

Thursday 23rd July

Parliament Visit

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

For our Social Sciences topic this term, we are looking at how our government and Parliament function. Therefore, we have decided to take the students in Kahikatea Syndicate on a visit to Wellington, to have a guided tour of the Parliament building. In order to make this more manageable for the visit, the **Year 6 students from Rooms 7 and 14** will be going on **Monday 10**th **August**.

In order for the students to be at Parliament by 10 am, we will be getting the train at 9.00am from Johnsonville Station. This means your child needs to be at school **no later than 8.20am**. We will be returning on the 1.02 pm train from Wellington. Therefore, we will back at school well before the end of the day, so your child's normal after school routine will not be affected.

Your child will need a warm coat, and a small backpack with food and a water bottle.

We will also need **four adult helpers** to go on the trip to help supervise the students. Therefore, we would really appreciate it if you could indicate on the permission slip below if you are available to help with this.

There is no charge for this trip as this will be covered by the Board of Trustees. However, please complete

the permission slip below and return to your child's class teacher by Friday 8th August.

Kind regards, Team Kahikatea Staff

RE: Year 6 Visit to Parliament – Rooms 7 and 14

I give permission for ______ in Room _____ to attend the visit to Parliament as outlined above on Monday 10th August.

I am able to accompany the group as a parent helper. YES/ NO Name: ______

Cellphone (only if you are able to come on the trip):_____

Signed

Date: _____