



Our **REACH** values stand for **R**espect. **E**ngage. **A**ware. **C**elebrate. **H**onest.

Me mahi tahi tatou mō te oranga o te katoa – We should work together for the wellbeing of everyone

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Kia ora whānau

Thank you to the mothers that attended our Mothers Day breakfast on May 10th. It was wonderful to see so many of our mothers gather for kai and then visit their children's classrooms. Ka pai whanau.

Thanks also for supporting our learners with the Kahukura cupcake fundraiser to raise funds for their Riding for the Disabled programme. Special thanks to our hard working staff for producing the yummy cupcakes.

On Wednesday 26th June we will be holding a **dawn service for Matariki** where we plant a native tree and provide a simple morning tea in the hall afterwards. Join us at 6.45am for this special event.

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

A reminder that **school will close at 1.00pm on Tuesday 28th May** for our teachers to attend professional development with other schools in our Community of Learning cluster. Should you want to register your child for supervision on this day you can email hello@skids.co.nz or you can book your session with the help of the following link: [https://enrolmy.com/skids-sknz2/activity/995-Lincoln Heights Early Closure May 28 2024](https://enrolmy.com/skids-sknz2/activity/995-Lincoln%20Heights%20Early%20Closure%20May%2028%202024)

School will be **closed for the day on Friday 31st May** for a Ministry of Education Teacher Only Day. We thank our whanau for their support. Bookings are also open at SKiDS for this day, follow the link: https://www.skids.co.nz/locations/henderson_north/#booking

School will also be **closed on Monday 3rd June** for Kings Birthday observance. School resumes as normal at 8.50am on Tuesday 4th June.

A warm welcome to our new Teacher Aide Learning Support staff, Celia and Fou. Celia has joined Rm 3 in Kahukura and Fou has joined Moemoe Fou.



Leisha Byrnes

PRINCIPAL

A Storm Recovery Event is being held at our school for those impacted by the significant weather events in West Auckland last year.

Come along to our school 9am to midday to talk to the Storm Navigators to hear if they can help you.

There will be a Community BBQ and family activities.

BOARD

Our trustees are:

Raewyn Clark, Presiding Member bot@lincolnheights.school.nz

Ben Lynch, Kiri McCabe, Ken Tuioti, Sarah Pope, Robert Walker and Gordon Irving (Staff Trustee)

Monthly Board meetings are held in the staffroom, commencing at 5.30pm. If you would like to attend a meeting please email bot@lincolnheights.school.nz

EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH. At the beginning of 2024 as a Board we wanted to recognise our staff for going over and above in their roles in displaying our REACH values (Respect, Engage, Aware, Celebrate and Honest). The values underpin the culture of our school. Staff nominate a person they feel has gone 'over and above' during the month. We value and appreciate all of our staff, teaching and non-teaching who work closely with students, in sometimes difficult circumstances.

WHAT'S COMING UP

TERM TWO		
Week 4	Wednesday, 22 nd May Friday, 24 th May Saturday, 25 th May	Samoan Language Week until 1 st June Newsletter published on Skool Loop app, website and Facebook Free Kapa haka classes, 3.30pm-4.30pm, hall, all welcome Yr 8's to Massey High School Open Day, departing school 8.30am Storm Recovery Community event, 9am-midday, all welcome
Week 5	Monday, 27 th May Tuesday, 28 th May Wednesday, 29 th May Friday, 31 st May	Free Siva dance classes, 3.30pm-4.30pm, hall, all welcome SCHOOL CLOSED FROM 1.00PM for Tiriwa Talks Teacher Professional Development, SKiDS will be open Free Kapa haka classes, 3.30pm-4.30pm, hall, all welcome Board meeting, staffroom, 5.30pm, staffroom SCHOOL CLOSED FOR TEACHER ONLY DAY
Week 6	Monday, 3 rd June Wednesday, 5 th June Friday, 7 th June	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR KINGS BIRTHDAY OBSERVANCE Newsletter published on Skool Loop app, website and Facebook Free Kapa haka classes, 3.30pm-4.30pm, hall, all welcome 4pm-5pm Kahukura Parents Comms & Strategies evening, Kahukura Reading hui expression of interest forms due to office Totara team MoTaT visit permission slips due
Week 7	Monday, 10 th June Tuesday, 11 th June Wednesday, 12 th June	Free Siva dance classes, 3.30pm-4.30pm, hall, all welcome Reading hui for Yr 3-6 parents, staffroom, 5pm-6pm Free Kapa haka classes, 3.30pm-4.30pm, hall, all welcome
Week 8	Monday 17 th June Wednesday, 19 th June Friday, 21 st June	Free Siva dance classes, 3.30pm-4.30pm, hall, all welcome 5pm-6pm, Focus student hui, staffroom Totara team Zoo trip Newsletter published on Skool Loop app, website and Facebook Free Kapa haka classes, 3.30pm-4.30pm, hall, all welcome Samoan Parents Network mtg, Potu 19, 3.30pm-4.30pm Kahukura team MoTaT trip
Week 9	Monday, 24 th June Wednesday, 26 th June Friday, 28 th June	Free Siva dance classes, 3.30pm-4.30pm, hall, all welcome Matariki dawn celebration followed by breakfast in the hall, 6.45am Moemoe Fou trip to Auckland Art Gallery Free Kapa haka classes, 3.30pm-4.30pm, hall, all welcome Board meeting, 5.30pm, staffroom SCHOOL CLOSED FOR MATARIKI OBSERVANCE
Week 10	Monday, 1 st July Wednesday, 3 rd July Friday, 5 th July	Free Siva dance classes, 3.30pm-4.30pm, hall, all welcome Newsletter published on Skool Loop app, website and Facebook Free Kapa haka classes, 3.30pm-4.30pm, hall, all welcome Last day Term 2. School closes 3.00pm
TERM THREE		
Week 1	Monday, 22 nd July Wednesday, 24 th July Friday, 26 th July	Term 3 starts, 8.50am Free Siva dance classes, 3.30pm-4.30pm, hall, all welcome Free Kapa haka classes, 3.30pm-4.30pm, hall, all welcome Moemoe Fou trip to NZ Maritime Museum

