



TE PAEPAE O AOTEA

Kia eke atu ki Taupaenui o te tangata

Newsletter - 28 October 2022

Kia ora e te Whānau

We are now two weeks in with our Friday transition visits for Year 7 – 10 students. Our middle and senior leaders have enjoyed their time with the students as they begin building relationships with students. The focus for middle leaders in Term four will be to develop learning programmes ready for the new year.

A series of open evenings will be held this term providing parents and students an opportunity to hear key messages from staff, tour the school and ask any questions they may have about Te Paepae o Aotea. I encourage you to come along to these sessions to learn more about our learning programmes and pastoral systems.

One of our guiding principles is “personalised learning journey.” It is imperative that each student develop a learning programme in conjunction with their whānau and whānau teacher. This will take place 30 & 31 January 2023, prior to school commencing 1 February. These meetings will be 30 minutes in length and will give students an opportunity to select/confirm modules and set learning goals for the year. Individual Learning Programme documentation will be sent out prior to Christmas to allow students and whānau plenty of time to discuss modules and goals prior to their meeting.

Thank you to everyone who has already enrolled their child(ren) at Te Paepae o Aotea. It has been great to see enrolments coming in following our visits to our current and feeder schools. If your child did not receive a prospectus, there is a copy on our website <https://www.tepaepaeootea.school.nz/> or you can collect a copy from either our office at 59 Victoria Street or your current school office. The sooner students enrol, the better, so we can plan for the start of the new school year. Students currently at intermediate and high school NEED to complete an enrolment form for Te Paepae o Aotea.

During Term 4 transition visits, uniforms will be available for students to check sizes. Te Paepae o Aotea’s office is also open each day until 4.30pm for students to try on uniform items. Uniforms will be available for collection from your child’s whānau teacher at their Individual Learning Programme meeting on 30 or 31 January.

If you have been past Bayly Park recently, you will have noticed the prefabs are starting to arrive from the intermediate. Once these prefabs are in place the new Portacom ones will follow. We will continue to keep you updated on changes to property at the Camberwell Road site.

Every Friday at 9.15am we will have an assembly for all Year 7-10 students currently at Hāwera High School and Hāwera Intermediate. This assembly will be in the hub at 9.15am, whānau and community members are most welcome to join us.

Thank you to all those in our community who continue to support our school. We are very appreciative and look forward to continuing this journey with you.

Ngā mihi
Rachel Williams
Tumuaki

All students beginning 2023 at Te Paepae o Aotea must complete a new enrolment form including current Hāwera High School and Hāwera Intermediate School students.

[Click here for online enrolments](#)

Te Paepae o Aotea - Interim Uniform 2023

Te Paepae o Aotea Interim Uniform		
Polo Shirts	Navy blue polo shirt with school logo	NO COST 2x provided by the school
Hoodie	Navy blue hoodie with school logo	NO COST 1x provided by the school
Jackets	Navy Blue jacket with school logo	Available to purchase from the school at \$75
Shorts/Skirts etc	Plain dark navy blue or black school shorts, skort, culottes, skirt or long pants (no jeans)	Available from The Warehouse Hāwera and Postie Plus Hāwera
Footware	Plain all black school shoes/sandals	Own choice
PE Gear	There is no specific uniform for PE. Students change into comfortable activewear.	Own choice from home
Sports Uniforms	Sports uniforms will be provided by the School	Provided by the school



Pre-owned Hāwera High School uniform navy blue shorts, skirts, trousers and Hāwera Intermediate School uniform navy blue shorts can be worn.

The Ministry of Education EDI Fund will subsidise two Te Paepae o Aotea polo shirts and one Te Paepae o Aotea hoodie for each student. These will be issued at the start of 2023 at student Individual Learning Programme meetings with whānau. Additional polo shirts and hoodies are available for purchase. **Uniform order forms are attached to the Enrolment form.**

Uniform items not provided by the school can be purchased from The Warehouse Hāwera and Postie Plus Hāwera at very reasonable prices.

Uniform orders close 2 December 2022.

Beat the rush to secure your uniform for the 2023 school year.

We recommend a visit to Te Paepae o Aotea's office, 59 Victoria Street, Hāwera between 3.00 - 4:30pm to try sample sizes.

Staffing Update

Below is the full staff list. If someone is missing who you believe should be there, the most likely explanation is that they have not yet completed their paperwork or we are still working through the appointment process. We are nearly through the support staff appointment process and will continue to share this information with you as soon as we are able.

