

KIWI KIDS NEWS

INSTRUCTION MANUAL

2026



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Kia ora,

Thanks for registering with the Kiwi Kids News website.

This ebook gives you information about key areas of the Kiwi Kids News website.

One important thing to understand from the start is that we run two websites.

www.kiwikidsnews.co.nz - The Kiwi Kids News website is our main site.

This is where all our news articles are posted and is where students go each day.

It is also where teachers go to get the weekly news quiz and our literacy booklets.

<https://www.kiwikidsnewsLtd.co.nz> - This site is designed for teachers and includes information about our site and resources. This is also where people sign up for Kiwi Kids News.

This instruction manual is divided into three areas and set out under specific questions.

Student Website

Company Website

Login Poster for classrooms

Finally, if you have an trouble with the website or you have a questions that haven't been answered in this manual please contact us via email –

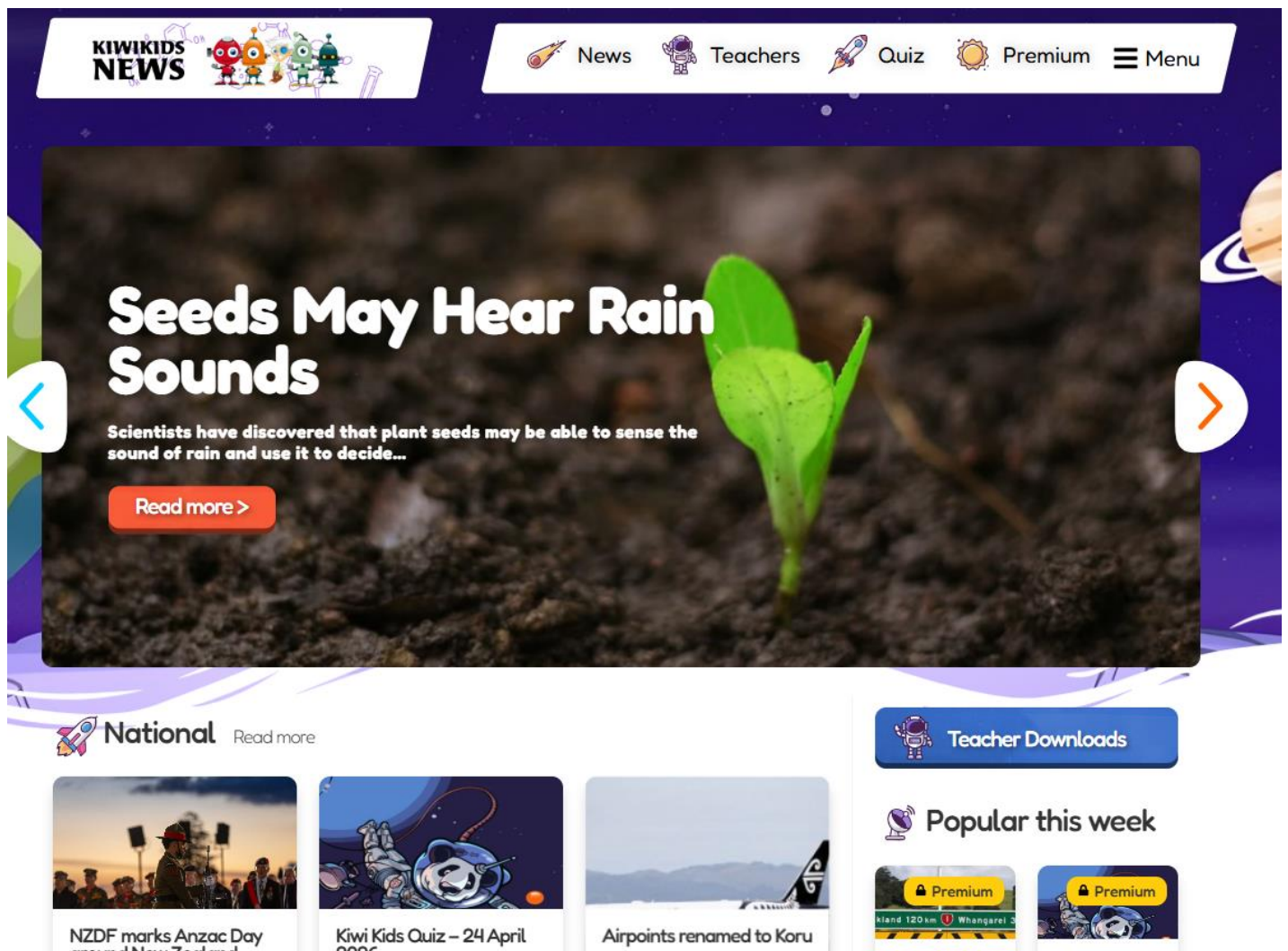
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Ngā mihi nui,

