



FARM COVE INTERMEDIATE

9 February 2021

Dear Parent/Caregiver

A wonderful opportunity has been offered to our school. We have been invited to produce a film on tsunamis in New Zealand for distribution to Intermediate schools across the country.

The Tsunami Project is an EQC and ETV joint venture supported by SCSP (Student Communication and Safe Practices Charitable Trust). Their vision is for Intermediate students to produce a fun, innovative learning resource on tsunamis for Intermediate students and teachers.

Your child has been selected to be part of this exciting project. He/she will be expected to research and write the script as well as appear in the film. Students will be videoed doing research on tsunamis, carrying out an experiment, describing the effects of tsunamis and explaining how to be safe should a tsunami strike the NZ coast.

This is understandably quite an undertaking and your child will be required to work in the science room during class time over the next two to three weeks (11-26 Feb). It will be their responsibility to catch up any important schoolwork they miss in their own time but with the support of their teacher. All preparation will take place at FCI mostly during school time, with some filming off campus, like at a beach nearby for example. Note, too, that your child will be photographed and filmed for public viewing.

If you are happy for your child to be involved in the Tsunami Project, please complete the permission slip below and return it to Mrs Dunbar ASAP.

I am looking forward to working with a great group of students on this exciting, once in a lifetime project.

Yours faithfully

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I give permission for _____ A/hg _____ to be part of the Tsunami Project.

I understand that my child will catch up on any work he/she misses during the making of the film and that he/she will appear in a production viewed by the general public.

Signed: _____

Date: _____