

# Hauraki Plains College Charter Statement

#### Vision:

Our vision is to be "More than a School."

- More than a tradition of excellence: future focused horizons
- More than credit counting: character shaping.
- More than NCEA qualifications: pursuing a purposeful career direction.
- More than well kept buildings: a sense of belonging.
- More than rules: principles to live by
- More than me: responsible and contributing citizens

#### **Mission:**

To challenge and support our students to answer these questions:

- Who am I? (Identity)
- What am I here for? (Purpose)
- Where am I going? (Direction)

#### **Guiding Principle:**

Our school motto *Quisque Pro Omnibus* (Each for All) is an enduring symbol for our school and is a constant reminder of the importance of our responsibility towards ourselves, others and the wider community.

#### **School Values:**

We endeavour to honour and live the three principles of the Treaty of Waitangi through our school values: which are centred around our purpose, our people and our place.

#### Our Purpose: Rangatiratanga

Striving to become best self and do best work. Doing the right thing. Showing resilience. Taking personal responsibility. Being a good role model. Showing leadership. Working hard. Daring to dream.

#### Our People: Manaakitanga

Respect for all. Keeping it kind. Using manners. Being welcoming. Practising hospitality. Understanding and appreciating we are all different. Including others.

#### Our Place: Kaitiakitanga

Becoming guardians of our heritage and future. Upholding the mana of HPC. Being on board the waka together. Taking care of our environment. Leaving a legacy.

#### **Our Trademark Stamp:**

*Excellence is our Tradition* is our trademark that reflects our aspirations for everything we do.



# **Statement of Intent**



#### Our Purpose

Our core purpose is to educate our rangatahi so they can take their place as contributing citizens of their communities, of Aotearoa New Zealand and of the world. Our mission is to be more than a school in providing extensive learning opportunities and experiences outside the classroom; in delivering excellent and equitable outcomes and in supporting the holistic wellbeing of all students. We endeavour to shape young people who are learning ready, life ready, work ready, world ready.



### Our Place: Our Stories

Our school acknowledges a heritage grounded in two founding stories - that of Hako, the ancestor of the Tangata Whenua, who travelled up the Piako River on a whale and that of the European pioneers who transformed the Piako swampland into the Hauraki Plains. We first began as Orchard School when in 1912, fifteen young pupils,



met for three days each week in a borrowed Lands and Survey Hut. Two years later, the first classroom, nicknamed 'The Dog Box' was built. From 1918 further class

rooms were built and a secondary department was established and Orchard School was renamed Ngatea District High School. When Ngatea Primary was opened, the intention was to close down the school, but through the determination and resilience of local parents, Hauraki Plains College was officially established in 1963. From these humble beginnings, our students come from the wider Hauraki area.

# Our Commitment to Te Tiriti o Waitangi (Treaty of Waitangi)

Under Te Tiriti we have a joint responsibility with iwi, hapū, and whānau to help ensure that HPC supports and sustains Te Ao Māori (*māori worldview*). We appreciate that Māori have rights as Tangata Whenua (*indigenous peoples*) of Aotearoa New Zealand. We understand under Te Tiriti, the significance of Taonga (*treasured possession*) which includes Te Reo (*māori language*), Tikanga (*way of doing things*) and excellent and equitable outcomes of all ākonga.

# Our Guiding Principles

- **'Each for All'** (Quisque Pro Omnibus) is our school motto. While we seek the best outcomes for each individual, this is never more important than our collective identity and purpose.
- The **Hauraki Way** is how we do things around here and establishes the expectations and standards for our school.
- The Hauraki Way is upheld by our core values:
  - Rangatiratanga: We encourage our students to be their best selves and do their best work.
  - Manaakitanga: We treat each other with respect and kindness, upholding the mana of others.
  - Kaitiakitanga: We take our place as guardians of our heritage and future; in upholding the mana of HPC; in taking care of our environment and leaving a legacy for the future.
- These guiding principles will inform how we make decisions now and moving forward.



Whakatauki "Whaia e koe ki te iti kahurangi; ki te tuohu koe, me maunga teitei"