Shem Banbury

Editor – Kiwi Kids News

Student Website



How do I view the Kiwi Kids News website?

The Kiwi Kids News website can be viewed at the following web addresses

www.kiwikidsnews.co.nz

What content is on the Kiwi Kids News website?

Kiwi Kids News is a news website that is updated daily during term time. Each day we upload 4 or 5 student friendly news articles onto the site. Articles are organised under NATIONAL, WORLD, SPORT and ODD STUFF categories.

The Kiwi Kids News website is free for people to use.

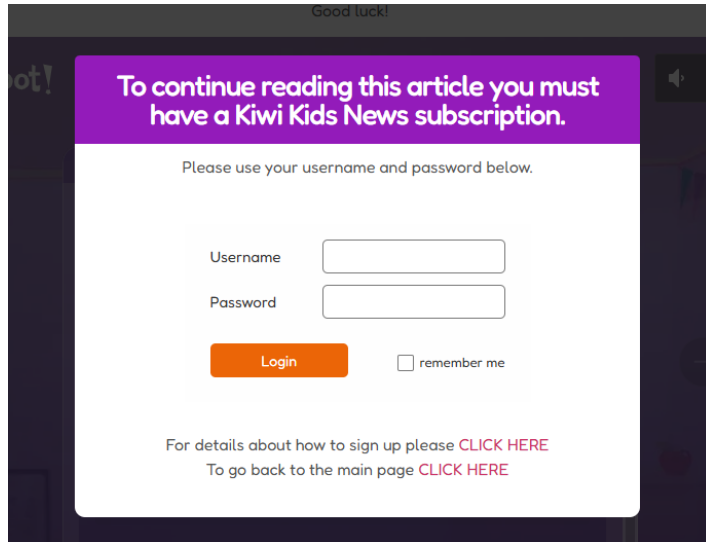
However, for students to access all news content, the weekly quiz, our weekly feature article and our literacy booklet, students must have a password.

How do students, teachers and whanau login?

Most of the Kiwi Kids News site is available for anyone to view.

However, access is restricted for some of our articles, our Weekly Quiz, the Feature Article, and Literacy Booklet.

When students come to one of these pages they will be asked to put in their username and password. This will look like the image below.

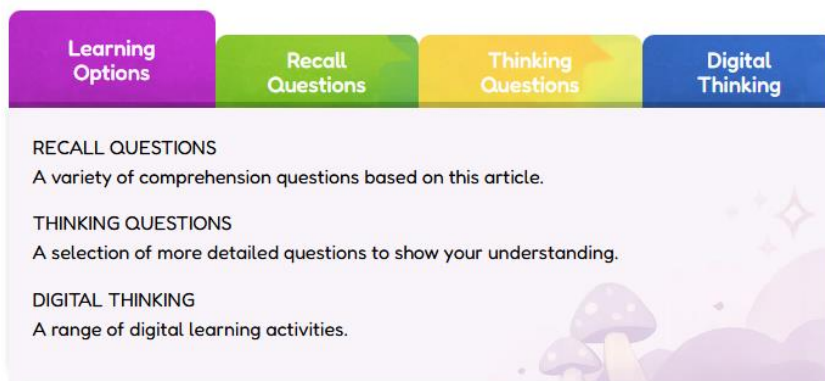


How can Kiwi Kids News be used in the classroom?

