



Friday 19 October

Dear Parents / Caregiver  
Kia koutou

- **Subject Selection Evening for Year 10s:** Good to see a large number of students and parents take advantage of our subject selection evening. If you have any queries about subjects please don't hesitate to contact our Academic Deans: Joy Carter ([joyc@aurakiplains.school.nz](mailto:joyc@aurakiplains.school.nz)) and Denise Casey ([denisec@aurakiplains.school.nz](mailto:denisec@aurakiplains.school.nz))

The timetable structure is not set in concrete and we may make some adjustments to the timetable and subjects available depending on student feedback and staffing. We will catch up with any Year 10s before the end of the year if this has an impact on their choices. Subject forms are due back on Wednesday, 24 October.

- **Junior Reports:** Students received junior reports yesterday along with a Junior Certificate or Junior Diploma update. If you have any concerns or questions please contact your child's caregiver or dean.
- **Senior Exams:** Students will receive their exam papers back early next week. For those with exams, there are only 9 school days left until the start of NZQA external exams.
- **Senior Sign Out:** For those students who have no external exams or are not involved in Senior Academic Prize Giving, their last day is Wednesday, 31 October. Some students who have not completed their NCEA qualification will be required to remain at school.

The last day for seniors with exams and those involved in Senior Academic Prize Giving is Friday, 2 November.

- **Uniform Changeover:** A reminder that students need to be in summer uniform from the start of Week 3 (Monday, 29 October)
- **Sports Prize Giving:** This event is on Thursday, 25 October at 7pm. Students have been given a notice if they are receiving an award. All welcome.
- **Senior Academic Prize Giving:** Friday, 2 November at 7pm.

Wishing everyone a good long weekend.

Ngaire Harris  
PRINCIPAL

*"Without labour, nothing prospers."* (Sophocles)

