

### Goal 1 Communication

Employed PT teacher extra for 2 days per week ( .1 BOT funded ) this released the Teacher to provide 1-1 programmes for 2 boy students who were at risk of not reading at their age level. Teacher-aide time was also allocated to them daily to support their learning. One boy left mid-year but was showing signs of improvement ,the other also continued to receive support from the RTLB. His Reading Age still needs to meet his C.A.

Purchased on line resources (apps) for literacy and provided passwords for use at home for Mathletics , Reading Eggs and Sunshine on line (used at home and school).

Provided individual second language learning (on line) for Y6-8 students: Duolingo.

### Goal 4—Managing self

We did not offer Parent sessions to help using technologies for communication and reporting. Some opportunities to do this were lost during Lockdown due to Covid 19

Parent Interviews were conducted but electronic portfolios reporting failed in term 4 due to an extended period without internet at the end of term4.

Teacher development - use on line seminars on specific topics - pep-Talks stopped due to Covid 19 but they reimbursed the school.

### Goal 5 Interacting with others

Haast school visited for Matariki and we went over for an Arts festival (that also included Fox, SWAS and Whataroa) to visit and share experiences, work and perform.

Investigated on line learning opportunities and encourage student on line interaction with others to support their learning. This needs further development. Especially for Year 7/8.

Work with children to develop collaborative skills for learning ( PAL programme ) - outcome unknown.

St.Johns course for children, Firewise and Soccer coaching in term 4.

### Goal 2 Problem solving

Provided 1hr extra teacher time per week for Y6/7 and for selected children for support or extension. Improvement in Algebraic thinking was achieved.

Provided on line resources for children to use at home as well as school i.e. Mathletics.

Prime Maths has been widely used by Y4 to Y7 and has encouraged methodical thought, setting out and improved basic facts knowledge.

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### Goal 6 Value bi cultural diversity

Employed Mary Anne Tamati for te reo lessons fortnightly during year but she had to give up the contract for family reasons. Teacher –aide has stepped up to perform these duties. Children are learning vocabulary and tikanga around the school environment . Continued to develop extended mihi and learn new waiata.

Planned Matariki celebration and star gazing night. Invited Haast students to share our Matariki celebration and sleep over. DOC worker led star gazing and all the school community were very impressed.

Continued imbedding cultural practices that enhance bi-cultural understanding into our school practices .

### Goal 3 Gather Information

Continued developing digital citizenship concepts and on line safety awareness (children are keenly aware of anything that could be considered inappropriate).

Provided opportunities to develop a knowledge of coding and all children have used the Sphero robots for these activities and been able to code using the Scratch app on their ipads.

We have extend knowledge of digital tools to enhance learning. The children readily use apple and windows products and the different programs and operating systems. Technology is

### Compliance

- We did not replace window in office with double glazing. However we have incorporated it into the 2021 Outside learning space project that starts around Easter.

### Goal 7 Challenging Environment

- Upgraded kitchen area of school house. Hob has broken and needs replacing. One long bench top still to be fitted.
- Extend decking to allow for an outdoor classroom area. Tenders for this project are out for an Easter start to the work.
- Plans for grounds and play equipment are being developed around MOE funding for this new project.
- Budget for van rental to transport children when parents are not available . Not a success because of limited qualified drivers and the cost! Was not an issue this year as parents have been amazing at providing transport.