



Who Strives, Conquers

NAPIER INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

Principal: Wendy Gray

'Growing and Empowering Learners'

August 2021

Dear Parent / Caregiver

I am aware that you will be making decisions soon about your child's placement for school for next year. I have pleasure in providing you with our 2021/ 2022 enrolment package.

Choosing a school for your child at any age is never easy. Before you decide you are welcome to come and have a look at our school and/or meet with me to discuss what Napier Intermediate School has to offer your child. Please do not hesitate to phone me on 8356013 to arrange a convenient time to meet with you. We will also organise for some of our students to show you and your child around the school.

Our prospectus is enclosed. We have an online enrolment form for 2021/22. It can be accessed at this address <https://enrolments.linc-ed.com/apply/NZ/2619> For 2022 we will be offering classes as straight Year 7 and straight Year 8 only. In 2021 because of the high number of students taking up BYOD we were able to provide all the remaining students with a school device, which remained at school. This may not always be possible. Please note we still promote the use of writing and reading not related to a device.

A parent information book, the opportunity to enroll in our music programme and information about our cybersafety process will be provided to all students upon acceptance of their enrolment form. My November/December letter will provide more information and will outline the organisation for day one of 2022. We have individual meetings with parents and students on Day One, as it significantly reduced both student and parent anxiety about moving to a new school.

We are aware of the difficulty for parents to get students to sports after school. To help with this we have our school van, which is used for volleyball and basketball throughout the seasons.

All in zone student enrolments are guaranteed a place in our school on proof of address. This is usually a Tenancy agreement, a power bill or a rates demand. If you are out of the zone, your enrollment will need to be returned to the school by the 15th October, so we can determine if it is necessary to go to a ballot. Please do not be put off by the enrolment zone as we currently have not needed to ballot. Please be quick or you may find that the Year 7 out of zone roll is closed. We also like to begin the process of placing your child in an appropriate class for 2022 before the end of 2021, so we can take into consideration the students' requests for friends in the same class.

We are aware of the difficulty some parents have getting students to school so this year we have provided free of charge the option of using our school van as a pick up and drop off vehicle from Port Ahuriri School. We plan to continue this dependent on numbers for 2021.

I wish you well with this important decision and look forward to meeting you.

Yours faithfully,

Wendy Gray
Principal

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