Welcome

Here we are ready to begin an amazing year at Devon Intermediate. Welcome back to our Year 8 students and a warm welcome to our Year 7 students and our new Year 8 students. We hope you enjoyed the Summer break and had a chance to refuel, refocus and reenergise.

One of the highlights for this year will be our school camp. You will begin to receive information regarding cost and fundraising in the near future.

We are all part of the Mighty Green Discovery team and are looking forward to working together and gaining lots of house points.



Organisation



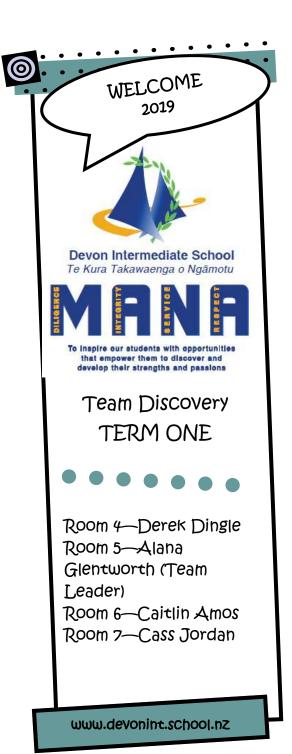
PE
PE Gear—Everyday
Swimming Items—Monday,
Thursday & Friday

(If your child cannot participate in P.E. or Sport for medical reasons, please fill in a note at the back of their diary.)

TECHNOLOGY

Room 4—Monday and Wednesday
Room 5—Tuesday and Thursday
Room 6—Tuesday and Friday
Room 7—Monday and Wednesday

Respect, Diligence, Integrity, Service



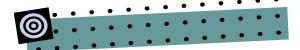
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Student/Teacher/Parent Communication

If you would like to discuss your child's progress or have any queries regarding classroom programmes please do not hesitate to contact us.

- <u>Students diaries</u>—homework, goals and reminders will be recorded in here.
- <u>Class web pages</u>—updated regularly with information.
- <u>School Office Telephone</u>—758 5266
- •<u>Email</u>

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Diligence, Integrity, Service,
Respect

Your child's MANA tracking, tickets and reflections are recorded in the front of their diaries. Please check them regularly to see how they are going and give feedback to them as appropriate.

Curriculum

Literacy

Reading

Identifying the main idea or theme in a text

Summarising information or events Writing

The Writing Process

Letter Writing

Explanations

Description—A moment in time

Maths

Number

Place Value,

Addition and Subtraction

Multiplication and Division

Fractions and Decimals

Topic

Discovery/Tokomaru

Discovering me, my school and my area

PE

Swimming

Summer Sports.

EVENTS

- •Week 1—First Day of Term 1
- •Week 2—Waitangi Day
- •Week 3
- Week 4—School Photos, Swimming Championships
- •Week 5—Epros, Standards Swimming
- •Week 6—Taranaki Surfing, MANA Reward Day, TOD
- •Week 7—Taranaki Anniversary, Taranaki Swimming
- •Week 8
- •Week 9—Weetbix Triathlon
- •Week 10—Taranaki Duathlon
- •Week 11—Summer Sports Exchange, MANA Reward Day

There will be notices/newsletters with information about other events and more information about these events as they are confirmed.



