


## TE KĀPEHU WHETŪ

### Kia ora e te whānau

#### He tino pukumahi .... whakamiharo ki te wāhanga tuatoru.

We have achieved so much this term building ākonga and kura capability from Paenuku right through to Paerangi. This can be seen in **Kia Māori**, through all the hard work that went into prepping Paerangi for competing at secondary kapa haka Tōkihi Ki Tua, right through to the whole Kura hosting Kupu Ora Kapa Haka last week, with Paenuku taking to the stage and performing first. In terms of **Kia Mātau**, Paetawhiti stands out for the hard work put in by all, to ensure most ākonga got through the common assessment's tests. A pass that's necessary to ensure they have the base qualification to achieve NCEA. As for **Kia Tū Rangatira** we saw Paenuku continuing to build their taumata skills, Paetata and Paetawhiti working with Jolene Busby to build their waka skills and Paerangi looking at what future opportunities exist and how best to prepare for them.

Which brings me to the announcement I made at the Whanau Hui on Thursday.



**TAKING ENROLMENTS**

Te Kāpehu Whetū is proud to announce its expansion from its founding Kura in Whangārei, to a new senior Kura in Tāmaki Makaurau

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**Key Details:**

- First cohort starts: February 2026
- Intake: Years 11-13 only, day and boarding students
- Kura location: Central Auckland
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For more information about Te Kāpehu Whetū and its expansion into Tāmaki Makaurau, visit:

- Te Kāpehu Whetū website - [www.tkw.ac.nz](http://www.tkw.ac.nz)
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### **Te Kāpehu Whetu is expanding into Tāmaki:**

- For senior students (year 11-13) only
- Providing for boarding and day students
- Especially for those with a focus and keen interest on:
  - **Academic future** (university) and/or
  - **High performing sports** (7s, Rugby League, basketball, Netball) and/or
  - **Access into specific industries** ie: IT, Tech, creatives

**For more information go to our website, click on the link on the front page**

**[www.tkw.ac.nz](http://www.tkw.ac.nz)**

**Or go directly to the Tāmaki Landing page**

**[www.tkwtamaki.ac.nz](http://www.tkwtamaki.ac.nz)**

For our ākonga who wish to stay in Whangarei at TKW, nothing changes we continue to offer NCEA, UE, and a platform for vocational training.

**NOTE:** We are expecting high interest so know that TKW ākonga have automatic access if they meet basic entrance requirements. Students from outside TKW will be on a waiting list and must also meet same requirements.

**We will hold whanau hui next term for those who want to know more.**

**If you want to attend pls complete the enquiry form on the landing page or let whaea Jackie or whaea Kerrian know.**

Please let friends and whanau with senior ākonga outside TKW know as well.

**This is a pathway for those whanau who have had an interest to send their tamaiti to education in Auckland and a desire to access higher learning &/or high-performance sports &/or industry opportunities BUT**

- without having to go to unfamiliar schools,
- without the same financial strain and
- with people they know