## HPC Annual Plan 2022

# Goal 1: Engage Students in Work that Matters

Outcome: Capable learners who are engaged, learning and achieving qualifications



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Strategic Initiative 2: Literacy and Numeracy Outcome: All students meet co-requisite for literacy and numeracy (NCEA)										
Focus 1: Literacy and Numeracy team	When				Who	End of Year Review				
a. Appoint Literacy and Numeracy team; develop action plan	T1	T2	Т3	T4		Objective: There is a clear leadership structure for Lit / Num focus Resourcing: Ministry of Education expert Review: Action Plan review Nov 2022				
b. Work through Curriculum Leads to implement plan					HR					
c. Research what two other secondary schools are doing										
Focus 2: Professional Development for staff		W	hen	-	Who	End of Year Review				
a. Unpack learning progressions within functional lit / num	T1	T2	Т3	T4		Objective: Teachers are confident, competent and intentional in teaching lit and num in the classroom Resourcing:Ministry of Education (Latisha Kelly) Review: Curriculum Leaders feedback				
b. Secure support from Ministry provider					HR					
c. Develop a handbook of literacy and numeracy strategies										
Focus 3: Parent and whanau engagement		W	hen		Who	End of Year Review				
a. Provide an online presentation of what functional lit / num is	T1	T2	ТЗ	T4		Objective: The language and strategies of North East teaching is well				
b. Develop a reporting to students / parents template					HR	imbedded in the HPC culture Resourcing: Victoria High Impact Teaching Strategies / Bishop (2020) <i>Teaching to the North East</i>				
c. Trial template and gather feedback						Review: Teacher self review				

Strategic Initiative 3: Responsive Local Curriculum Outcome: our local curriculum is rich, contextualised, connected to our place, culturally responsive and serves all learning pathways										
Focus 1: Senior Curriculum Refresh		When			Who	End of Year Review				
a.Continue to participate in MOE provided PLD accord days	T1	T2	Т3	T4	Currie dure	Objective: We are ready for NCEA changes in 2024 Resourcing: Ministry of Education PLD and website				
b. Review structure of courses / timetable for 2024					Curriculum Leaders	Review: Learning Area Action Plan document engaging and local curriculum contexts				
c. Consider local opportunities for curriculum contexts										
Focus 2: Junior Curriculum Development		Wł	nen	-		End of Year Review				
a. Continue PLD in foregrounding capabilities in teaching	T1	T2	Т3	T4	Currie dure	Objective: Junior Curriculum is localised to contexts, needs and interests of our students Resourcing: Local expertise Review: Unit reviews and planning for next year				
b. Integrate Te Ao Maori and Matauranga Maori in contexts					Curriculum Leaders					
c.Integrate local contexts in units of work										
Focus 3: Digital Technologies (school wide)		W	nen			End of Year Review				
a. Continue with PLD from external provider	T1	T2	Т3	T4		Objective: Staff are competent users of digital technologies Resourcing: David Kinane				
b. Develop a digital competence checklist (students and staff)					DM	Review: Technology Plan 2023 and beyond				
c. Review Technology / Design programmes and courses										

# Goal 2: Support Students to Navigate Purposeful Pathways

Outcome: Students are learning ready, life ready, work ready, world ready

Strategic Initiative 1: Behavioural Support (The Hauraki Way) Students are supported to meet our expectations for learning and behaviour											
Focus 1: The Hauraki Way		Wh	en		Who	End of Year Review					
a. Develop a fortnightly focus for students and staff	T1	T2	Т3	T4	DR Deans	Objective: Students are clear on what is expected of them					
b. Promote 'Black and White' for sports expectations						Resourcing: Deans Handbook Review: Behavioural data					
c. Include in assemblies, River Time and E-Bulletins											
Focus 2: Professional Development for Staff		Wh	en		Who	End of Year Review					
a. Identify key classroom management issues	T1	T2	Т3	T4	SLT Deans	Objective: Staff are insistent, persistent and consistent in enforcing the Hauraki Way. Resourcing: PB4L resources Review: Classroom behaviour data, walkthroughs					
b. Unpack with staff and discuss strategies to support staff											
c. Reinforce systems for managing classroom issues											
Focus 3: Support for students		Wh	en		Who	End of Year Review					
a. Shift culture to helping students meet our expectations	T1	T2	Т3	T4	DR Deans	Objective: Teach with intention our expectations (if we want students to behave we have to teach them how) Resourcing: PB4L resources Review: PB4L review (Ministry resource)					
b. Develop small groups to support behaviour change											
c. Reinforce use of LAWS Plans											

Strategic Initiative 2: Learning and Careers Pathways Support Every student has the knowledge, skills and attributes to transition successfully to further learning and the work place										
Focus 1: Learning Support	When				Who	End of Year Review				
a. Ensure every Junior student with high needs has an IEP	T1	Т2	Т3	T4		Objective: The IEP documents clear strategies for the teacher, RG / Dean, student and parent				
b. Hold co-construction meetings for Learn Supp classes					WK SY	Resourcing:Learning Support Co-ordinators Review: IEP documents				
c. Utilise senor study students for in-class support										
Focus 2: School Leavers Toolkit / Certificate	When			-	Who	End of Year Review				
a. Develop a Leavers' Certificate	T1	T2	Т3	T4		Objective: School Leavers indicators are well documented. Resourcing:School Leavers Toolkit Review: Data on school leavers indicators				
b. Provide every school leaver with relevant certificate					ТВ					
c. Make use of Learning Curve planners & resources										
Focus 3: Careers Central		When		•	Who	End of Year Review				
a. Provide PLD to staff on use of Careers Central	T1	T2	Т3	T4		Objective: Careers Central is fully utilised				
b. Ensure every student fully utilises Careers Central					ТВ	Resourcing:Careers Central programme Review: Data on use of Careers Central; River Guide and Student feedback				
c. Provide regular items in e-bulletins on Careers Central					1					

