc) - He tangata whai whakaaro

- * Towards ourselves, our actions and our words.

High achievers (H) - He tangata piki ake ki te teitei

- strive to show excellence, personal best and perseverance

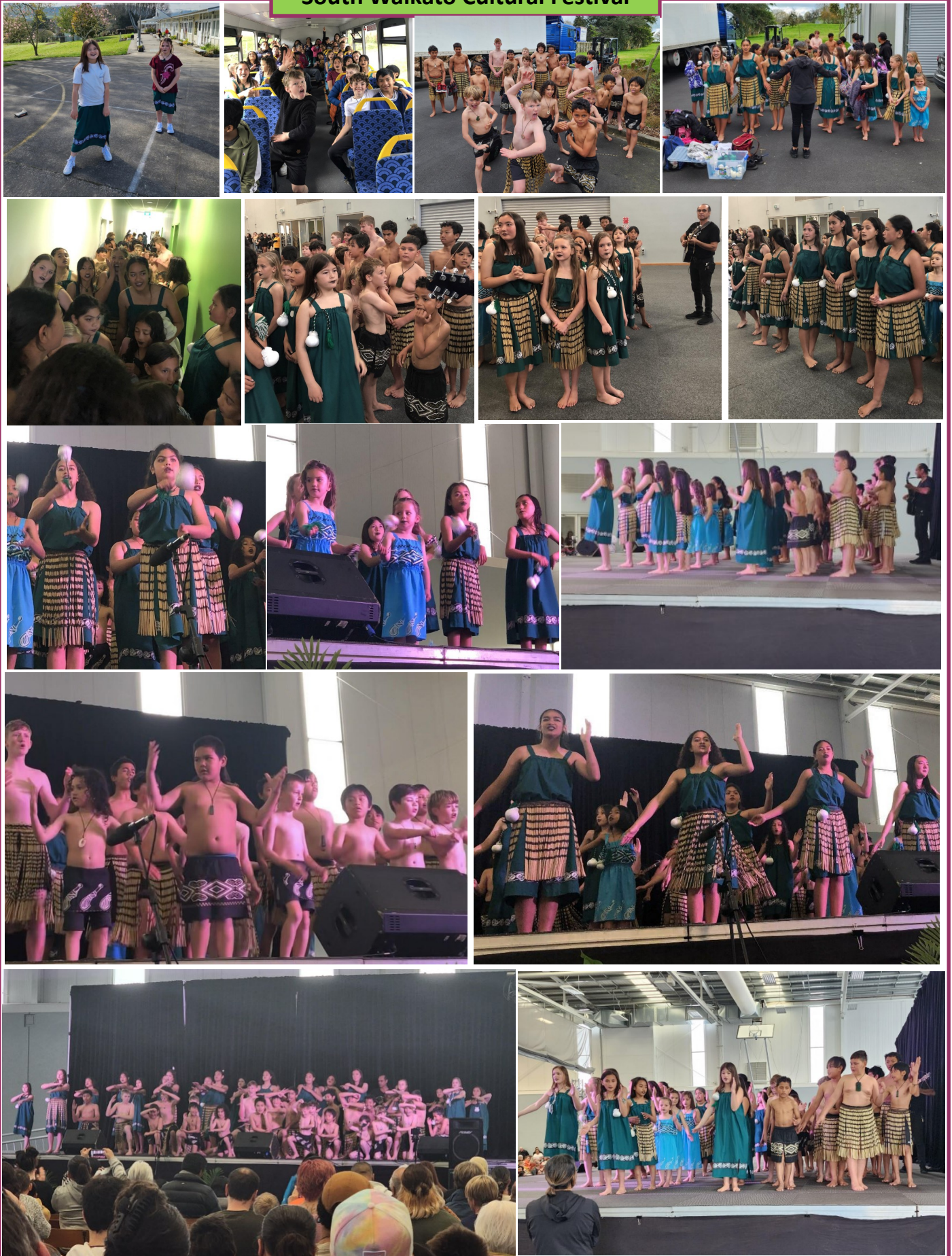
Unified (U) - He whānau kotahi

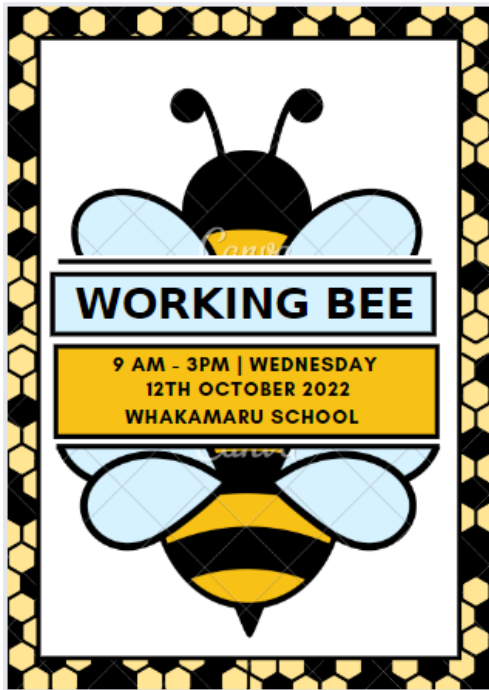
- by working together, showing teamwork for the benefit of all.

