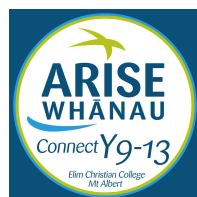
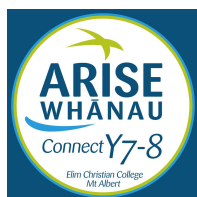
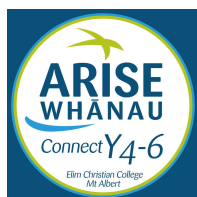
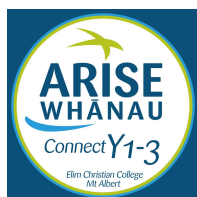


Thursday 5th February

Dear Elim Christian College Mt Albert parents and caregivers,

Our 2026 year-level WhatsApp groups are up and running again. These groups provide a communication platform for families within each year-level team and are designed to support connection and community.

There are four official school WhatsApp groups:



Each group will be facilitated by a designated parent representative (rep) who has a child/ren in that year level:

- **Year 1-3:** Amy
- **Year 4-6:** Tess
- **Year 7-8:** Beccs
- **Year 9-13:** Steph

Purpose of the Group

- To inform whānau about specific school-related updates for their year level and to help build community alongside other families.
- To share reminders or notices from the school that reinforce existing communication (e.g. whole-school newsletters, emails, home learning notices).
- To provide a space for families to ask questions to clarify information related to school activities or events.

Respect for Personal Time

- Please be mindful of when messages are sent. Where possible, avoid messaging between **7:00pm-7:00am** and during weekends.

Maintaining Privacy and Confidentiality

- Please refrain from sharing private details of group members with others without their permission.
- Students and teachers should not be discussed on this group

We invite only parents / caregivers to download the free WhatsApp app on their smartphone if you have not already done so.

Please click on the following link(s) to access your child(ren)s WhatsApp group. After a few weeks, all new members will be “approved” by our parent reps before accessing the chat.

[Year 1-3](#) [Year 4-6](#) [Year 7-8](#) [Year 9-13](#)

We look forward to partnering with our families this year.

Kind regards,

Jessica Kidd

Assistant Principal Y1-8