

# MORNING OSCAR



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Tēnā koutou, Talofa & Greetings to Parents/Caregivers & Whanau,

A warm welcome to our new children Mumtahina, Haizlin, Savanna, Angus & Layla. It is wonderful to have you join us in the mornings

This term our favourite morning activities are the group game Spud, card games like Uno and Dogman with Tai and making awesome Jets with the Lego.

The Senior programme held a cool Lego competition, and it has renewed the children's interest in creating and building each morning.

We have done a few cool crafts: Origami focusing on butterflies, braiding, Hot glue art, Pom pom making, which is always a fun toy to play with.

For Valentine's Day we made pretty friendship necklaces - the tamariki love working with Fimo and the vibrant colours. We used up some of our scraps and made a lovely, marbled base and created a heart using a cookie cutter, carefully cutting our hearts in half or thirds so we can give pieces to someone special.

We love getting in the kitchen whether it is making playdough or a yummy treat. The tamariki working through the recipe, measuring and mixing ingredients. One cool morning we made some fresh playdough - it felt so good to squish the warm dough through your fingers. Sahaj thought it felt "soft & squishy like a stretchy toy".

The children enjoy a variety of group games in the morning. Active games such as Stinga ball & Spud are the most requested. We usually play a quick game before releasing to school. Mc Donald's, Zap or Paper Scissors Rock always a fun challenge against staff.

Ngā mihi  
The OSCAR House Morning Team  
Bridget, Elyssa & Tai



Our big kids are wonderful at helping the younger children join in



When the books too good to put down but you're kinda hungry