

# TIKORANGI SCHOOL

**Think • Act • Impact**

Empowered Curious Thinkers who live  
our School Values and Thrive



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## Welcome to Tikorangi School

We pride ourselves in working hard to ensure every child is at the centre of all we do.

Our teaching and leadership team includes: Kerry Nancarrow (Principal), Rachel Olson (Deputy Principal) Victor du Toit (Assistant Principal), Jadd Waters, Helen Pool, Jessica Knudsen, Holly Gilmer (Junior Team Leader) Melissa Bailey-Nowell (Senior Team Leader) Danika Northcott, Carolyn Parker and Carly Broker.

Our office admin person is Sue Wood and we have 6 teacher aides: Lynne, Fran, Rachel, Dave, Yvonne and Tainui.



We want every child to reach their full potential and we enjoy working with our school families to ensure every child has success.

We have a big focus on 'Curious Active Thinking' as we want our children to be curious about the world around them and be able to critically think, ask questions and have ownership of their learning.

Come along and have a look around the school to see what we can offer you and your family,





# Strategic Plan

2024-2026

Board priorities over a three year period  
through Annual Review, community  
feedback and ongoing review

## Our Vision: Think | Act | Impact

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**Whakataauaki: Mā te huruhuru ka rere te manu**

Adorn the bird with feathers and it will fly



### RESPONSIVE CURRICULUM

#### INITIATIVES

- Develop and Implement our Tikorangi Whakaaro Curriculum
- Staff will increase knowledge and use of te reo ona tikanga Maori to embed in teaching
- Monitor progress of tamariki

#### SUCCESS

- Students are independent curious active thinkers who are connected to their community and culture
- Students have high levels of literacy and numeracy
- There is a school wide knowledge of Te O Maori



### HAUROA / WELLBEING Manaakitanga

#### INITIATIVES

- Design and implement a Positive Behaviour for Learning Plan
- Equip staff with strategies to support student wellbeing

#### SUCCESS

- Staff and students thrive in a learning environment where their language, culture and identity are fostered to support their wellbeing and success



### WORKING TOGETHER Whanaungatanga

#### INITIATIVES

- Co-design and implement a community engagement plan
- Implement an effective transition to school plan using whānau voice

#### SUCCESS

- Principles of Te Tiriti Waitangi are upheld and we have high levels of whānau, iwi and community engagement to make a difference in the lives of our tamariki







## WHAT WE OFFER

We provide so many opportunities for our tamariki:

- caring, supportive, experienced teachers
- structured literacy
- teacher aides in every class
- Basketball, netball, touch rugby,
- Year 5-6 leadership opportunities
- loose parts play
- bike track
- Kapa Haka for whole school
- heated pool
- awesome kids
- fantastic supportive parents
- 1:1 chrome books for Year 4-6



## SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

Grandparents Day  
 Show Day  
 School Productions  
 Cross Country  
 Cluster Speeches  
 Marae Visit and School Hangi  
 Trapping in the bush  
 Manu Band awards  
 Year 4 camp to Topec  
 Year 5-6 camp to Rotorua or Totorua Springs  
 Kapa Haka performances  
 Year 5-6 Big day Out  
 Junior Fun Day  
 Disco

Life at  
**TIKORANGI**





# Your Back-to-School CHECKLIST



## SPORTS UNIFORM AND HATS

Our Year 3-6 students need to buy a sports shirt from the office if they play for any school sports teams. They are \$45.

Every child needs a school hat for term 1 and 4 and they can be purchased from the school office for \$23



## LUNCHBOX

We are an enviro school so we promote healthy lunches and only water to drink. We encourage plastic containers and if there is any rubbish in lunchboxes it is taken home.



