



PAPAKURA
HIGH SCHOOL

KIA PUAWAI

Promoting a sustainable transition into Papakura High School

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At Papakura High School, we strive to demonstrate our value of

COMMITMENT - Manawanui.

We strive for excellence and persevere in the face of challenge.

In Te Reo we say: *Me mate ururoa.*

In Samoan we say: *La tatou tauivi mo mea silisili ma onosai pe'a feagai ma luitau ma faafitauli.*

In Tongan, we say:

Oku tau ngaue kihe lelei taha moe kitaki 'ihe fehengahangai moe ngaahi pole 'oe mo'ui.

Name: _____

Kaitohutohu: _____

WELCOME TO YEAR 9

To support your transition from Year 8 into Year 9 at Papakura High School, you will have guidance through our KIA PUAWAI programme.

Every term, you will work towards achieving tasks that will support your learning journey at PHS.

This booklet has information about the KIA PUAWAI transition programme.

WHY *do I need to be part of the KIA PUAWAI programme?*

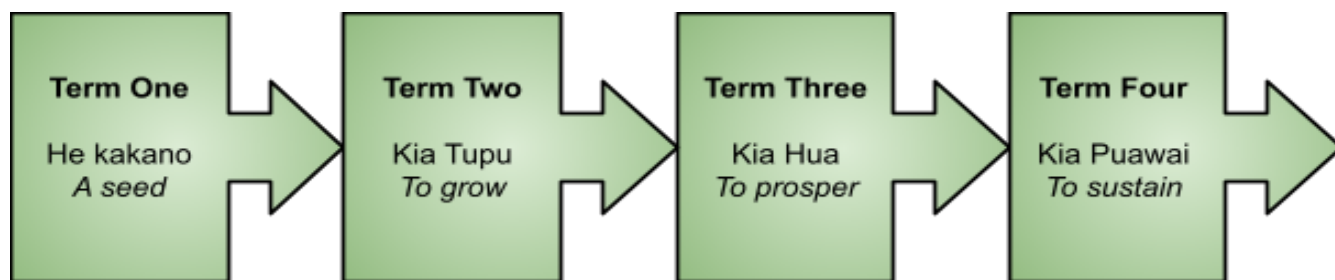
Transitioning into High School can be difficult, and it is essential that we all support each other in adapting to this different learning environment.

By ensuring you commit to completing every task in the KIA PUAWAI programme, you will demonstrate our school value of 'manawanui / commitment'.

This value is significant as it will set you up for success during your time at PHS.

Another important reason WHY you will be part of the KIA PUAWAI programme is that you are prepared to enter our Year 10 Te Tohu Rangatira programme (this programme helps prepare you for NCEA Level 1).

WHAT tasks do I need to complete to achieve points each term?



Attend school 85% minimum	Attend school 85% minimum	Attend school 85% minimum	Attend school 85% minimum
Join in co-curricular activities, sport, cultural group, leadership etc	Join in co-curricular activities, sport, cultural group, leadership etc	Join in co-curricular activities, sport, cultural group, leadership etc	Join in co-curricular activities, sport, cultural group, leadership etc
Arrive to classes on time	Arrive to classes on time	Arrive to classes on time	Arrive to classes on time
Sit e-asTTle and PAT assessments	Sit e-asTTle assessments	Select options with informed guidance	Sit e-asTTle and PAT assessments
Participate in whānau sports day	Engage in whānau haka competition	Engage in whānau competition	Engage in whānau time
Self manage my learning - manawanui	Self manage my learning - manawanui	Self manage my learning - manawanui	Self manage my learning - manawanui
Engage in Kia Rangatira time	Engage in Kia Rangatira time	Kia Rangatira - Engage in community project	
Name all my teachers, Kaitiaki and Kaiawhina of my whanau	Name my new teachers, name all leaders	Name my new teachers, name the pastoral team	Achieve to the national average in my subjects
Self manage my behaviour	Self manage my behaviour	Self manage my behaviour	Self manage my behaviour
	Engage in a reading challenge	Engage in a reading challenge	Engage in a reading challenge

HOW *will I know if I am on track?*

How do I monitor my progress?

Every three weeks, you will reflect on your level of Manawanui in all of your subjects. Your teachers will also do the same. This way, you will identify any subjects in which you need to put more effort. Each term, you will track your overall progress in your kaitohutohu. You will receive a copy of your points and see where you can make improvements in the next term.

