



# FARM COVE INTERMEDIATE

11 June 2018

Dear Year 8 Parents/Guardians

The much anticipated annual **Year 8 Education Outside the Classroom (EOTC)** programme will be taking place over three days during Term 4. The programme dates coincide with the Year 7 camps in Weeks 1 (for Areas 1 & 3) 17-19 October and Week 4 (for Areas 2, 4, & 5) 7-9 November.

Since the aim of EOTC is for students to challenge themselves, with the support of their peers, *and* have fun, we have drawn up an exciting programme of activities. They include

- a trip to Muriwai to SOS survival training,
- a day at Woodhill Forest either on the Tree Adventures or mountain biking
- rafting on the Wero Whitewater course in Manukau or a great water safety programme at Panmure Pools for students less confident in water

The cost for this three day experience is \$125.00 which covers transport, tutors and entry fees. Permission and payment slips will be sent home in Term 3. We are happy to accept instalment payments.

Parent support will be needed for each activity and we hope we can count your assistance then.

We look forward to sharing these outdoor activities with your children.

Kind regards

**Lynn Dunbar**  
Yr 8 EOTC Co-Ordinator