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# LEARNING AT NORTHCROSS



# ABOUT NORTHCROSS:



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- •24 year 7 classes
- 24 year 8 classes

Our year 7 students come from over 50 Primary schools

# ABOUT NORTHCROSS:

- Principal: Jonathon Tredray
  - Committed to working with the young Adolescents.



- Empathetic with the physical, emotional social and academic needs of this age group.
- Skilled negotiators, responsive to student voice while setting firm, fair, clear boundaries.
- In touch with the youth culture and able to connect with this age group.
- Keep up to date with current research on emerging adolescents and effective pedagogies for engaging their learning
- Appropriate role models.

# ABOUT NORTHCROSS:

Principal: Jonathon Tredray



## School is broken up into 8 teams of 6 classes and a Specialist team

## Deputy Principals:

- Christina England oversees Rata, Rimu and Totara Teams
- Jill Haslam oversees Kowhai, Matai and Kauri teams
- Steve Mueller oversees Nikau and Puriri Teams
- If you have any questions or concerns, please talk to the Deputy Principal who oversees your child's team.

## NORTHCROSS LEARNER DISPOSITIONS:

A respectful Northcross Student demonstrates integrity by

Reflecting

- Being **Engaged**
- Being <u>Self Motivated</u>
- Persevering
- Exploring
- Being <u>Collaborative</u>

Being <u>Tolerant</u>



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# WHAT WE HAVE TO OFFER:

We are proud of our school!

- Academic opportunities
- Sport
- Music
- Food Technology
- Photography
- Bio technology
- Design/Make/Learn
- Science
- Sport and Health Science



Art



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# WHAT WE HAVE TO OFFER:



## My School Participation.

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## Academic

Maths Extension	Mathex	ICAS Maths	Otago Math	NX Speech	
Poetry Slam	ICAS English	ICAS Writing	ICAS Spelling	ICAS Science	
ICAS Computer	Makerspace extn	Literacy Extension	EPRO8	Tech Extension	
NH Science Fair	Writing Competition	FPS	ICT Extension	IT Monitor	
Year Book Team	Librarian	After School Languages	Environment Group	Other	
Lit. Support	APSMO	Lit Ex	Garden Guardians	Taiotea Stream Group	
Science Ext.	Math Support	Vamp	Tech. Styles	Kiwi Quest	
Food Ext.	Art Ext.	Barista	Robotics Ext.	NX Video Game	
Coding	Photography Extension				

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#### Music

Tuition	Rock Quest	Concert Band	String Group	Jazz Band 🔲
Rock Band	Choir			

## WHAT WE HAVE TO OFFER:

Drama

Kapa Haka

Show Quest

Dance

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#### School

#### PE Shed Techie Ranger Student Leader ESOL Ambassador Road Patrol TV Station Radio Station Sound/Lighting Crew

#### Sports

Netball	Basketball	Hockey	Rugby	Swimming
Waterpolo	Cricket	Softball	Tag	Tennis
Orienteering	Triathlon	Equestrian	Cheerleading	Shore 2 Shore
Fun Run	3 on 3 Touch	Touch	Volleyball	Football
Futsal	Snow Sports	Table Tennis	Indoor Football	Golf
Squash	Gymnastics 🔲	Trampoline	Sailing	League
Cross Country	Athletics	Cycling	Lunchtime Sport	Badminton
Archery	Umpire 🔲	AIMS Sport	Chess	ESOL Coach
Lunchtime Sport Contribution	Rock Climbing			

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#### School Misc

WPCA 🔲	Tama Toa 🔲	Marius Group	TechTiles	Haere ki te tiki	
Kia Kaha 🔲	Equip'd	Aspire			



## LEARNING STYLES:



- Students often learn through small groups differentiated learning (grouped by need, not age).
- Other students complete independent tasks based on Assessment results.
- Some curriculum areas taught whole class
- Students know what they are learning and what they need to learn next.

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Term One:

- Y7: Local History and Challenger Series EOTC
- Y8: The Waikato River and CAMP



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Students learn through Project Based Learning (PBL), building on knowledge to develop deep understandings. PBL encourages students to explore topics meaningful to themselves, promoting in-depth research and collaboration, and connects inquiries to real-world scenarios. Reflection, feedback, and public presentation, along with utilising the expertise of local community members, are key components of PBL.