If you do not demonstrate you are on track to pass your Kia Puawai Programme each term, you are showing us that you might not be ready to graduate into Year 10.

The points you collect in Term 4 will be the final indicator of your achievement for the year.

Kia Puawai - Expert:	58 - 73 points (80 – 100%)
Kia Hua - Proficient:	47 - 57 points (65 – 79%)
Kia Tupu - Beginner:	40 - 46 points (55 – 64%)

What happens if I don't achieve the minimum number of points?

Suppose you don't achieve the required level of the Kia Puawai Programme at the end of the year. In that case, you and your whānau will need to meet with your Kaiarahi, Tumuaki Tuarua / Deputy Principal or the Tumuaki / Principal.

At this meeting, the Kaiarahi, Tumuaki Tuarua / Deputy Principal or Tumuaki / Principal will discuss a peer supporter being assigned to work alongside you in Year 10.

If I get a low number of points in one term, am I able to increase the number of points I earn in the other terms?

Yes. Look at the table on the next page to see how you earn points each term.

Points to be collected from **Term 1**

Students earn points from:	Points to be entered at the end of every term.	Points awarded by:
<p>Attendance</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Kia puawai: 95% - 100% attendance for term (4 points), ● Kia hua: 90% - 94% attendance for term (3 points), ● Kia tupu: 85% - 89% attendance for term (2 points), ● He kakano: 80% - 84% attendance for term (1 point), ● Below 80% for a term - no points awarded. 	Kaitohutohu
<p>Manawanui Commitment “Strive for excellence and persevere in the face of challenge”</p> <p>You have 7 subjects. Every term you can get a maximum of 4 <i>manawanui</i> points in <u>each</u> subject)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Kia puawai: (4 points) – consistently strives and perseveres to complete set work ● Kia hua: (3 points) – usually strives and perseveres to complete set work ● Kia tupu: (2 points) – commitment to completing set work is inconsistent ● He kakano: (1 point) – mostly a passive learner – little work completed 	Subject teachers
<p>Learning in each subject</p> <p>(You have 7 subjects. In Term 4 you can get a maximum of 4 <i>learning</i> points in <u>each</u> subject)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Kia puawai: (4 points) – consistently demonstrates excellent levels of achievement (above Level 5) ● Kia hua: (3 points) – mostly demonstrates highly proficient (merit) levels of achievement (At Level 5) ● Kia tupu: (2 points) – mostly demonstrates proficient levels of achievement (Below Level 5) ● He kakano: (1 point) – mostly demonstrates low levels of achievement (Well below Level 5) 	Subject Teachers
<p>Engagement in whānau</p> <p>Kia Rangatira</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Kia puawai: (4 points) – shows leadership and consistently participates in kaitohutohu & whānau activities ● Kia hua: (3 points) – consistently participates in kaitohutohu & whānau activities ● Kia tupu: (2 points) - usually participates in kaitohutohu & whānau activities ● He kakano: (1 point) – attends, but is a passive participant – rarely participates 	Kaitohutohu
<p>Co-curricular participation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Kia puawai: (4 points) – fully involved in culture, arts, sport or service. 	Kaitohutohu (and TIC)
<p>Completion of key assessments</p>	<p>You will have 8 compulsory assessments in Term 1, Term 2 and Term 4 (PAT/e-asTTle).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 1 point will be awarded for each assessment fully completed 	Kaitohutohu
<p>Reading Challenge</p> <p>Complete the HELL Reading Challenge pizza wheel by reading and reviewing seven books, and redeem it for a free 333 HELL Pizza.</p>	<p>Points are spread over the terms as follows;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Term 2 = 2 books ● Term 3 = 3 books ● Term 4 = 2 books 	Kaitohutohu

WHO *will be able to support me with the KIA PUAWAI programme?*

- Your kaitohutohu (home room teacher)
- The kaiawhina (peer support students) who will be with you every week
- Your kaitiaki (prefects)
- Your subject teachers
- Your kaiarahi (dean)
- Your whānau

INFORMATION FOR WHĀNAU

We look forward to working alongside you and your tamaiti/child to ensure they successfully transition into PHS. We believe that by working together to support your child in completing the KIA PUAWAI programme, they will achieve success this year.

To ensure you are able to support your child's progress it is important to:

- Keep in regular contact with their kaitohutohu
- Check your child's progress regularly using the KAMAR portal
- Talk with your child about their progress and goals for the term
- Attend ALL whānau events/interviews/celebration evenings etc