Strategic Initiative 3: Wellbeing Support Every student has the knowledge, skills and attributes to transition successfully to further learning and the work place

Focus 1: AWE Survey		When			Who	End of Year Review
a. Undertake AWE Survey in Term 1	T1	T2	Т3	T4	JM	Objective: We have sound data of students and staff wellbeing
b. Follow up with students requiring support					JIVI	Resourcing: Assessing Wellbeing in Education Survey: Review: End of year data / feedback from students
c. Identify and follow up school wide issues						
Focus 2: Diversity Ambassadors		Wł	nen		Who	End of Year Review
a. Identify key ambassadors eg Neurodiverse, Disability	T1	T2	Т3	T4	JM	Objective: A diverse range of students in represented, visible and cared for
b. Provide training to ambassadors						within the school community Resourcing: Head of Guidance, Student leaders
c. Develop and implement an action plan						Review: Feedback from students
Focus 3: Growing Resilient Learners		Wł	When		Who	End of Year Review
a. Redefine what is normal eg disappointment, anxiety	T1	T2	Т3	T4		Objective: Students are resilient and resourceful
b. Through individuals / groups / River time to give tools					JM	Resourcing: Guidance team Review: Student feedback
c. Survey students to identify growth and next steps						

# Goal 3: Develop Positive Community Partnerships

HPC provides expansive opportunities for our students and wider community.

Strategic Initiative 1: Partnership with Whanau and Iwi Maori are respected as Treaty partners											
Focus 1: Whare Taonga Project		Wh	en		Who	End of Year Review					
a. Gather stories for the Whare Taonga	T1	T2	Т3	T4	AN BOT RU	Objective: A Whare Taonga is established Resourcing: To be finalised Review: End of year review of progress					
b. Consult re design			-								
c. Establish a development / business plan											
Focus 2: Whānau Engagement		Wh	en		Who	End of Year Review					
a. Engage with Whanau re Matauranga Māori integration	T1	T2	Т3	T4	DM Curriculum Leaders	Objective: All Learning Areas have a significant Matauranga Māori component Resourcing: Local Iwi and Whānau Review: End of year stock take of junior units of work					
b.Continue to integrate Te Ao Māori into curriculum											
c.Stock take units with a Matauranga Māori perspective											
Focus 3: Te Reo and Tikanga		Wh	ien		Who	End of Year Review					
a. Establish senior Te Reo class(es)	T1	T2	Т3	T4		Objective: Te Reo is a flourishing language at HPC Resourcing: Normie Anderson / Inia Daymond Review: End of year review					
b. Continue with professional development for staff					AN DM						
c. Strengthen Kapa Haka											

<b>Strategic Initiatives 2 and 3: Local and Global Community</b> HPC has productive relationships with the wider community. Students have a sense of place in the global community										
Focus 1: The Hayward Farm	When				Who	End of Year Review Review				
a. Develop stronger learning links with farm as context	T1	T2	Т3	T4	ті	Objective: The Hayward Farm functions effectively with strong links to the school's curriculum				
b. Tidy up entrance way to farm					TJ Trust	Resourcing: Haurakian Trust, Secondary Tertiary Partnerships Review: End of year review meeting				
c. Establish effective communication with Trust and Farm Mgr										
Focus 2: Hauraki Kahui Ako		W	hen		Who	End of Year Review				
a. Share literacy and numeracy strategy with Kahui Ako	T1	T2	Т3	T4	HR	Objective: HPC is a positive, contributing partner within the Hauraki Kahui Ako				
b. Endeavour to secure more equitable LSC resourcing						Resourcing: Learning Support Co-ordinator team Review: Review Literacy and Numeracy achievement targets				
c. Review progress on addressing achievement challenges										
Focus 3: Tonga		W	hen		Who	End of Year Review				
a. Reconnect with Vaini Government School or other	T1	T2	Т3	T4	DM	Objective: HPC has a strong relationship with a Tongan school				
b. Set up "pen pals" initiative					PM CO	Resourcing: Tongan staff Review: Review at end of year				
c. Fundraise for Tonga (mufti day)										