## DAILY TIMETABLE:

		Room 45 - 1	Weekly Tim	etable	
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8:45 - 8:55			Admin/Karakia		3
Block One 8:55-9:50	<u>Math</u> Refer to Math Plan <u>Y7 Tech</u>	<u>Y8 Tech</u>	<u>Math</u> Refer to Math Plan	<u>Math</u> Refer to Math Plan	<u>Math</u> Refer to Math Plan
			Math Planning		
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Block Two 9:50-10:45	<u>Reading</u> Refer to Reading Plan <u>Y7 Tech</u>	<u>Y8 Tech</u>	<u>Reading</u> Refer to Reading Plan	<b><u>Reading</u></b> Refer to Reading Plan	<u>Reading</u> Refer to Reading Plan
-			Reading Planning		
			Morning Tea		
Block Three 11:25 -12:20	Writing Refer to Writing Plan	Writing Refer to Writing Plan	<u>Writing</u> Refer to Writing Plan	Writing Refer to Writing Plan	Assembly
		Writing Planning			
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Block Four 12:20 - 1:10	<u>Health</u>	<u>Rimu PE</u>	<u>Rimu PE</u>	PBL Refer to Inquiry Plan	<u>PBL</u> Refer to Inquiry Plan
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13:00-1:55			Lunch	1	
Block Five 2.00 - 2.55	<u>PBL</u> Refer to Inquiry Plan	<u>PBL</u> Refer to Inquiry Plan	PBL Refer to Inquiry Plan	Student Directed Learning	<u>Rimu PE</u>
	PBL Planning				
2.55 - 3.00		ki	Pack Up	÷	



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# ASSESSMENT AT NORTHCROSS:

AsTTle - Writing and Reading



- PAT: Progressive Achievement Test Maths & Reading NTERMEDIATE
- GLoSS Global Strategy Stage a 1:1 interview in Maths
- PROBE Reading test 1:1
- All results are shared with students
- No one test determines curriculum levels we use Overall Teacher Judgement - OTJ

## SPORT AT NORTHCROSS:



## Northcross Website

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## SPOTLIGHT AND PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS:

- Spotlight <u>https://www.atschool.co.nz/app/home</u>
  - Parent Portal includes assessment information, Kindo online shop links, This Day notices, uploaded student learning and Absences.
- Parent/teacher interviews: Wednesday 2-3 April (school closes at 1pm on Thursday 3 April)
- Teachers will explain where your child's learning sits in relation to curriculum levels and individual progress.

## KINDO ON-LINE SHOP:

- Jo Apperley: KINDO
- All registrations, health forms, sports teams, Camp, Challenger Series go through the on-line shop.
- This is accessible from our website.
  <u>http://www.northcross.school.nz/</u>

You need to register – it is not just about payment <u>office@northcross.school.nz</u>



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#### 14/02/2025 - Friday 😳

**Daily Notices** 

#### 3 on 3 Touch 2025!

Mr Washer

Morena! The following teams are all sorted an dinto the draw for this year's 3 on 3 Touch Comp! If your team is not listed them you MUST see me at morning tea today in Room 24. Comp starts next Friday! Draw will be out Tuesday hopefully.

Ballerz, Good Boy, Woves, Easy, The 3 Musketeers, Bulldogs Year, Colourful Cookies, Brian's Baddies, Longtor Girls, Women Warriors, Biggies, Blue Thunder, Fiesty Blues, NX Chiefs, Shadow Strikers, Well done guys!

The following people also need to see me as you have registered but do not have a team: Ava Fox and Timi Yang

The following teams have players registed but do not have the minimum of 4. The Blues, Nobis & Dominators.

**Registration closes Monday!** 

#### Sherwood Primary Coaching Opportunities!

#### Mr Washer

Kia ora everyone! Based on the success of our Rippa Rugby Coaches efforts last year, Sherwood have asked if we would like to again provide Rippa Rugby coaches for 2025 & add Football coaches to the mix also! So, if you are keen on doing some coaching, the sessions will be Friday mornings at this stage before school, from about 8am-8:30am. If you are keen to be a part of the coaching team, pop in & see me in Room 24 at morning tea today or any morning tea next week! Cheers!

#### Enviro

#### Mr Hartell

Please meet outside Room 43. If you have netball trials or Marae prep please attend those events as a priority (let me know if you can by emailing kelh@nxschool.kiwi). If you do not wish to be in Enviro, please email me as I have plenty of reserves. If you wish to be a reserve in case people change their mind, please email me.

## Stuffy

Practise lunchtime today - scripts

#### Year 8 Boys Football

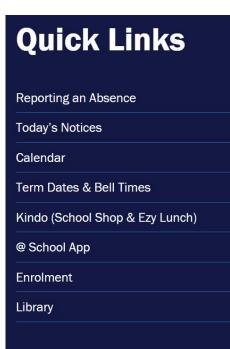
All year 8 boys wanting to play football at NX this year please sign up via the Google form below.

Trials will be starting next week on Tuesday & Thursday before school down on the field at 7:15 am.



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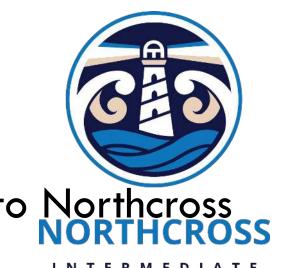
## This Day Notices



#### Mr Jensen

**Mr** Ayres

# **ADMINISTRATION:**



Please do not go to your child's class - all visitors to Northcross are to sign in at the office

## •Website

Language on website, sport, academic, international, booklets

•We are here to support you – please ask your class teacher or <u>office@northcross.school.nz</u>

Absences

## **Quick Links**



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