This website is designed to be used within the classroom.

Teachers can rely on Kiwi Kids News to be a safe website to bring up on a projector or computer screen.

Each article is accompanied by some educational tasks. These appear below the article page.



Tasks are broken into three sections – Recall Activities, Thinking Questions and Worksheets.

Recall Activities are basic generic recall questions relating to the article.

Thinking Question are more detailed activities designed to make students think about the article.

The **Digital Thinking Tab** is where you can find PDF or google docs activities that can be used on the site to challenge students and give them meaningful activities after reading an article.

How much does Kiwi Kids News cost?

Kiwi Kids News is a free resource for schools and teachers to use. This means at any time the website can be accessed by students and teachers and used as they see fit.

However, we restrict areas of the website to those schools that have paid the yearly subscription fee. Restricted areas include the Kiwi Kids Quiz, the weekly Feature Article, and the Literacy Booklet. Some news articles are also restricted

The **Kiwi Kids Quiz** is a weekly news quiz of 10 questions that comes out on a Friday. Students can complete this online, via Kahoot, or use the WORD document that is sent to teachers on a Thursday evening.

The **Weekly Feature Article** is an article based around a topical issue. It is often provocative and designed to make students think.

Our **Literacy Booklet** is a term booklet with weekly tasks for students to complete. We provide detailed instructions each week to help students complete their homework.

Our subscriptions are based on the size of your school.

Home Subscription - \$39 / Individual Subscription - \$69 / School 0-100 students - \$139 / School 101-500 students - \$189 / School 500+ students - \$229

