

Welcome to
YEAR 8

PARENT EVENING

HAURAKI PLAINS COLLEGE



MRS SHARON MOLLER



Mrs Moller
Principal

Welcome
Evenings Agenda
Strategic Plan
HPC Values

SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM



Mrs Moller
Principal



Mrs Dowding
Deputy Principal



Mr Dreyer
Deputy Principal



Mrs Place
Deputy Principal



Mr O'Neill
Deputy Principal

**More
Than
A School**



Hauraki Plains College

Each for All - *Quisque pro omnibus*

Excellence is our tradition

Every student - *one at a time*

Endless opportunities

STRATEGIC PLAN

Key Success Factor 1 - Place

**There is a place for all students,
staff, and whānau at Hauraki
Plains College**

Key Success Factor 2 - Progress

**High-quality teaching and
learning to support progress for
all students**

Key Success Factor 3 - Pathways

**Experiences are designed for all
students to develop purposeful
pathways**

Key Success Factor 4 - Presence!

**Everyday Matters: Every day is
more than just a school day**

Key Success Factor 5 - People and Property

**High-quality staff working in a
well-resourced learning environment**



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HAURAKI PLAINS COLLEGE

2025



Hauraki Plains College

Who am I ?

What am I here for ?

Where am I going ?

Becoming best self Doing best work Being who you are Daring to dream Flat out and loving it Doing the right thing Leaving a legacy Honouring our heritage Excellence is our tradition Each for all

OUR PURPOSE Rangatiratanga

OUR PEOPLE Manaakitanga

OUR PLACE Kaitiakitanga

More Than A School

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Excellence IS OUR TRADITION





OPENING DOORS



YEAR 9 SUPPORT TEAM



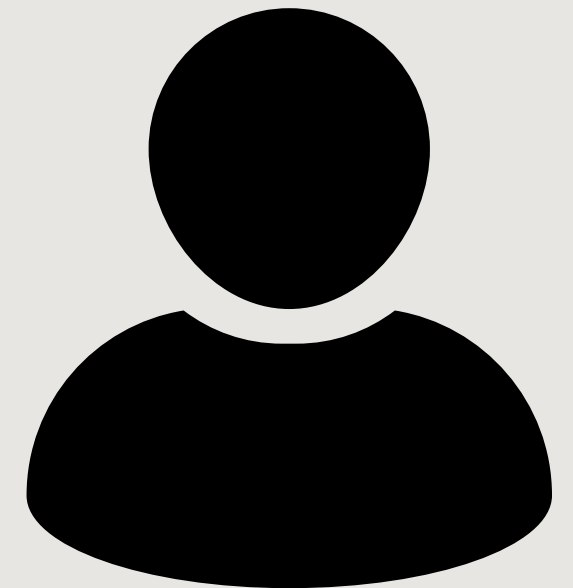
**River Guide
+ 2 x Yr13s**



Miss Fisher
Year 9 Dean



Miss Dickey
Year 9 Dean



**Year Level
DP**

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YEAR 9 EXPERIENCE



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RIVER CLASSES



Hauraki Plains College

9VG
2025



Back Row: George Harris, Benson Quick, Natara Cochran, Ashton Clark, Ganidu Pitiyegedara
2nd Row: Maggie O'Neill, Scott Steinemann, Isaac Wallace, Aidan Bell, Dylan Drew, Ivan Geerlings (River Guide)
Front Row: Pippa Jones-Honeybun, Kaitlin Fagan, Jessie-Lyn Savage, Summer Rakete, Lena Rumble
Absent: Brody Eccles, Willow Hammond

Extended River
Wellbeing
Academic Conversations
Whanaungatanga
Notices
River Challenges



SUBJECTS

Term Options - Pick 4 (1 per term)

