



MT ROSKILL INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

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17 February 2023

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Stop Work Meeting for NZEI Primary Teachers Members: Wednesday 1st March:
School Instruction will finish at 12.30pm

On **Wednesday 1st March** teachers from this school will be attending a NZEI Te Riu Roa paid union meeting.

The meetings will allow our teachers to discuss how the Ministry of Education has responded to changes that the union is seeking.

Our teaching staff who are members of NZEI are legally entitled to attend this meeting. The teachers will be leaving school at 12.30pm on **Wednesday 1st March** to attend their paid union meeting.

The school remains open, but is closed for instruction. We encourage parents to make arrangements to pick their child(ren) up from school by 12.30pm on **Wednesday 1st March**.

We have a few non-Union members who will be able to **supervise** any student who must remain at school until 3:00 p.m.

If you agree to your child being allowed to leave the school for home at 12:30pm, please complete the permission slip below and return it to your child's Teacher.

Students without permission will stay at school under supervision. No teaching will take place.

We appreciate that this creates inconvenience for families, particularly with the timing. However, we encourage you to support your teachers as they strive to achieve the changes which will safeguard quality education for all children and ensure we make teaching an attractive profession for graduates.

Kind regards,

Kristen Walsham
Principal - Tumuaki



Please return this slip by Friday 24th February to your classroom teacher

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I give permission for _____ of Rm _____ to leave school at 12:30pm on **Wednesday 1st March** for the rest of the afternoon.

Parents/ caregiver name: _____

Signed: _____ Parent / Caregiver