## WHAT IS TE WHARE O RAUKURA ABOUT?

The Whare o Raukura is the hub of Māoridom here at Raukura. Our vision is to have students engage in Te Reo Māori, kaupapa & tikanga Māori, become leaders in different arenas, leaders on paepae or ringawera of the marae, leaders in their workplace and at home. These young men are equipped with the skills, and confidence to be able to move easily in Te Ao Māori and in the wider environment.

The expectation of all students in our 9T, 10T & 11T House Groups is that they pursue Te Reo Māori as part of their subject choices, and that the kawatau o Te Whare o Raukura are upheld.



### NGĀ POUAKO O TE WHARE O RAUKURA - TEACHING STAFF

Currently there are six passionate and dedicated Pouako o Te Whare o Raukura. Namely, Rie Morris (Deputy Principal & Leader of Learning), Tīahomarama Fairhall (Assistant Leader of Learning), Jamus Webster (Māori Performing Arts Director), Michael Rurehe (Pouako), Linton Mascord (Pouako) & Tama Koopu (Pouako). All Pouako take care of the Whare House Groups and teach the various subjects on offer in our faculty.



E kīia nei te kōrero, "Whāia te iti kahurangi, ki te tuohu koe me he maunga teitei!" Together we will strive to achieve the goals and aspirations set by and for our Tāne Raukura.

Nāku noa, Whaea Rie Morris Deputy Principal & Leader of Learning Māori Te Whare o Raukura



# TE WHARE O RAUKURA



#### 9T1 & 9T2 - YEAR 9 TE WHARE O RAUKURA HOUSE GROUPS

We will have two Year 9 House Groups, namely 9THG1 & 9THG2. Students who indicate that they want to be part of these House Groups will need to complete the appropriate form in the enrolment pack.

9THG1 will consist of those who are fluent in Te Reo Māori as these students are accelerated in Year 10, and sit NCEA Level One Te Reo Māori.

9THG2 will consist of those who have a passion for & possess basic skills in Te Reo Māori but will not be accelerated in Te Reo Māori in Year 10.

Students will undertake core subjects like Te Reo Māori, Science, Mathematics, Physical Education or Academy Sports, Options and newly created Tikanga-ā-iwi.

Should students be successful in gaining a place in 9T next year, students and parents will be sent or given a 9T Graduate Profile which is a list of expectations that students are to adhere to as a student of Te Whare o Raukura. Whānau hui will be held with applicants at the end of the January holidays.



Photo: 2021 9THG1 & 9THG2

#### 10T - YEAR 10 TE WHARE O RAUKURA HOUSE GROUP

10T students sit NCEA Level One Te Reo Māori. This is why it is essential that students are fluent in Te Reo Māori, as they are accelerated in Year 10.

Students successful in gaining a place in 10T next year, students and parents will be reminded of the signed 10T Graduate Profile, and lists the expectations that students are to adhere to as a student of Te Whare o Raukura.

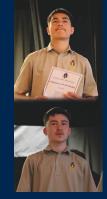


Photo: Eraia Kiel & Te Rauhiriwa Kilkelly - 2020, Joint Top 9T Students

#### 11T - YEAR 11 TE WHARE O RAUKURA HOUSE GROUP

11THG students typically sit NCEA Level Two Te Reo Māori. This is why it is essential that students are fluent in Te Reo Māori, as they continue to be accelerated in Year 11.

Should students be successful in gaining a place in 11T next year, students and parents will be reminded of the signed 11T Graduate Profile, and lists the expectations that students are to adhere to as a student of Te Whare o Raukura.



Photo: 2021 11THG students

#### RAUKURA KAPA HAKA

Contrary to what many people think, you do not have to be in Te Whare o Raukura House Groups in order to gain a place in our nationally & internationally recognised Raukura Kapa Haka. Students in our House Groups are, however, more exposed to kaupapa & tikanga Māori such as Pōhiri, Whakatau, Manu Kōrero etc.

Pānui will be posted to the Daily Notices & written on the Whare whiteboard in W2, regarding auditions/practices & kaupapa to do with the kapa.



Photo: 2019 Regional Champions Raukura Kapa Haka

#### SUBJECTS ON OFFER IN TE WHARE O RAUKURA

The subjects on offer are Year 9 & 10 Te Reo Māori as a core subject, with Reo Māori being the support language of instruction. Year 9 - Year 13 Raukura Performing Arts option subject with bilingual language instruction. Full immersion Te Reo Māori for 9T, 10T, NCEA Levels 1 - 3 & NCEA Level 3 Te Reo Rangatira/Unistart/Scholarship (Reserved for Year 13 only).



Photo: Year 9 students involved in Raukura Raranga in preparation for Matariki