Core subjects full year

English
Mathematics
PE/Health
Humanities
Science

Technology

Digital
Food
Wood
Metal
DVC
Textiles

Arts

Media
Art
Dance
Drama
Music

Languages

Te Reo Māori
Spanish

TIMETABLES

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:55am – Warning Bell	8:40am – Warning Bell	8:40am – Warning Bell	8:40am – Warning Bell	8:40am – Warning Bell
River Whānau Learning 9.00 - 10.15	River Check-in 8.45 - 8.55	River Check-in 8.45 - 8.55	River Check-in 8.45 - 8.55	River Check-in 8.45 - 8.55
	Block 1 9.00 - 10.15	Block 1 9.00 - 10.15	Block 1 9.00 - 10.15	Block 1 9.00 - 10.15
Block 2 10.20 - 11.35	Block 2 10.20 - 11.35	Block 2 10.20 - 11.35	Block 2 10.20 - 11.35	Block 2 10.20 - 11.35
Interval 11.35 - 12.00	Interval 11.35 - 12.00	Interval 11.35 - 12.00	Interval 11.35 - 12.00	Interval 11.35 - 12.00
Block 3 12.05 - 1.20	Block 3 12.05 - 1.20	Block 3 12.05 - 1.20	Block 3 12.05 - 1.20	Block 3 12.05 - 1.20
Lunch 1.20 - 1.50	Lunch 1.20 - 1.50	Lunch 1.20 - 1.50	Lunch 1.20 - 1.50	Lunch 1.20 - 1.50
Block 4 1.50 - 3.05	Block 4 1.50 - 3.05	Block 4 1.50 - 3.05	Block 4 1.50 - 3.05	Learning Lab 1.50 - 3.05



OPPORTUNITIES

Opportunities outside the classroom including but not limited to the following:
(may change due to staffing or demand)

48 Hour Film	Impact Group	Showquest
Art Champs	Language Clubs	Student Council
Book Club	Jazz Band	Young Farmers Club
Breakfast Club	Choir	Photography Club
Badminton	Basketball	Chess
Clay Target Shooting	Cricket	Cross Country
Cycling	Equestrian	Esports
Football	Hockey	Lawn Bowls
Moto-X	Netball	Rowing
Rugby & League	Table Tennis	Tennis
Touch	Volleyball	Waka Ama



DISCOVERY DAY

Come discover HPC!

Tour of the school

Meet your future River and

River Guide

Choose your term options

Sausage sizzle

*Save
The
Date*

9th December

2025



STUDENT WELLBEING SERVICES TEAM



Mrs Williamson
Student Services



Mrs McInnes
School Nurse



Mrs Hinton
Team Leader
Registered Social
Worker



Mrs Maxwell
Counsellor

STUDENT SUPPORT

- Hub (library)
- 2 Year 9 Deans and big pastoral team
- Student Services Centre with Nurse and Counsellors
- Teacher Aides and Learning Support Team



MEDICAL



Mrs McInnes
Nurse

Pinnacle Midlands Health Network
and Te Whatu Ora provide a free
school based health clinic.

Susan McInnes - School Nurse
(Monday to Friday)

Dr Anna Teata - School GP
(Wednesday morning)

WELLBEING



Mrs Hinton
*Lead - Student
Wellbeing*

LEARNING SUPPORT



Naomi Fisher
*Learning Support
Coordinator*



Rachel Purcell
Junior SENCO



**Jacqui-May
Allison-Dodds**
Senior SENCO



Laura Dowding
*Learning Support
Deputy Principal*

GENERAL INFORMATION



YEAR 9 CERTIFICATE

YR9 CERTIFICATE & YR10 DIPLOMA OF LEARNING

CALCULATION OF GRADE POINT AVERAGE (GPA)

70%: Progress of Learning

Six subjects each offer a maximum of four progress points. Progress points are based on pre-topic and post-topic tests, class assessments, and teacher judgements. Students earning less than 24 progress points will have their progress worked out as a percentage of 70%. **24 progress points = 70%**