GENERAL NOTICES

- ❖ **Parent supervised Playgroup sessions** run by Auckland Kindergarten operate from the room closest to the Doone Place school entrance on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 9.30am until 12.30pm. Email Manager Fonda Rowe at fonda.rowe@aka.org.nz for more information.
- ❖ **SKiDS after school care** operates from 3pm to 6pm Monday to Friday providing quality care for our students. If you would like to know more about their programme including costs and if you qualify for a WINZ subsidy, email hello@skids.co.nz or go to their website.

EVENTS

Recently our Yr 5/6 students participated in the North West Rippa Rugby tournament at Moire Park. We were so proud of the way our students showed good sportsmanship skills and played so well. Thanks to Mr Tuck for supporting.



STORM RECOVERY EVENT at Lincoln Heights School Saturday 25th May. Come along if you were impacted by the significant weather events in West Auckland last year.



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Step by step together we reach new heights.

STORM RECOVERY EVENT / BBO

Who: ALL Whānau 'impacted' by the Feb/March Rains/Floods of 2023

Where: Lincoln Heights School, 16 Keegan Drive, Massey

When: Saturday 25th May

Time: 9am-Midday

Come along and have a chat to YOUR Massey/Ranui/Henderson Community Storm Navigators to see how they can help you.

OUR ANNUAL PLAN

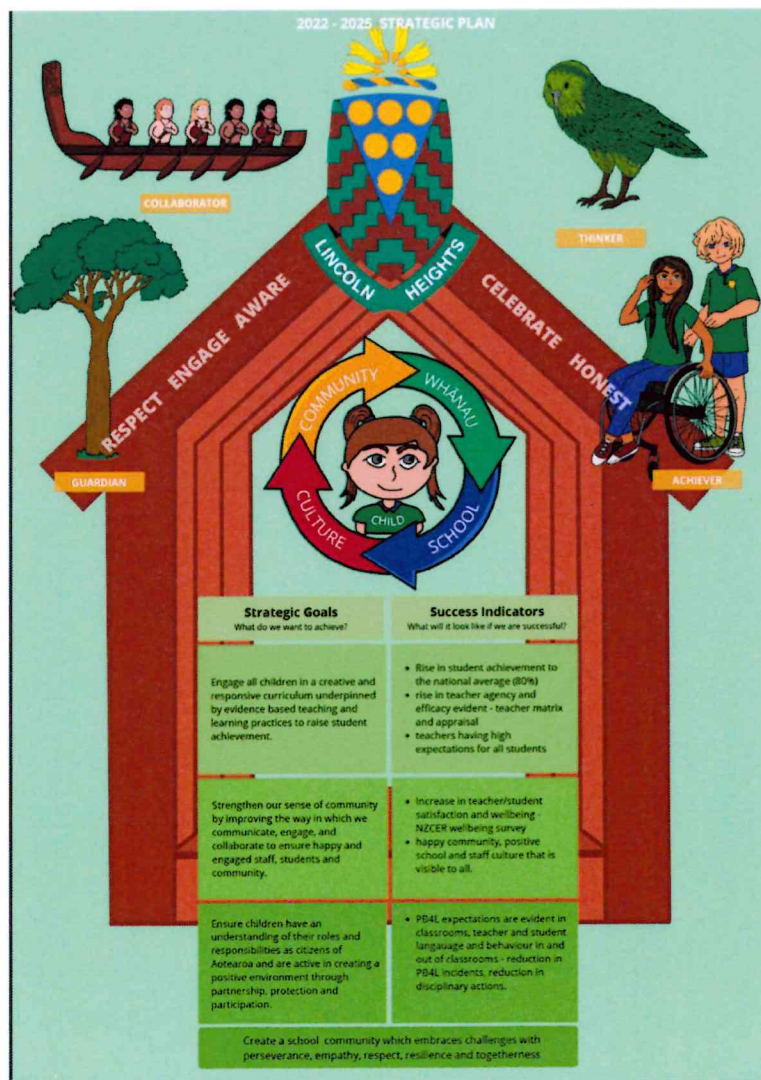
LINCOLN HEIGHTS SCHOOL ANNUAL PLAN 2024

To raise student achievement to 70% 'At' or 'Above' in core curriculum areas and increase student engagement (to 80% in every class) for ALL learners.

Domain 1 – STEWARDSHIP Through increased engagement and strengthened learning focused relationships	Domain 2 – LEADERSHIP Through transparent leadership (with children at the heart of decision making) and a focus on the development of our Middle Leaders	Domain 3 – RELATIONSHIPS Through authentic relevant and engaging opportunities for ALL learners across ALL contexts – within school, with whanau and within our community	Domain 4 – TEACHING Through differentiated learning programmes based on current student data – including Kahukura and Moemoe Fou	Domain 5 – CAPABILITY Through responsive Professional Learning Programmes and individual accountability	Domain 6 – EVALUATION Through established systems to monitor and review progress towards achievements of schoolwide and individual goals
LEARNERS AT THE CENTRE Learners with their whānau are at the centre of education	BARRIER FREE ACCESS Great education opportunities and outcomes are within reach for every learner	QUALITY TEACHING AND LEADERSHIP Quality teaching and leadership make the difference for learners and their whānau	FUTURE OF LEARNING AND WORK Learning that is relevant to the lives of New Zealanders today and throughout their lives	WORLD CLASS INCLUSIVE PUBLIC EDUCATION New Zealand education is trusted and sustainable	
Strengthen our sense of community by improving the ways in which we communicate, engage and collaborate to ensure happy and engaged staff, students and the wider community.		Engage all children in a creative and responsive curriculum underpinned by evidence based teaching and learning practises to raise student achievement.		Ensure children have an understanding of their roles and responsibilities as citizens of Aotearoa and are active in creating a positive environment through partnership, protection and participation	
