

Agricultural Day 2025

Takahe & Kereru Information Sheet

Our theme for Ag Day this year is...



Tamariki have been very busy in class making all sorts of **MYTHICAL CREATURE** art that we are looking forward to sharing with you at this years Ag Day on...

Saturday 20th September

Each child will create seven indoor exhibits. These will be displayed in each child's classroom and will be judged by independent judges prior to Ag Day. The exhibits will be available for viewing on Ag Day when classrooms open at 11:00am on the day.

We have tried hard to reduce the workload and pressure for families this year and only need help sourcing/creating materials for one of our indoor exhibits. Everything else will be organised and created during class time. The seven indoor exhibits this year are as follows:

Visual Art Exhibits: Three pieces of art which will be created at school - no home requirements.

Baking Exhibit: One baking item which will be made at school prior to Ag Day - no home requirements.

Natural Exhibits: Three exhibits using natural materials. All three will be made at school with some items required to be brought from home for one of them.

Thank you in advance for your support! Please let us know if you have any questions. You can message on Class Dojo or send an email.

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Miniature Garden - Fairy Garden Themed

Each child will create a miniature garden with a FAIRY GARDEN theme.

This garden **must** be created at school so please do not send the garden pre-assembled, children can however make items to go in their Fairy Garden at home.

It is a good idea for children to also come up with a design/plan at home - a picture or photo of this can be brought to school to help when creating their design.

Children need to please bring from home:

- A tray of choice for presenting the Fairy Garden (any shape, no bigger than 30x30cm please).
- A selection of plant-life to put in your Fairy Garden. These could be weeds, flowers, herbs, greenery and/or succulents - real or fake. Forage instead of buy please!
- A selection of unique items to make your garden look like a Fairy Garden ie, fairies, houses, ponds, bridges, creature friends etc.

Children will have a small selection of craft materials available at school to choose from on the day if additional supplies are needed.

All items for the Fairy Garden must be brought to school by **Friday 19th September** please in a named container.

NOTE: We ask that you please do not purchase anything for the creation of this Fairy Garden. Please get children to be creative and resourceful by using found items, recycled items, repurposed items. Children are welcome to make items from plasticene such as fairies, creature-friends etc.

Inspiration Pictures