10%: Attendance

0% Less than 79%
5% 80% - 89%
10% 90% or more

10%: Out of Class Participation

0% No activities
5% 1-2 activities
10% 3 or more activities

10%: Hauraki Way and RMK

0% 4 or more pastoral entries
5% 1-3 pastoral entries
10% No pastoral entries

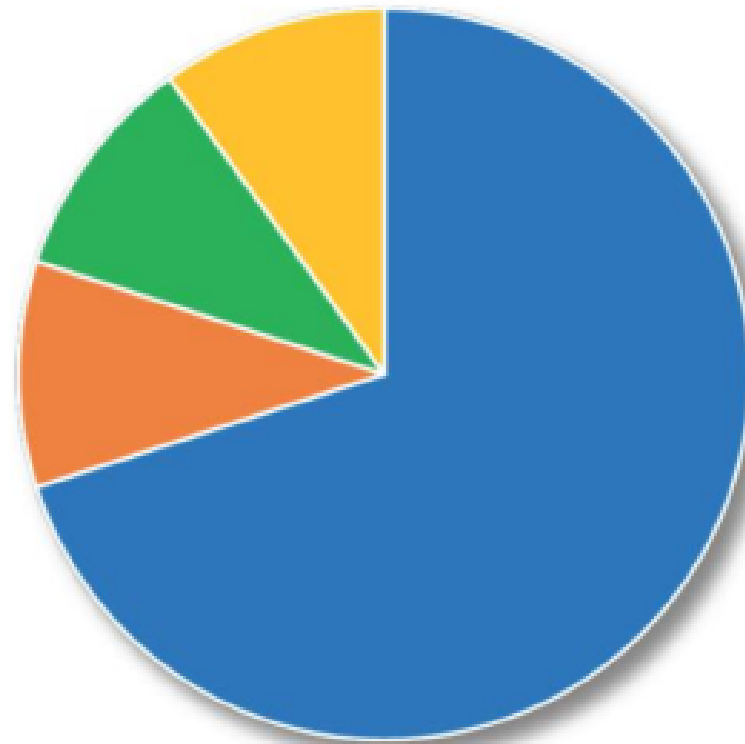
ENDORSEMENTS*

Achieve: GPA of 50% to 74%

Merit: GPA of 75% to 84%

Excellence: GPA of 85% to 100%

**Term 2, Term 3 and Term 4 GPA's are averaged to calculate the endorsement level*



Progress of Learning
Attendance
Pastoral (Hauraki Way)
Out of class

HAURAKI WAY

Hands off people and property
Allow Learning to Happen
Use Appropriate Language
Remember your manners and RMK
Alcohol, smoking and drugs are not on
Keep it tidy, keep it kind, keep it honest
Instructions must be followed: adults are in charge.



Wear our uniform with pride
Arrive on time and stay within boundaries
You are responsible for your digital citizenship

FRIDAY EMAIL

Weekly Attendance Summary

Every day matters! The Ministry of Education wants all students to attend school regularly. Regular attendance is defined as missing 5 or fewer school days per term (90% attendance). We are committed to increasing the percentage of HPC students who attend school regularly. If you would like to discuss how school can better support Benjamin's attendance please contact their River Guide.

If any of the codes need changing please email studentservices@haurakiplains.school.nz

Here is a list of the Ministry of Education attendance codes: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1v5MKLKst8Y4chGOFN6PPJ0kVHe2tsHR5/view?usp=sharing>

Attendance this week

	Mon, 18 Aug		Tues, 19 Aug		Wed, 20 Aug	Thur, 21 Aug		Fri, 22 Aug	
River Group	P	SRVR	P	SRVR		P	SRVR	P	SRVR
Block 1	P	SRVR	P	13CAL		P	13DIT	P	13STU
Block 2	P	13CAL	P	13DIT		P	13PHY	13CHE	
Block 3	P	13ENGB	P	13CHE		P	13CAL	13DIT	
Block 4	P	13PHY	P	13STU		P	13ENGB	ACC	
	P Present								

Attendance This Year

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Year
Attendance Rate	100%	95%	96%	98%
Late Occurrences	0	1	1	2
	Regular Attendance (attending more than 90%)	Regular Attendance (attending more than 90%)	Regular Attendance (attending more than 90%)	Regular Attendance (attending more than 90%)

RECOGNITION POINTS

Date	Subject	Staff	Points	Recognitions
19/08/2025	13CHE	AO	1	Manaakitanga in the classroom
				<i>AO - Sharing is caring</i>
18/08/2025	13PHY	MR	1	Manaakitanga in the classroom
				<i>Ben was extra helpful in cleaning up room 32 before construction. MR</i>
21/08/2025	No Subject	MS	2	Kaitiakitanga outside classroom
				<i>Ben helped Boris our caretaker pull down marquees from the Tuesday school event (that Ben helped at too!). Boris was very impressed with his positive attitude and willingness to pitch in and help. Awesome mahi, Ben. From Mrs Moller.</i>
18/08/2025	13ENGB	NB	1	Rangatiratanga in the classroom
				<i>Thank you for helping to pack away the chromebooks~ Mrs Banwell</i>
22/08/2025	13NB	NB	1	Rangatiratanga in the classroom
				<i>100% attendance! Well done :) Mrs Banwell</i>
Total Points this year				24