Strategy 1 Use M-unit roles to increase opportunities to build learning community with whanau and wider		Strategy 1 Use GAP analysis to inform teacher needs as well as student next steps and to monitor progress Use IEP process for Kahukura and vulnerable learners		Strategy 1 Use Check and Connect roles to increase engagement for Maori and Pacific students and their families – raise attendance and engagement to 80% in 2024 and 90% in 2025	
Strategy 2 Regular monitoring by PB4L team within school to measure success of PB4L PLD and implementation of plans		Strategy 2 Increase teacher confidence in using data to inform planning and evaluate their own effectiveness Middle Leadership PLD and support		Strategy 2 Use in class support to ensure equitable outcomes for all students including Maori, Pacific, ESOL and those students identified 'at risk'	
Strategy 3 Increase capability in teaching writing to ensure teachers feel confident in their teaching of written language		Strategy 3 Use of school wide planning and clear demonstration of DAT, TA role and differentiation to achieve accelerated learning across all school settings: Moemoe Fou, Kahukura and Mainstream		Strategy 3 Use the skills and knowledge within Kahukura, Moemoe Fou, and wider staff, to increase teacher capability around inclusion, culturally responsive practise and equity	
Strategy 4 Acknowledge and celebrate staff, student and community success and promote them through the newsletter, Facebook and Skool Loop to continue to raise our positive school profile		Strategy 4 Provide opportunities for teachers to access PLD in implementing Te Mātāaho		Strategy 4 Provide opportunities for students to demonstrate their leadership and service within our community (school and wider) to make a positive difference	

MEASURES – All staff are responsible for ensuring we reach these goals

- 70% of children 'at' or 'above' in Reading, Writing and Mathematics
- Average rates of attendance increase across the school to 80% daily
- 15% increased engagement of all learners – demonstrated through engagement observations
- All BoT members are confident of their understanding of the school targets
- 60% of students are able to say where they are at in their learning
- There is increased visibility of the BoT in a range of media – online, newsletter, events
- 70% of children achieving 'Well/Below' will make accelerated progress
- 95% of parents attend parent interviews
- All teachers are confident using PAL to determine levels of achievement
- All teachers show improvement against the teacher matrix -
- Moderation is consistent and regular across the school – every term
- There is a reduction (-15%) in PB4L incidents and improved school wide results in NZCER 'Well-Being' survey (+20%)
- Increased teacher confidence in teaching writing - teacher survey shows 20% improvement
- 100% of Focus/Target students will make accelerated progress



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