



BALMACEWEN INTERMEDIATE

Dear Parents/Caregivers

This term will be an extremely busy one for all students and staff of Balmacewen Intermediate as we complete our Term 4 Challenge Unit. Two key units that we recap / investigate are...

- From the Shadows Drug Education Programme
- Understanding Changes at Puberty Unit.

These and other Challenge activities will be extremely important for your child's development and preparation for high school. All classes will be busy consolidating and reinforcing a variety of important skills covered during the first 3 Terms of this year.

These skills have included...

1. Relating to their peers and teachers in a positive and cooperative manner.
2. Implementing appropriate work and study skills to complete class / homework activities.
3. Behaving appropriately at all times of the school day.

At the end of Term all pupils have the opportunity to take part in a variety of activities outside of the classroom / school including the Year 8 Social, Moana Pool Swim and Class Day Out. These activities promise to be a fun way for your child to end their association with Balmacewen.

To be eligible for these activities your child has to ensure that they...

- Continue to apply a positive approach to all class and homework activities.
- Relate to both their peers and teachers in a positive manner.
- Behave appropriately at all times of the school day.

As with any activity both inside and outside of the school we need to be 100% confident of your child's ability to behave in a cooperative, trustworthy and safe manner. You will be contacted immediately if your child's behaviour places them in doubt for these activities. We are confident that all the students can keep up the positive approach to people and learning that they have displayed over the last 3 Terms.

Yours sincerely

Year 8 Staff

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Term 4 Notice **Student's Name** _____

I have read this newsletter and understand that the consequence for outstanding effort and behaviour is inclusion in all the end of year activities.

Student's Signature

Parent's / Caregiver's Signature

Learning is forever