

Ngāti Toa School

Pānui Tuatahi, Wāhanga Tuatahi 2026



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Tēnā koutou katoa,

Ko ngā iwi e toru. Ko Ngāti Toa Rangatira, ko Ngāti Raukawa, rātou ko Te Atiawa, kei te mihi, kei te mihi, kei te mihi. Ka mihi nui ki ngā tamariki, ngā kaiako, ngā kaimahi me te Poari o te Kura o Ngāti Toa. Te mihi whakataui i tērā wā, he pai rawa, he pai miharo. He mihi nui whakaharahara ki a Ngāti Toa Rangatira mō te tuku taonga mai ki a mātou, arā ko Jasmine Arthur, hei Tumuaki Tuarua mō tō mātou Kura.

Ko Hikurangi te maunga teitei,
Ko Waiapu te awa teretere,
Ko Ngāti Porou te iwi whānui,
Ko Horouta te waka Horohorowai,
Ko Paikea te tangata
Ko Ruataupare te marae
Ko Te Whānau ā Ruataupare ki Tuparoa te hapū
Ko Āpirana taku tama.
Nō Porirua ahau,
Ko Crystal Southey-Willis tōku ingoa.

I am very excited to be starting my new role as Tumuaki here at Ngāti Toa kura, alongside our new whānau Hautu and kaimahi. We have a big year planned, with lots of exciting events and some positive changes as we continue the hard work towards pursuing the revitalization of Te Reo Māori within our kura, raising student achievement and continue to strengthen our commitment to te taiao.

Ngā mihi,
Crystal Southey-Willis



Pitopito Kōrero a Jaz

Ka tū au ki te tihi o Whitireia kia purea ngā hau o Tawhirimatea.

Ka hoki aku mahara ki te pā enua o Aitutaki, Araura e Araura e!

Ka peka atu ki raro ki Tainui waka e whakariporipo ana ki ngā wai o Raukawa.

Ka kōkō ana taku rere ki Te Mana o Kupe, ki a Kapiti te kainga tupua.

Riripi ana taku rere ki Hongoeka pā ki Pauatahanui ki Te Awarua o Parirua, ki ngā tai pari e rua.

Ka tau tēnei manu ki te waha o Takapūwāhia e tuhia ki a Rangī ki Rangitūhi e.

Ko Toa ki runga ko Raha ki raro, nei rā tēnei uri o Ngāti Toa Rangatira e mihi ana ki a koutou katoa.



Nau mai haere mai ki te Kura o Ngāti Toa,

Dallin, Jayden Arthur, Kehlani, Roman, TJ, Tilly, Zaul, Jas Arthur (DP/Te Awa Rere Kaiako), Jo Shuttleworth (Literacy support kaiako/release kaiako), Jayden Mill (Teacher Aide and Groundskeeper), Emeline Pusa (Kapura School Lunches) and Paretai Rua (Kapura School Lunches).

Ngā Ringahautū - Staff for 2026

Tumuaki (Principal)- Crystal Southey Willis
Tumuaki Tuarua (DP) - Jasmine Arthur
Tumuaki Tuarua (AP)- Judy Cross
Pou Whakahaere a Tari - Corrina Perenise

Kaiako

Judy Cross, Yrs 0/1 - Kora, Ruma 5
Emma McKnight, Yrs 1/ 2 - Hahana, Ruma 8
Jude Nieland, Yr 3 - Kōrekoreko, Ruma 7
Bronwyn Pope, Yrs 4/5 - Whakawhetū, Ruma 10
Taylor Tuffery, Yrs 5/6 - Turama, Ruma 9
Jasmine Arthur, Yrs 6/7/8 - Te Awa Rere, Ruma 10
Cheryl Moeau - Senior Release Teacher
Joanne Shuttleworth - Junior Release Teacher

Kaiāwhina

Kaiārahi i te reo Māori - Hitira'a Mahana Tahau-Hodges,
Ivy Reedy, Olivia Catanduanes, Kirsty Young, Te Aroha Chong-Nee,
Maia O'Hare Quirk, Jayden Mill, Emeline Pusa, Paretai Rua

Ngāti Toa School Board - Te Poari o Ngāti Toa

Aimee Bishop - Presiding Member
Cherie Parai, Hannah Abera, Jeff Hunkin, Melissa Luke (Iwi Representative),
Nirvana Wi Neera, Staff Representative - TBC

Absentee/Lateness - Tāmō/ Tōmuritanga

Tēnā koutou e te whānau, if your tamaiti or tamariki are late to kura in the morning, please remind them of these tikanga we have during karakia.

Haere ki te tari

If your child is late, they must go to the tari (office) to sign in and collect a late pass.

Tatari puku ki waho

Ka tatari ki waho o te wāhi e tū ana te karakia.
Wait quietly outside the karakia space until it finishes.

Kuhu i muri

Ka kuhu i muri i te karakia, i te waiata rānei.
Enter after the karakia or waiata to avoid disrupting this special time.