## SCHOOL STATIONERY

Please see Sue in our school office for a stationery list

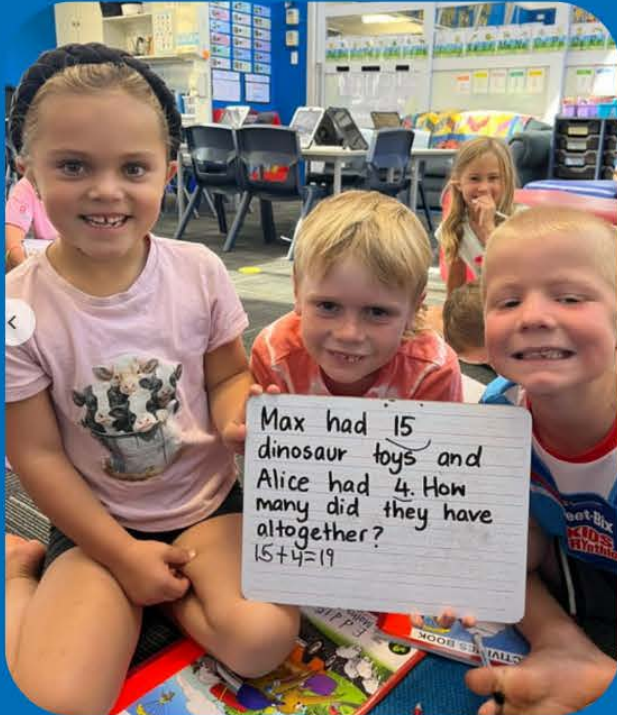


## NAME CLOTHING

If you could name all of your child's clothing, it makes it so much easier if there is lost property.



# THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW



**DOWNLOAD THE HERO APP TO SEE ALL OF OUR SCHOOL COMMUNICATIONS AND TO LET US KNOW OF ABSENCES**



**BELL TIMES**

School Starts 8:50am  
Morning Tea 10:30am  
Lunch 12:20 pm  
School Finishes 2:50pm



**HERO APP**

Please see Sue in the office if you need any help accessing the HERO app



**NO EFTPOS**

You can use internet banking or cash



**NO SCHOOL FEES**

We have no school fees or costs for class trips. However our class camps have a cost





## **MANA BANDS**

All of our students work towards getting a purple, silver and gold Mana band. This relates to each child's personal goal and showing our school values



## **SWIMMING**

We swim in Term 1 and 4 and have swim instructors



## **NEW ENTRANTS**

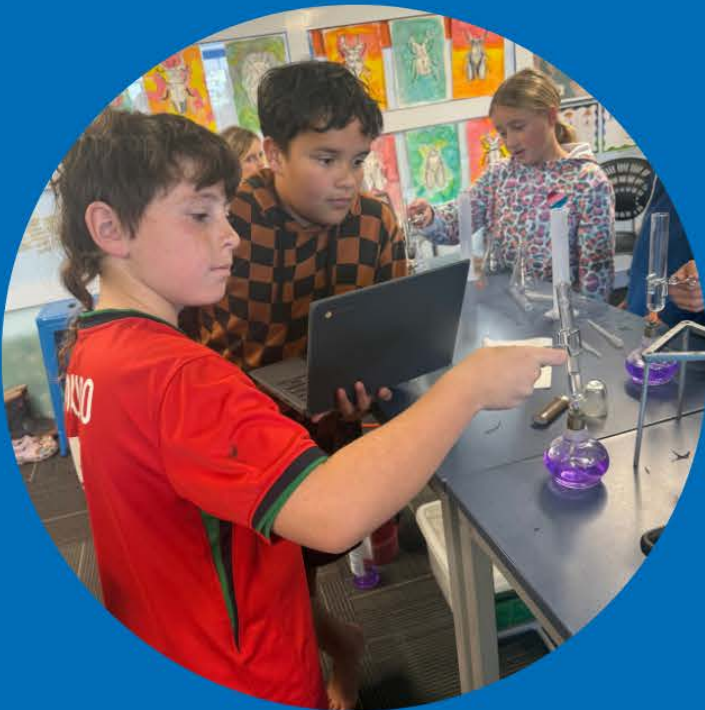
We normally have 4 visits prior to 5 year olds starting school .



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