**Reducing the worry, stress and concern whether they will fit in and succeed.**

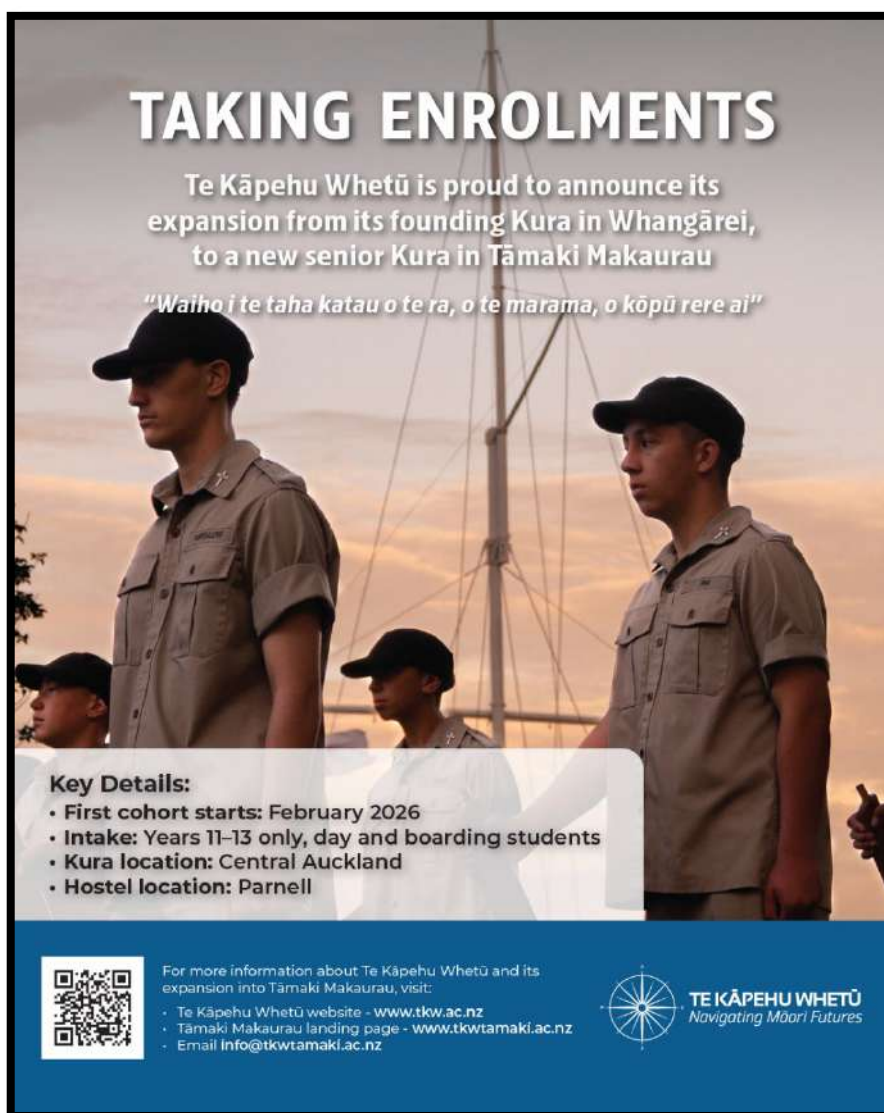
## KEY DATES FOR TERM 3

### Term 4 – Week 1

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> Oct**

**First Day of Term 4**

**Whole Kura Pōwhiri @Maumahara**



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Kia pai tō wiki

Whaea Rae



*NAU MAI, HOKI MAI KI NGĀ TŪAHUTANGA O....*

## PAENUKU!

Ko te kaupapa motuhake ō tēnei  
wāhanga tuatoru o te tau, Ko tēnei,  
Ngāpuhi Kōwhaorau.

Tēnei mātou e maioha atu nei, e mihi  
nei, Tēnā rā tātou katoa, manawatia i  
ngā kaupapa mōtuhake o te waa nei,  
Ko Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori, me te Hikoi  
hei tohu whakamaumahara i te hikoi  
rongonui ki Paremata e 50 tau i mūri  
ake nei, e pa ana ki te Ture Whenua  
Māori. Nā tō tātou nei Tūpuna Kuia a  
Whina Cooper i timata ai. Hei  
whakamanatia, hei hiki, hei hāpai i te  
māhi o tēnei Rangatira.

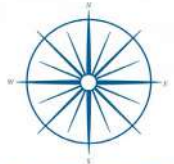
Nei rā ka rere ngā mihi kia koutou te  
whānau o Te Kāpehu Whetū whānui i  
huihuia mai ki te whakanui i te  
kaupapa whakahirahira o te wā nei.  
Nau Mai Rā ki ngā kaupapa nui o tē  
nei wiki.

He mīharo rawa te karanga huihuinga  
ki hui tāhi ai

E kaha tonu ana e ngā tamariki o  
Paenuku ki te hanga tāonga, māhi toi,  
mō te rā mākete. He ngākaunuitia  
tēnei mō ngā tamariki, e māhi tahi  
ana, kia kite atu i ngā hua kua  
pūawaitia e ngā tamariki hei  
whakamana, hei hiki hei tautoko i  
ēnei kaupapa nui me ōna  
tūahuatanga katoatia.







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### He huihuinga tangata o Paenuku whānui!

He miharo katoa ngā iho pū manawa o Paenuku whānui ki te whakarite i ngā māhinga toi e hāngai ana ki nga kaupapa katoa o te waa nei, ko ngā tūmomo māhi toi hanga tāonga, whakakarakara banners, haki mō ta kaha ake I te wiki o te reo Māori me te hikoi, me te māhi Kapahaka anō hoki. Inanahi, he ra harihari, he ra whakangahau tangata hei whakaoti ai I te mūtunga o te wāhanga Tuatoru, Ka mau te wēhi. Māhi nui i roto i tēnei wahanga, e mihi kau ake ana kia kōutou katoa.

**Tū Rangatira, Tū Whakangahau I roto  
I taku Reo Māori e !!!**



### ‘Kia kotahi te whakaaro , kia tū tahi ai tātou’.

Inā te mahi he rangatira. Tēnei kā mihi ki ngā tamariki katoa e tino pūmau ana ki ngā tikanga o Paenuku.