UNIFORM



Uniforms for sale tonight

ORDER UNIFORM ONLINE

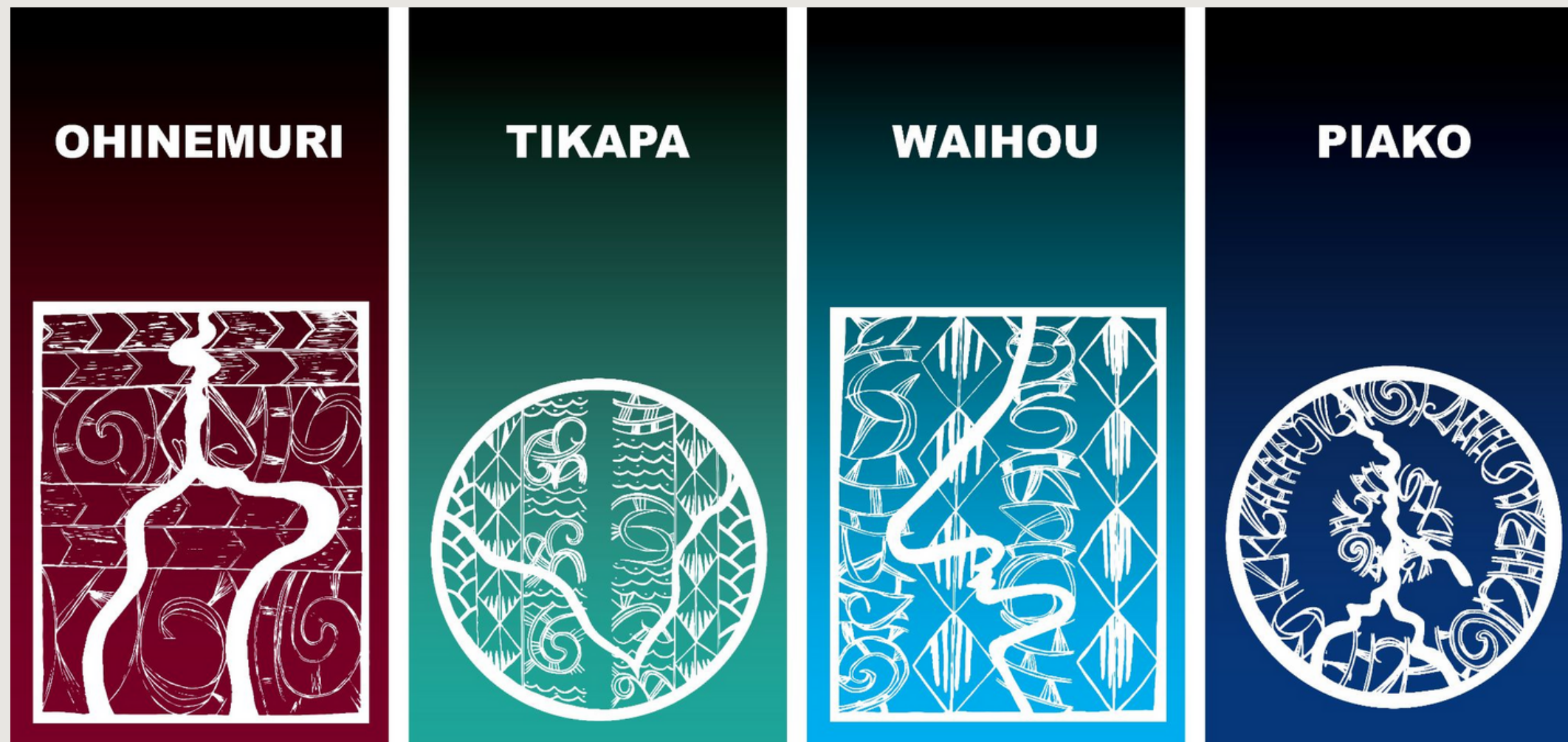
www.argyleonline.co.nz

PE GEAR AND FOOTWEAR

www.nzuniforms.com



HAPU UNIFORM



PE GEAR AND FOOTWEAR

www.nzuniforms.com

STATIONERY

www.myschool.co.nz

Year 9 subjects

Core subjects and option class



BYOD

- All Year 9 students at Hauraki Plains College required to have their own laptop at school.
- Our preferred device for students is a Chromebook.
- Families can purchase Chromebooks from any retailer.
- For families who are unable to purchase a Chromebook, we do offer the option of a loan device sourced from older HPC Chromebooks. Students can borrow a device by collecting one in the morning from 'The Hub' and dropping it back at 3pm each day.



BUS

- Hauraki Area: HPC Bus Controller - Michelle Isbister (michellei@haurakiplains.school.nz)
