

'NUA News

Term 3, 2012 update from
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Dear friends

We welcomed at the beginning of Term 3, 18 students from Germany, The Netherlands, Belgium, France, Brazil, Italy, Sweden and Denmark. One of our Year 10 Maori classes welcomed the students at a Powhiri in the Whare (our Maori meeting house). Later that week all the internationals (31 in total during Term 3) came to Mrs Keeling's home for dinner. The chocolate game was a favourite! This helped the new students to relax and to get to know each other.



The Central North Island 4 day trip is always very popular. This term 19 students went on the trip, led by Robyn and David Keeling, enjoying great weather, wonderful scenery, great activities and lots of fun. Places visited were: Waitomo, Rotorua and Taupo. Three students did a bungi jump. The zorb was popular, as was the luge and jet boat rides. A great trip!



During July, Meijo University Senior High School visited us for two weeks for a short term visit. The Japanese students enjoyed a busy programme which included ESOL, day trips to Wellington and Palmerston North and places in between and interaction with our local students. Our own students very much enjoyed getting to know the Japanese students. A great opportunity to share cultures and make new friendships.



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