E ako ana rātou i ngā tūāhuatanga o te māhi o wā tātou nei tino rangatira o Ngapūhi Kōwhaorau. Miharo rawa, i tā kōutou kaha, ki te ako, ki te mau kia ū ki te kaupapa ako. E pau kaha ana koutou ki te whakaatu mai i tō koutou nei mōhiotanga, māramatanga ki ngā kaupapa motuhake o te wā.

Kia kaha tonu tamariki mā, kia maia, kia manawanui. E tū rangatira ai koutou, e tū whakahirahira, Kia māori, kia mātau, kia tū rangatira ai. Mauri ora kia tātou.

### Wero Paratunu o Te Kāpehu Whetū whānui



I puta ngā rangatira ki te whakatinana i o rātou nei pukenga whakapakari whakaako, me te tū kaha, tū maia mō wā rātou nei Platoons a Mako, a Tui, a Katipo. I tēnei wiki. Miharo rawa I ngā wero me kii ngā taki he rā pai .. kua tākoto te manuka kei reira. Harihari katoa e te whanau ki te tautoko I te Kaupapa. Kā nui te mihi e taitamariki mā. Ko ngā Toa o te ra Ko wai ? Ko Katipo.



## PAETATA

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TE KĀPEHU WHETŪ WEEK 10 PĀNUI

### PANUI MO TE WIKI TUANGAHURU

Kia ora e te whānau,

Well it seems we have reached the end of another term safely, and what a way to wrap it up – celebrating who we are, Māori to the core. Our kapa haka gala was a huge success and the perfect way to finish off what has been a busy and energetic term.

A big mihi to all the schools who joined us to mark this special occasion, Tikipunga Primary, Hora Hora School, Raurimu School, Matarau and Hurupaki Schools.

Coming together to commemorate 50 years of te reo Māori and 50 years since the historic land march led by our kuia, Dame Whina Cooper.

It was a a celebration filled with whanaungatanga, manaakitanga, culture, waiata, kapa haka, performances, and of course, delicious kai!





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## PAETAWHITI

Term 3  
Week 10

Kia Māori  
Kia Mātau  
Kia Tū Rangatira  
ai



# Paetawhiti

## The far horizon

Another term has wrapped up, and I think we're all ready for the upcoming break. It's been a full-on term with kapa haka regionals and a strong academic focus, especially preparing ākonga for the Common Assessment exams. Whaea Petina and I are proud of all the hard work we've seen. We love being part of this whare and truly appreciate the way ākonga show up each day — ready to learn and connect with their friends.

Next term is a big one as we prepare our Year 10s to move into Paerangi next year — whether in Tāmaki or here in Whangārei — and support our Year 9s as they get ready to step up and lead the whare. The focus will be on building independence in learning, career planning, leadership development, and strengthening core literacy and numeracy skills. You'll receive a term overview in Week 1 of Term Four.

Special thanks to:

- Our whānau — thank you for making sure our ākonga arrive ready and prepared each day. We see and appreciate your efforts.
- Whaea Jolene — a steady presence in our whare. She may not say much at hui, but her actions speak volumes. We're grateful for her constant support, generosity, and commitment to Te Kāpehu Whetū.
- And lastly, a loud shout out to our amazing admin team — nothing would run without you three. You truly keep us humming.



Enjoy having your kids at home while we enjoy spending some time with our whānau. We look forward to seeing you all in Term Four.



## PAERANGI

### And that's Term 3 complete!

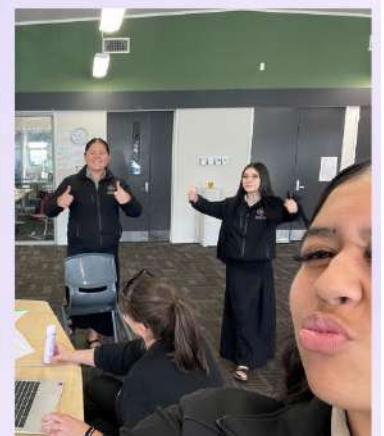
Well done to all ākonga who kept working right to the end to get their assessments complete. Next term Paerangi only have four weeks of kura before they are allowed to finish for the year - if they have completed all mahi required.

Its time to have a well deserved break. Its also a good time to hand out your CV to local businesses and apply for summer jobs. The competition for these jobs is tough so the earlier you start applying and the more places you visit with your CV the greater your chance. For those who aren't looking for paid work, remember there are plenty of jobs you can do around the house during this break to help out. The gaming, scrolling and tiktoking should not be your staple activities, much sure you get out there and be active!