Pinelands Cross Country



South Waikato Cultural Festival





Working Bee

List of jobs

- Build edging around the new playground
- Tidy gardens and trees—trim hedges, prune trees
- Clear out of rubbish and tidy room 7
- Move bark piles into gardens or native bush area.

Tools to help

- Post hole driller
- Hedge Trimmer and/or chainsaw
- Shovels or spades-
- Trailer's

BBQ Lunch will be provided and some refreshments at the end of the day.

If you are able to help please contact Matua James by text or call him on 0272906536



HEAVIEST CALF COMPETITION

2022 UPDATE

Extra Info

The 2022 Whakamaru School Heaviest Calf Competition is underway. Reminder all funds raised go directly towards our school's farm bus. It has been great to hear that a number of farmers have started rearing calves for this competition. Please see 'Enter a calf or calves' information to help confirm that you have a calf for pick up in December.

CURRENT TROPHY HOLDER

- Wairarapa Moana Farm 03 - Jay Arfin - 194kg

THINGS TO CONSIDER

- A spring born calf
- Friesian Bull (preferably)
- Pick up of calves will be the first week in December

Enter a calf or calves

If you have a calf taking part in this competition and fundraiser please text, email or message on ClassDojo, Matua James, your number of calves, Farm number or address.

email: jamesw@whakamaru.school.nz

Text : 027206536

messenger on classdojo

Thank you for your support
Matua James



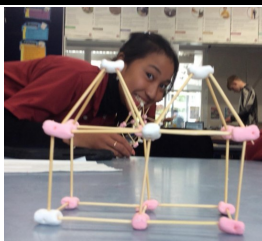


Term 4 2022 dates of interest



Please keep up an eye on our communication platforms Clasdojo, Facebook & Skool Loop for any change of dates or cancellations .

Days/ Weeks	Monday Rahina	Tuesday Ratu	Wednesday Raapa	Thursday Rapare	Friday Ramere
One	17/10 Karakia Guitar Lessons	18/10 Kapa haka Guitar Lessons Supreme Kaahu treat	19/10 Karakia Newsletter #01 Te Reo lessons 6pm	20/10 Karakia Tech Y7&8 Assembly	21/10 Teacher only day
Two	24/10 Labour Weekend	25/10 Kapa haka Guitar Lessons	26/10 Karakia Te Reo lessons 6pm	27/10 Karakia Tech Y7&8	28/10 Assembly KiwiCan
Three	31/10 Karakia Guitar Lessons Room 1 Wellington Camp travel day	01/11 Kapa haka Guitar Lessons Room 1 Wellington Camp	02/11 Karakia Newsletter #02 Te Reo lessons 6pm Room 1 Wellington Camp	03/11 Karakia Tech Y7&8 Room 1 Wellington Camp	04/11 Assembly KiwiCan Room 1 Wellington Camp return
Four	07/11 Karakia Guitar Lessons	08/11 Kapa haka Guitar Lessons	09/11 Karakia Te Reo lessons 6pm	10/11 Karakia Tech Y7&8	11/11 Pinelands Junior Athletics (Marotiri) KiwiCan
Five	14/11 Karakia Guitar Lessons	15/11 Kapa haka Guitar Lessons Room 2 Beach ed	16/11 Karakia Taupo Athletics Te Reo lessons 6pm	17/11 Karakia Tech Y7&8	18/11 Pinelands senior Athletics (Tirohanga)
Six	21/11 Karakia Guitar Lessons	22/11 Kapa haka Guitar Lessons	23/11—Karakia Room 2 Noho Marae Tauranga—travel day Te Reo lessons 6pm	24/11 Karakia Tech Y7&8 last day Room 2 Noho Marae Tauranga	25/11 Assembly KiwiCan Room 2 Noho Marae Tauranga—return
Seven	28/11 Karakia Guitar Lessons	29/11 Kapa haka Guitar Lessons	30/11 Karakia Te Reo lessons 6pm	01/12— Karakia Formal dance (Marotiri) TBC Year 8 dinner	02/12 Performance Assembly KiwiCan
Eight	05/12 Karakia Guitar Lessons Life Education	06/12—Kapa haka Guitar Lessons Year 8 trip & sleepover Life Education	07/12 Karakia Life Education Te Reo lessons 6pm	08/12 Karakia Tech Y7&8	09/12 Final Assembly KiwiCan
Nine	12/12 Karakia Guitar Lessons	13/12 School finishes at 12:30 Reports go home	School Holidays start		School returns on Wednesday 1 February 2023



Amitiel Colipano
Room 1 2022 - Sep 22

Monday afternoon Room 1 did a STEM challenge with some marshmallows and sticks. Our task was to create different structures and stuff using the materials. I created a very lovely creation 😊 it's two houses just stuck together so yeah, amazing right? And then after I made it me and Chika decided to just stack ours on top of each other's.



Dane Swann

Today Paige, Tehani-Rose and I were practicing our Hohepa Te Puru play, even though Paige is not in our group she wanted to join us. The things we need to work on is our pronunciation, making our characters go higher so you can see them and speaking louder.