We are also well on our way to filling our teaching positions. We have managed to recruit teachers from a wide range of the curriculum. This means we will be able to offer the full range of subjects to students in 2023.

Senior Leadership Team

Rachel Williams	Tumuaki
Pauline Hurley	Leader of Learning – Senior Curriculum
Mahaki Akauola	Leader of Learning – Senior Pastoral
Kylie Surgenor	Leader of Learning – Junior Curriculum
Susan Hopkins	Leader of Learning – Junior Pastoral

Middle Leaders

Desmond Bain	ESOL Leader
Kelly Bunker	Maths Leader
Riejanne Campbell	Whare Pastoral Leader – Senior and Transition Leader
Shaun Campbell	Itinerant Music Leader
Jason Cressingham	Whare Curriculum Leader
Emily Davidson	Arts Senior Learning Designer
Kai Elgar	Social Sciences Senior Learning Designer and Careers Leader
Taylah Gilberd	Hauora Leader
Kepa Grindlay	Whare Pastoral Leader - Junior
Anaru Haerewa	Languages Senior Learning Designer
Christine Hargreaves	Whare Pastoral Leader – Senior
Sam Harris	Whare Curriculum Leader
Julie Hill	Whare Curriculum Leader
Virendra Kumar	Mathematics and Statistics Senior Learning Designer
Dawn Mendes	Whare Pastoral Leader – Junior
Kathryn Moss	ORS Leader
Sandrine Murphy	Whare Pastoral Leader – Junior
Arapeta Nikora	Te Reo Māori Leader
Jess Petersen	Technology Senior Learning Designer
Elizabeth Plodeck	Science Senior Learning Designer
Chris Robinson	Whare Pastoral Leader - Senior
Kathryn Scown	SCT and Literacy Leader
Chelsea Snow	Whare Pastoral Leader - Junior
Erica Stephens	Whare Curriculum Leader and Literacy Leader
Kelly Stevens	Health and PE Senior Learning Designer
Elizabeth Stewart	ENCO
Faye Walker	Whare Pastoral Leader – Senior

Classroom Teachers

Kevin Barnard
Geron Pierre Bayatan
Kelly Bleackley
Mikayla Cadman
Vikash Chand
Lucas Feistauer
Rose Fischer
Bianca Glockler
Janine Horo
Louise Hurley

Barry McLernon
Corben Mortensen
Arielle Perrett
Dylan Perrett
John Roy
Catherine Saysell
Maddison Trousselot
Khushman Vaid
Brendon White
Georgia Whitehead

Guidance Counsellor

Benita Monteiro Eld
Megan Wereta

Learning Support Coordinator

Daphne Bhana

Support Staff

Jim Brown	Business Manager
Caroline Colville	Science Technician
Deidre Coogan	Gateway/STAR Coordinator
Megan Crawshaw	Student Data Administrator
Erica Evans	Student Support Worker
Melissa Garrett	Receptionist
Trevor Hardy	Property Manager
Nadine Hunt	Soft Materials Technician
Sue Johnstone	Careers Assistant
Claire Kalin	Creative Design Administrator
Kristin Katu	Resource Centre Manager
Allan Keene	Grounds & Maintenance Assistant
Vicki Roberts	Sports Coordinator
Michelle Shaw	Arts Coordinator
Ruth Simons	Executive Assistant

Learning Assistants

Kathryn Abraham
Karen Andrews
Sine Boothby
Nicole Harrison
Alecia Kemeys
Annette Lockley
Julie Nicholas

Aroha Noble
Cathy Ogden
Eugene O'Sullivan
Michelle Shaw
Nilmini Thennakoon
Victoria Tissingh
Sharon Walton

Bus Routes

The link below shows the current bus routes. At the end of this term the revised South Taranaki bus routes will be available on this same link. The current Hāwera Intermediate stop has been removed from the bus route.

<https://www.education.govt.nz/school/property-and-transport/transport/school-bus-route-maps/>

School Documents

SchoolDocs provides a comprehensive core set of policies and procedures applicable to all New Zealand primary, intermediate, secondary and area/composite schools tailored for each school.

SchoolDocs update, modify and create policies in response to changes in legislation or Ministry guidelines, significant events, reviews/requests from schools and regular reviewing by the SchoolDocs team.



Te Paepae o Aotea school policies and procedures can now be viewed on our website or by using this link <https://tepaepaeoatea.schooldocs.co.nz>. As a member of the Te Paepae o Aotea community, you can view and review policies and procedures using the login details below.