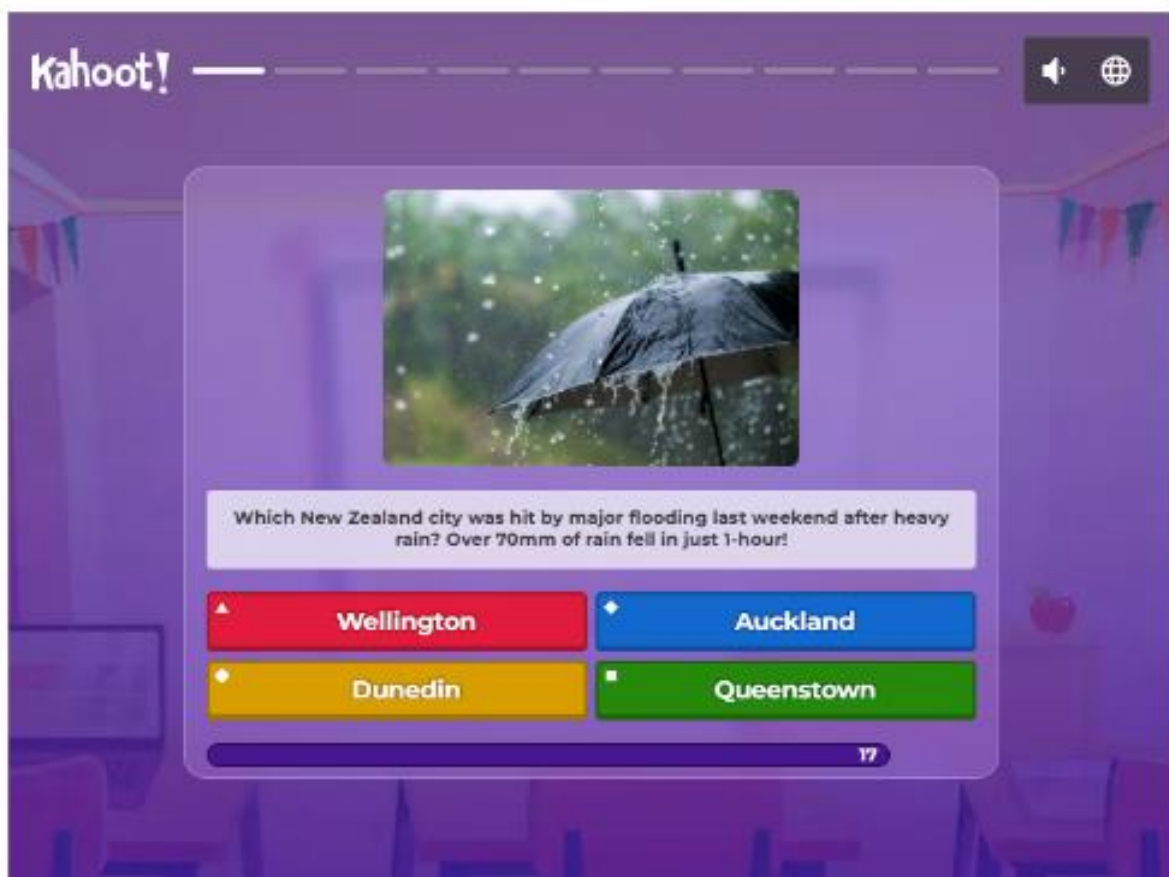
The Kiwi Kids Quiz

The Kiwi Kids Quiz goes live onto the website on Friday mornings at 8:30am.

All schools that sign up will also have access to a paper copy and a Kahoot version of the test. This is emailed out on Thursday evening.

Each weekly quiz has 10 questions. At the end of each term, we produce a Term Quiz with 30 questions and this comes out in Week 9. The Super Quiz at the end of Term 4 has 60 questions.

Teachers can also download the quiz on a Thursday evening from the Teacher Download Page.



Where do Teachers Download the Quiz and Literacy Booklet?

Teachers download the Kiwi Kids Quiz and the Literacy Booklet from the Teacher Download Page. This page is updated every Thursday night and is the key place to get information for your students.

The Download Page can be found here - [Downloads for Teachers - Kiwi Kids News](#) .

Teachers can also access this area by clicking on the TEACHER DOWNLOAD banner on the front page of the website.



To access this page you will need the Teacher Downloads password which is emailed out in your Welcome Email.



TEACHER DOWNLOADS

Welcome to the Teacher download page. This is where you can find the latest downloads and resources available for you and your kura.

Under KEY DOCUMENTS you will find our main information for teachers including our instruction manual and a copy of our welcome email. In this section you will also find the links to the Literacy Booklet each term.

In the WEEKLY QUIZ section you will find access to the latest quiz in the 3 formats – Online, Hard Copy (PDF) and as a Kahoot.

KEY DOCUMENTS

[Instruction Manual 2026](#)

Term 2

[Kiwi Kids News Literacy Booklet Term 2 2026 – PDF](#)

[Kiwi Kids News Literacy Booklet Term 2 2026 – Google Doc](#)

Term 1

[Kiwi Kids News Literacy Booklet Term 1 2026 – PDF](#)

[Kiwi Kids News Literacy Booklet Term 1 2026 – Google Doc](#)

WEEKLY QUIZZES

Week 1 Term 2 2026

Online Version (access after 8:45am on Friday) – [CLICK HERE](#)

WORD Version – [CLICK HERE](#)

Kahoot Team Game – class – [CLICK HERE](#)

Kahoot Challenge – individual – [CLICK HERE](#) password – 0067050576

What is Kiwi Kids News Feature Article?

Schools that sign up to the Kiwi Kids News website get access to the Weekly Feature Article.

The weekly article is designed to create debate within your class or get your students thinking creatively about the topic. Opinions expressed in the article are not necessarily the views of the staff at Kiwi Kids News.

Included with each article are questions that students can answer.

The article goes live on the website on Wednesday mornings at 8:30am.

Premium Content Articles

Online shopping: what to watch for

Online shopping can feel a bit like magic. You tap a screen, choose a hoodie, a book, or the latest...

