## Homework Challenge - Year Eight

You must complete a minimum of twelve challenges.

You may do more than twelve challenges if you wish.

You must complete two challenges from each section.

At least three challenges must be signed off in each of Terms 1-3 with your final challenge being completed by Friday 1st November.

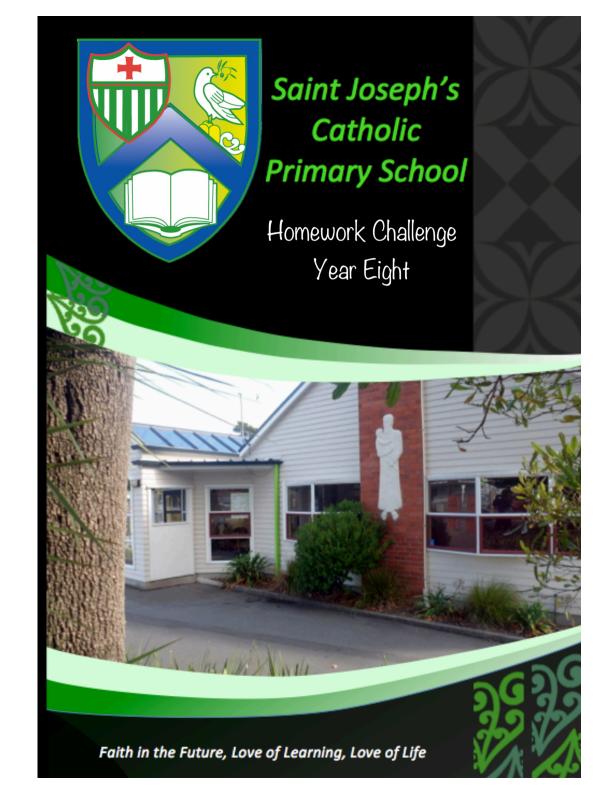
With the help of your parents and teachers you may write your own challenges. Your teacher must approve them.

It is up to you to meet with your teacher and show that you have completed each challenge (self check, parent check and some evidence).

It is quality not quantity that counts so take your time to do each challenge with excellence! You should be able to talk about what you learnt by completing each task.

If you complete the twelve challenges you will be presented with a badge at a special assembly at the end of the year.

Adapted from a version by Windsor Primary School



Thinking		Self	Parent	Teache	Ma	anaging Self	Self	Parent	Teache
T1	Improve your math's ability: Raise your basic facts by a whole stage level during the year. Visit - <a href="https://www.prototec.co.nz">www.prototec.co.nz</a> for help.				M1	Improve your fitness: Over a 5-week period walk or run a total distance of 50km or cycle 90km. Track your distance.			
T2	Improve your writing skills: Write a letter to the editor of the leader promoting an issue that you are passionate about.				M2	Improve your independence: Organise your own way of getting to school for a term. Take a bus, walk, bike or scoot. Save you parents!			
Т3	Improve your study skills: Research and create a presentation to tell us about the best use of technology within the classroom.				M3	Explore the Outdoors: Organize an overnight camp or complete a full days tramp with a family member. Great walks can be found at: http://www.upperhuttcity.com/store/doc/UHCC-Walkways-Booklet.pdf			
T4	Become a critic: Select a piece of modern technology. Present a review of its specifications, pros and cons and give it a rating.				M4	Learn an instrument: Manage your independent practice times throughout the year			
T5	Improve you science skills: Design and complete three science experiments and share your new learning with the class.				M5	Design your own challenge. Get prior approval from your teacher.			
T6	Design your own challenge. Get prior approval from your teacher.				Pa	rticipating and Contributing			
Relating to Others					P1	Contribute to our Heritage: Research Matariki – What is it? Why is it important? Why is it celebrated? How do we know when it happens?			
R1	Give to your family: Shop and prepare three formal three course meals, including the menu, cooking and presentation of food. Include photographs of the meal and feedback from your guests.				P2	Contribute to our School: Organise a sporting tournament that students and or teachers can participate in e.g. Tennis Tournament, Soccer Challenge. Consider times, dates, umpires etc.			
R2	Give to your family: Agree on a job you can do for your family two terms e.g. Folding Washing, Washing the car etc.				Р3	Contribute to your Faith: Create a slideshow showing the fruits of the spirit through the eyes of a child in the 21 <sup>st</sup> Century			
R3	Give of your time: Visit an elderly person, walk someone else's dog. Put out your neighbours wheelie bin at least eight times over two terms				P4	Participate at our School: Join the choir, Kapa Haka, Sports Team at School and attend all practices, performances and games.			
R4	Design your own challenge. Get prior approval from your teacher.				P5	Participate in the community: Join a community group such as Guides, Keas, Scouts or Church Group			
Using Language, Symbols and Text					P6	Participate in the community: Join a sports team and compete in a sport for the entire season.			
U1	Design a logo that represents the Intermediate syndicate at St Joseph's School. Include aspects from the schools curriculum.				P7	Participate in the community: Join a dance or arts group and participate in all the rehearsals and performances for the year.			
U2	Make a short movie about something that interests and or inspires you.				Р8	Design your own challenge. Get prior approval from your teacher.			
U3	Create a 3D model of your ultimate house. Be adventurous as you Include interior and exterior design features and fittings that show off your style and ultimate lifestyle.						E		Hr.
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						Faith in the Future, Love of Learning, Love of Life			