

"We get lots of leadership opportunities"
"I love learning the Māori kind of way!"

Akonga Feedback:



Marau-ā-Kura :

Whai Whakaaro
Toi te Mana
Whai Kaha

Whakatinana ngā Wawatā
Whakamau ngā Pumanawa
Whakahihiko ngā Tipuranga

Kotahitanga



Our expectation from whānau:

- Committed to our kaupapa and the Te Reo pathway
- Actively support their child's learning
- Open communication with Kaiako
- Ensure tamariki attend school regularly
- Whānau involvement is essential. (This includes mandatory attendance at hui each term, where important decisions are made)

Whānau Feedback:

"We see the advantage of learning in a Māori immersion setting, while enjoying all the benefits of being a part of a large mainstream kura"
"My tamariki are eager to come to school and want to share their new learning with me everyday"



Enrolments:

We are now taking expressions of interest from students at selected age levels. Transition visits are on Wednesdays, by arrangement. Please make contact if you would like more information.

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Toitōi Manawa

O FAIRHAVEN





E ngā mana, e ngā reo,
e ngā karangatanga
maha o ngā hau e whā,
anei mātou a Toitōi Manawa.
E mihi mahana ana ki a koutou katoa!
Nau mai, Haere Mai!

Toitōi Manawa Kaupapa
Whakaoho i te wairua o te tāmaiti”
(Awaken the spirit of the child)

Encourage whanaungatanga (family
connection and belonging)

Inspire children, and their whanau to
succeed and be confident in who they
are, and where they are from

Promote learning within a Māori context

'Toitōi Manawa' is our Māori Immersion unit
at Fairhaven School. Our Māori medium
classes provide instruction in Te Reo Māori)
We teach, learn and assess using the
Ministry of Education curriculum documents:
'Te Marautanga o Aotearoa' and 'Ngā
Whanaketanga'

Our aim is to increase the student's
knowledge of Te Reo me onā Tikanga Māori.

Daily programmes include; karakia, waiata,
along with rich numeracy and literacy
learning activities.

English is an out-of-class option.



Highlights:

- **Noho Marae** – Connecting with all local marae
- Engaging with iwi at whānau and hapū level
- Working with Mana Whenua to develop of our Marau (Place-based Curriculum)
- **Haerenga** – Purposeful and localised
- Relevant and engaging topics of study
- **Leadership Opportunities** for our students and staff
- Strong representation in **sports teams and cultural groups**
- **Tuakana – Teina** learning programmes
- **Whakanuia** – Sharing our learning with whānau each term
- All students participate in Waiata & **Kapa haka**



Toitōi Manawa offers immersion classes to cater for students in all year groups. We aim to keep our class sizes smaller, so we can better meet the needs of our tamariki.

Achievements & Recognition

Pānui Ngātahi – 'Reading Together' Whānau workshop videos to support reading in the home.
(Best Evidence Synthesis)

National Assessment exemplars
(Aromatawai for Immersion Settings)

Education Gazette Feature Articles
(March 2020, April 2020)

2019 Finalists in Prime Minister's
Education Awards:

- Excellence in Leadership
- Excellence in Health & Well Being