It was great to see all Paerangi helping out this week with both the Kupu ora Kapa haka Gala and the inter platoon day at Paenuku, supporting the kaupapa utilising their individual strenghts. Overall an excellent way to finish the term.

He waka eke noa







## NCEA me te Whānau workshop registrations

*Kei ngā pou whakahā, kei ngā pou whakawhitinga o te mātauranga i ngā kura puta noa i Aotearoa, tēnā koutou kataa!*

The NCEA me te Whānau team would like to invite you to book our upcoming workshops for Term 4, 2025. Given the examination season is approaching, these workshops will **ONLY** be available during the first 4 weeks of Term 4 (from **Monday 6 October** to **Thursday 30 October**).

### How our workshops are designed:

Workshops are 1-hour long and can be delivered in-person\* or online. The NCEA me te Whānau workshop is delivered in the evening when whānau are available to attend. Ākonga workshops are offered during school hours.

\*Note: In-person delivery is subject to the availability of a kaihāpai (facilitator) in your area or region at the date/time requested.

### How to request a workshop:

If you would like to host a workshop, please complete our registration form by scanning the QR code or clicking [here](#).

Once the registration has been received, a member of our team will be in touch to confirm dates and other arrangements.

### In Term 4, we will be offering the following workshops:

1. **NCE A-Z** is designed to ensure **ākonga** are well-prepared for NCEA. This workshop focusses on essential information that ākonga can quickly grasp, instilling confidence within themselves to embark on their NCEA journey.
2. **Tertiary Prep** is designed to ensure **ākonga** are present to the considerations and decisions they may need to make when considering tertiary study.
3. **NCEA me te Whānau** is designed to assist **parents and caregivers** in supporting their tamaiti. It covers every crucial aspect of NCEA and offers guidance on how to help their tamaiti make informed subject choices.



For more information about our workshops, please reach out to [nceametewhanau@nzqa.govt.nz](mailto:nceametewhanau@nzqa.govt.nz)







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## Te Manawa Tahī Community Timetable

WHANGĀREI  
BREAM BAY & KAIPARA



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All hubs are open from 9:00am until 12:00pm unless otherwise stated.

DATE	HUB LOCATIONS	Term 4 2025, Weeks 1 to 5
Thurs 9 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Clark Road Chapel, 4-6 Clark Road, Kamo	
Wed 15 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Bream Bay Community Trust, 9 Takutai Pl, Ruakākā	
Thurs 16 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Ministry of Education, 24 Kaka St, Morningside	
Thurs 23 <sup>rd</sup> Oct	Onerahi Community House, 130 Onerahi Rd, Onerahi	
Wed 29 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Early Years Hub Dargaville, 28 Hokianga Rd, Dargaville	
Thurs 30 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Clark Road Chapel, 4-6 Clark Road, Kamo	
Wed 5 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Ministry of Education, 24 Kaka St, Morningside	

**Drop into a hub** or to see a Speech Language Therapist make an appointment by phoning **0800 524 842** or emailing **TT.Support@education.govt.nz**.

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DATE	HUB LOCATIONS	Term 4 2025, Weeks 6 to 9
Wed 12 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Bream Bay Community Trust, 9 Takutai Pl, Ruakākā	
Thur 20 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Hikurangi School, 4 Swan Avenue, Hikurangi	
Wed 26 <sup>th</sup> Nov	St John Ōtamatea Ambulance Hall, Maungaturoto	
Wed 26 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Ministry of Education, 24 Kaka St, Morningside	
Wed 3 <sup>rd</sup> Dec	Early Years Hub Dargaville, 28 Hokianga Rd, Dargaville	
Thurs 11 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Clark Road Chapel, 4-6 Clark Road, Kamo	

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## KAUPAPA



We believe passionately in our culture, our people, our ākonga, and we know that through hard work, commitment, and focused support, they will achieve within the Kura and beyond. We do this, hereby acknowledging the 28 Māori Battalion and the price paid for citizenship, so that ‘we’ can “Navigate Māori Futures”.

To do this, we commit to success in all its forms:

### **Kia Māori - Be Māori – Be**

An education that validates Māori knowledge and ways of learning.

### **Kia Mātau – Be Knowledgeable – Know**

Encouraging innovation, inquiry, and the development of specialised knowledge and skills.

### **Kia Tū Rangatira Ai – Be Rangatira – Do**

Development of strong character and personal excellence, living with mana.

Nā

Raewyn Tipene

POUHERE