Read more >

Premium Content

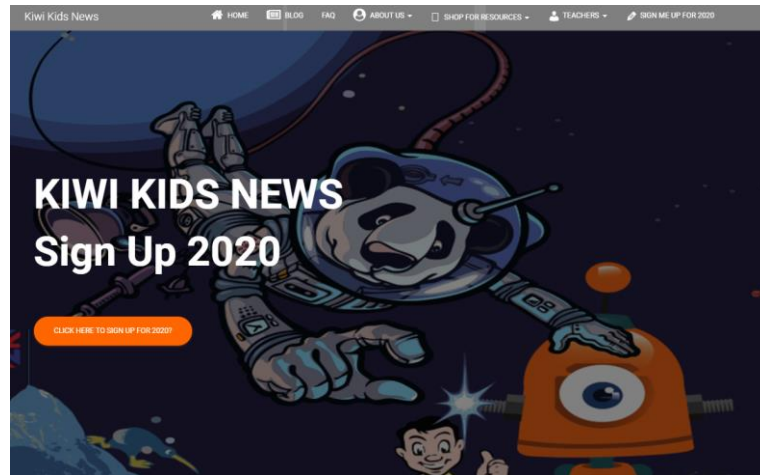
- How Aotearoa got its Place Names**
April 21, 2026
- Kiwi Kids Quiz – Term 1 Super Quiz 2026**
April 1, 2026
- Online shopping: what to watch for**
March 24, 2026

Popular this week

- How Aotearoa got its Place Names**
- Kiwi Kids Quiz – Term 1 Super Quiz 2026**

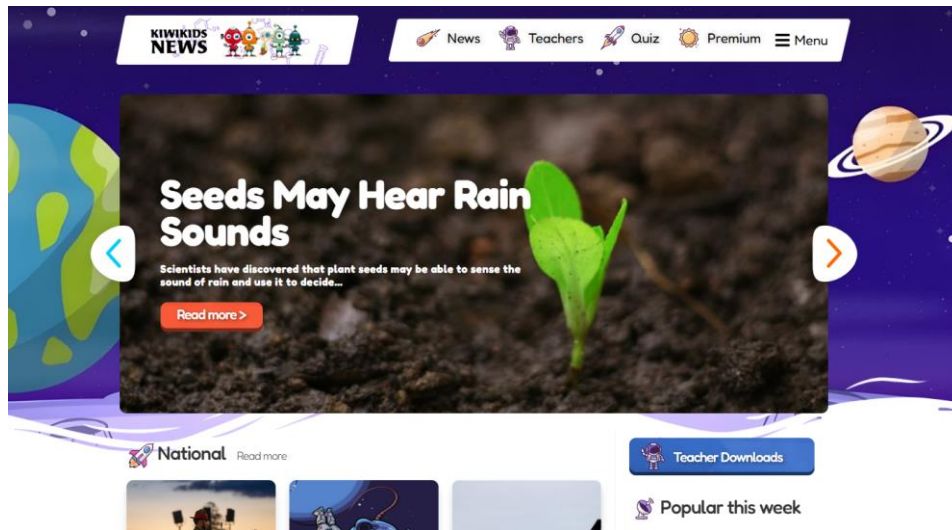
Company Website

We have a separate website for teachers, and this can be found here <https://www.kiwikidsnews.co.nz/>



This website is the place where schools sign up for a subscription and we provide the latest news about our website. It is also where we have our contact details, information about the site, and important details such as our privacy and disclaimers.

How do I login into KIWI KIDS NEWS articles?



Some areas of the Kiwi Kids News website are restricted to registered schools. When you come across our restricted content you will be asked for your username and password.

To login put your username and password into the box provided.

These have been given to the teacher that registered your school.

Good luck!

To continue reading this article you must have a Kiwi Kids News subscription.

Please use your username and password below.

Username

Password

remember me

For details about how to sign up please [CLICK HERE](#)
To go back to the main page [CLICK HERE](#)

Once you have logged in you will have access to ALL the Kiwi Kids News website.