Ngā tamariki iti / juniors

Ngā whānau o ngā taurira iti e tono ana kia noho tahi me ō rātou tamariki ki waho i te wāhi karakia, hei āwhina me te tautoko i a rātou.
Parents of junior tamariki are encouraged to stay with their children outside the karakia space to support and guide them.
Remember to keep reminding our tamariki at home what our tikanga and tūmanakotanga are at kura.



Dates to remember

27 Pepuere

Kora beach trip

3 Māehe

Yr 1-2 Football

5 Māehe

Whole School trip
Waikanae Pools

9 Māehe

5v5 Basketball

16 Māehe

Girls Futsal

17 Māehe

PPSSA PC Tag
Festival

18 Māehe

Whakawhetu/Turama
Zealandia trip

19 Māehe

Te Awa Rere
Zealandia trip

30 Māehe

PPSSA Touch Rugby



Karapu Parakuihi/Breakfast Club Volunteers

Breakfast club is currently open from Monday - Thursday from the school hall. We are urgently needing some parent volunteers to help run it from 8:15am - 8:50am. Please contact the office if you are available to help out even if it is just one morning a week.

Property / Ngā mahi kāmura

Hall flooring was completed before the start of this term. Our building team and our Board worked hard to get this over the line and organised before the start of the school year. A huge mihi to everyone involved.

In addition to this we have just had all our line markings repainted around our kura. Students are loving how bright and playful our space is and being able to see the court lines clearly once again.

Senior Swimming / Kaukau a ngā Tuakana

Our Senior taura participated in swimming lessons last week, great to see so many of our tamariki swimming and learning about water safety. ✨ ✨ ✨

Road Patrol parent supervision - if are available to give 10 minutes after school to help at one of the school crossings, we would also love to hear from you - have a chat to Corrina in the office.

Fundraising Committee / Kōmiti Pūtea - WE NEED YOU!!!! If you would like to be part of the fundraising committee, please pop into the office or email office@ngatittoa.school.nz

We are keen to do some fundraising events for our kura and tamariki. We have some big aspirations and we need your help.

Round the bays 2026 - we had an awesome bunch of taura who braved the windy Wellington weather to take on the 'round the bays' 8.4km or 5.5km event 2026. A huge mihi to Southern Cross and Nuku Ora for sponsoring our tickets, potae and kai. Ngā mihi Rebekah Torea and Cheryl Moeau for helping and to Mrs. Cross for doing all the admin work in the background.

Ngā Toa o te wiki

Ka mau te wehi! Kei te tino whakahihi mātou ki a koutou. Showing our kura mātāpono of Kotahitanga in wiki 3.



Quick Guide to SchoolDocs for the School Community

Information for school staff, students, parents, and whānau

SchoolDocs is an online policy platform for schools in Aotearoa. Your SchoolDocs site contains policies that are specific to your school and can be accessed by the whole school community.

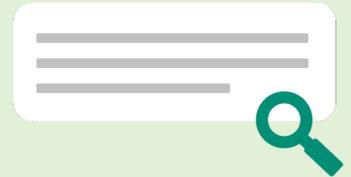
Using SchoolDocs

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Username Password	<input type="text" value="heart"/>
Password	<input type="text" value="heart"/>

Enter the login information for your SchoolDocs site here.

Related policies are grouped together on SchoolDocs, with links to supporting information and resources.

- To find a policy, type a keyword into the search bar, or browse the site using the table of contents. Click the black arrows to open each section.
- Search for **Quick links for staff** and **Quick links for parents and whānau**, which provide links to useful policy information.
- For more information about using SchoolDocs, see the Help tab at the top of your SchoolDocs site.



Reviews and feedback

Start your review

All SchoolDocs schools follow a 3-year review cycle to keep policies up to date.

For review information each term, see **Current Review** at the top of the site.

- You can provide **content feedback** to suggest changes to improve the content of a policy.
- You can provide **implementation feedback** about how the policy is implemented at your school.



If you find information that's incorrect during a review (e.g. location of first aid supplies), **do not** submit this through the review tool. Let the principal or board know that it needs to be updated.



If you'd like to comment on a policy that's not under review, you can use the **feedback button** to send an email to your school. This feedback is not sent to the SchoolDocs team.



READY, SET, SIGN IN!

Stay in the loop by following these steps

1 DOWNLOAD THE HERO APP

Once downloaded, click 'Sign In'

2 SELECT "NEW USER"

Your account will be set up by your school using the email address that you provided when you enrolled your children, use this address to request a password.

3 CHECK YOUR EMAIL

You should receive an email within five minutes.

If you encounter problems logging in, please check with your school to make sure they have the correct details for you.

4 ADD YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS

Select "Next"

5 SELECT "SUBMIT"

Hero will send you an email with a link to follow.

6 FOLLOW THE LINK

This will take you to a secure page to enter your chosen password.