SchoolDocs login details

Username: tepaepaeoatea

Password: excellence

Policies under review in Term 4, 2022 are Health, Safety and Welfare Policy (Main policy) and Safety On and Off School Grounds (section).

School Charter

Our school charter is now available on our website. Our senior leadership team will use this document to write our 2023 Annual Plan this week. Please familiarise yourself with this document.

Our charter includes three main sections:

- Introductory section - this section includes our story, narrative, values, guiding principles and our graduate profile
- Strategic section - this describes our broad aims over the next 3-5 years
- Annual section - this section is currently being developed by the senior leadership team and will have specific targets and actions for 2023.

Term Four Transition Programme

See the table below for your school's Transition Days.

Day One School name/narrative/Te Paepae o Aotea Values/whānaungatanga/tours.

Day Two Learning activities – a day in the life of a student at Te Paepae o Aotea.

TRANSITION PROGRAMME - TWO DAY SCHEDULE

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7 November Turuturu School	8 November <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ramanui School Mokoia School Kakaramea School 	9 November Normanby Primary School	10 November PUANGA FESTIVAL	11 November Hāwera Intermediate School
14 November Normanby Primary School	15 November Hāwera Primary School	16 November <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Auroa School Matapu School Manaia Primary Hāwera Christian School 	17 November Tawhiti School	18 November Hāwera Intermediate School
21 November Turuturu School	22 November	23 November St Joseph's School	24 November Hāwera Primary School	25 November Hāwera Intermediate School
28 November St Joseph's School	29 November <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ramanui School Mokoia School Kakaramea School 	30 November <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Auroa School Matapu School Manaia Primary Hāwera Christian School 	1 December Tawhiti School	2 December Hāwera Intermediate School

School Tours for whānau/ students and Information Presentations

We encourage all new and current students to attend the Information presentations. Junior and Senior School presentations will be available. All sessions start with school tours. Presentations will take place in the Hāwera High School Library. Staff will meet students and whānau at the school gates for those requiring directions to the Library.

Wednesday, 16 November 4:00 to 5:30pm

Wednesday, 23 November 5:00 to 6:30pm

Wednesday, 23 November 6:30 to 7:30pm

Thursday, 24 November 7:00 to 8:30pm

NCEA Information Session for Year 10

Individual Learning Programmes – Planning Meetings 2023

All students at Te Paepae o Aotea will meet with their whānau teacher on either 30 or 31 January 2023 to plan their Individual Learning Programmes and collect their provided uniform (2 x polos, 1 x hoodie). All enrolled students will be sent an Individual Learning Programme template prior to Christmas. This will give students and whānau an opportunity to discuss options and goals during the summer break.

Senior Module Selection Information

During Term 4, Year 10 students will be exploring career and module selection during the Friday transition sessions. In week 6 following the student/parent NCEA Information evening, NCEA students will make their module selections for 2023.

Year 11 and 12 students will have the opportunity to select their modules online at the same time. All student learning programmes will be confirmed at whānau meetings at the beginning of the school year in 2023.

Sponsorship Opportunity – Sports Uniforms

We are in the process of seeking quotes and designs from sports uniform companies. This is an opportunity for community members or businesses to come on board and sponsor one of our teams for 2023 and beyond. If you are interested and would like to know more, please **contact us on 06 223 2000**.



Community Timeline

Enrolments and Prospectus	Available now
Uniform sizing available in Office	Available now
Prefabs moved to Bayly Park	Ground work happening - moving of prefabs will be early Term 4
Transition visits for Year 7 -10	Every Friday, Term 4
Year 6 and 8 feeder school visits	Week 4, Term 4 onwards
Open afternoons/evenings	Week 4, Term 4 onwards
Uniform orders close	2 December 2022
Classroom Teachers and Support Staff Commence	Start of 2023
Individual Learning Programme Meetings	30 / 31 January 2023
Opening of school for 2023	1 February 2023

Check out our Website

We encourage you to explore our website. Key information about our school name, logo, story and history can be found there. Remember, we also have a video explaining the significance of being gifted our name on our school website, www.tepaepaeootea.school.nz

Social Media – Follow Us – Te Paepae o Aotea





Prefabs from Hāwera Intermediate are 'on the move' to the Bayly Park site ready for our new Senior Learning Village at Te Paepae o Aotea in 2023.

