

Staff for 2012

Principal	<i>Christine Wilson</i>	
Deputy Principal	<i>Barry May</i>	
Assistant Principal	<i>Raewyne Harrison</i>	
Community Education	<i>Sue Patterson/ Janette Henderson</i>	

Maria Dopheide	Team Leader Team 1	Room 8	
Vikki Pearson	Teacher—team 1	Room 1	
Alissa Hutton	Teacher – team 1	Room 4	
Annette Pram	Teacher—team 1	Room 20	
Vivienne Cooke	Teacher—team 1	Room 6	to open later this term

Ann Hadgkiss	Team Leader Team 2	Room 2
Adele Ellis	Teacher – team 2	Room 3
Tyler Blackman	Teacher – team 2	Room 5

Emma-Lea Graaf	Team Leader Team 3	Room 16
Leonie Denne	Teacher – team 3	Room 13
Ainslea McDonald	Teacher – team 3	Room 14
Matt Allely	Teacher—team 3	Room 15

Keith Dove	Team Leader Team 4	Room 18
Jordan McDonald	Teacher - team 4	Room 9
Bronwyn Takau	Teacher - team 5	Room 10
Jean Buddle	Teacher - team 4	Room 17

Penelope Tinsley	Teacher	Room 13 / Orrs / Classroom Release / Reading
Kim Godek	Teacher Release	

Secretary / Receptionist	<i>Juliette Prins</i>	/	<i>Sharon Callaghan</i>
Librarian	<i>Rachael Temu</i>		
Teacher Aides	<i>Juanita Olsen (ESOL)</i>		
	<i>Amanda Marsden / Molly Ong / Amanda Prescott</i>		
Caretaker	<i>Craig Hooper</i>		

Just a friendly reminder to all Parents/Caregivers

Students arriving at school prior to 8.30 a.m. and leaving later than 3.20 p.m. are not supervised by Freyberg staff. Children are not permitted in the classrooms during this time.

We have a school website.

*Check it out at
www.freyberg.school.nz*



It's all happening at Freyberg!

Stationery

All children received stationery lists at the end of last year. It is crucial for children to get their stationery as soon as possible, preferably by the end of this week (Friday 3rd February). If your child has lost their list, please pick up another one from the main school office.



Please note that the \$5 photocopy charge which appears on all students stationery requirements is to be paid by all students regardless of where their stationery is purchased. Please ensure that this is sent with your child directly to the school office by the end of February. Please contact the office if you have any questions.

Freyberg School's Uniform

The school expects students to take pride in their uniform and wear it correctly at all times. If students are not in the correct uniform they are required to have a note from home explaining the reason and this must be handed to the school office prior to the start of school on the day concerned. T-shirts, singlets and other underwear worn for extra warmth must not be visible.

We have had a number of hats and clothing items already handed into the school office not named. If your child has misplaced an unnamed item please see the office. **Please ensure that all uniform items are clearly named.** It certainly makes the return of misplaced items much easier and less stressful on children and staff alike.

Please note that it is compulsory for all students to be wearing the school uniform.

For those families who have opted to pay for the school uniforms, or swimming over a set period of payments last year – please note that the December 2011 payment is now overdue. Please feel free to contact the school office to discuss payment options for any outstanding amounts. We will endeavour to assist you in any way that we can.

School Contributions

The Board of Trustees have been able to keep school contributions at the same amount as the past 13 years. This has been important to the Board as we want to maintain the high quality of programmes being offered at the school without passing any additional cost onto parents / caregivers. Calculated school contributions are \$80.00 per child or \$200.00 per family (of 3 or more) for the year. These contributions can be paid in a variety of ways. Many families pay termly and this is an arrangement which is very popular. Please contact Juliette or Sharon in the school office for details. A reminder notice will be sent to all families

No Sunhat—Play in the Shade



From this week onwards, any child not having a sunhat will be directed to shaded areas at playtimes, lunchtimes and during outdoor activities. In the last month or two, the heat of the sun and associated burn factor has increased noticeably. Please support school policy and help your child's health by making sure that your child has a named sunhat that can be left at school to be used for outdoor activities. School hats can be purchased from the school office at a cost of \$12.00..

A Message from the Lunchroom

Our lunchroom lady is called Natalie. With this newsletter we have enclosed a new menu which replaces last years menu and lists wonderful, healthy choices available for those children who wish to purchase lunches from school. The lunchroom is also open at morning tea for those that wish to purchase muffins, slices, fruit etc.

What teachers want you to know

Don't be a stranger! Talk to your child's teacher early and when you feel the need. Parent-teacher conferences shouldn't be the only time you connect. Take a moment to introduce yourself to your child's teacher and find the best way to make contact in the future. Remember that Wednesday is **NEWSLETTER DAY**—check your child's schoolbag for the weekly newsletter to ensure you are up to date with what is happening at Freyberg for the following week.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

ATTENTION PARENTS

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Dyslexia screening
Call us on 836 9061 www.kipmcgrath.co.nz

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Naming of Children's Clothing and Property

At the end of each term we always have a mountain of unclaimed, unnamed clothing and shoes in our lost property box held in the school office. Returning these items is easier if they were adequately named. It would be appreciated if all child's clothing and footwear was clearly named from the beginning of the year. Your co-operation in this matter would be greatly appreciated.