- Paeroa Area: Dee's Private Hire 07 862 6985
- Thames & Tairua Area: Tairua Bus Company - Steve 027 211 0983
- Thames Area: Thames Taxis - Mohan Singh 027 943 3692 (thamestaxis@xtra.co.nz)
- Hunua Area: Vicky Bean (the_beans@xtra.co.nz)
- Pukekohe/Bombay Area: Scott Dales 021 216 2371 (thereandback238@gmail.com)

All other enquiries:

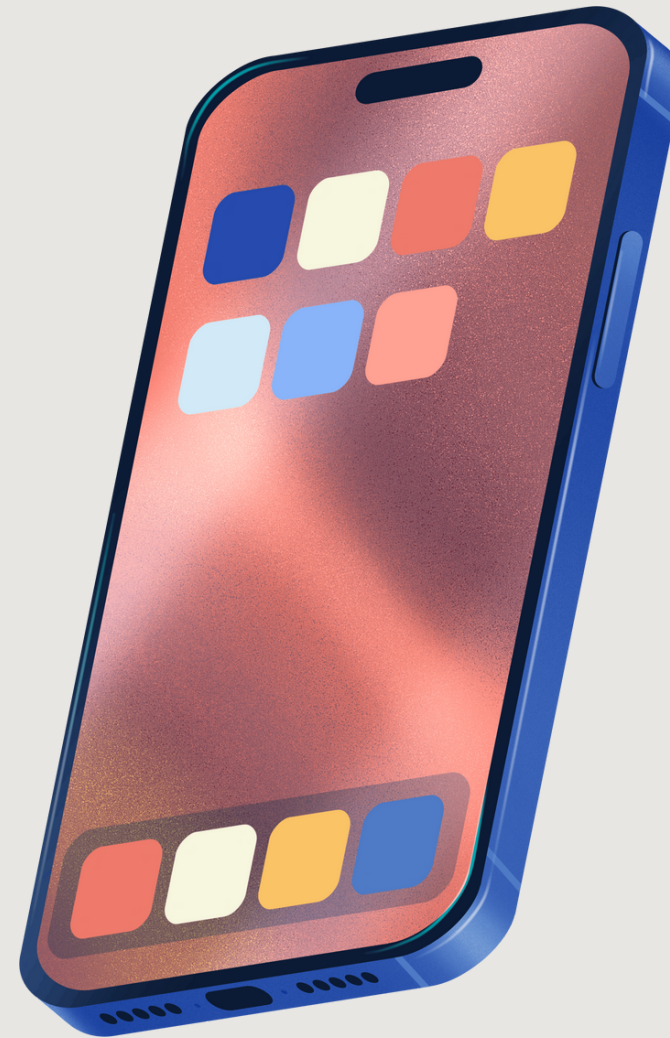
HPC Bus Controller - Michelle Isbister (michellei@haurakiplains.school.nz)

KEEP IN TOUCH



Hauraki Plains College:
What's happening at HPC

HPC Sports Page



School App



The office will reopen on:
end of January (Confirmed dates will be on
our website and facebook page.

Phone: 07 867 7029

**Email: [studentservices
@haurakiplains.school.nz](mailto:studentservices@haurakiplains.school.nz)**

QUESTIONS



Thank You