

Our Philosophy

“Ko tō ringa ki ngā rākau a te Pākehā, hei oranga mō tō tinana, ko tō ngākau ki ngā taonga a ō tīpuna Māori, hei tikitiki mō tō mahuna.” - Sir Apirana Ngata, 1949.

Our Māori students have access to everything that an Intermediate school offers while being able to be who they are as Māori. Furthermore, our rumaki students are an integral part of normalising te reo Māori in our community.



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Te Rumaki o Te Waititiko



Poipoia Te Tangata
Kia Eke Kairangi

The Learning Programme

	RĀHINA	RĀTŪ	RĀAPA	RĀPARE	RĀMERE
1	8.45am Karakia, Mihimihi	8.45am Karakia, Mihimihi	8.45am Karakia, Mihimihi	8.45am Karakia, Mihimihi	9.00am Karakia, Mihimihi
	9.00am Te Reo Matatini	9.00am Te Reo Matatini	9.00am Te Reo Matatini	9.00am Specialist (puoro, toi, hangarau)	9.10am English Literacy
	PARAMANAWA	PARAMANAWA	PARAMANAWA	PARAMANAWA	PARAMANAWA
2	English Literacy	English Literacy	English Literacy	Specialist (puoro, toi, hangarau)	Kapa Haka
	WĀ KAI	WĀ KAI	WĀ KAI	WĀ KAI	WĀ KAI
3	Tunu Kai / Whakaari me te Kanikani	Pāngarau	Pāngarau	Pāngarau	Hākinakina me te Hauora
	WĀ TĀKARO	WĀ TĀKARO	WĀ TĀKARO	WĀ TĀKARO	WĀ TĀKARO
4	Hākinakina me te Hauora	Pakirehua	Pakirehua	Pakirehua	Hui ā-Kura

Te reo Māori is the main language of instruction with students attending timetabled English medium classes. Our kaiako reo Māori will not speak English to our rumaki students. Here is our everyday learning programme. Furthermore, students are able to take part in the many programmes offered by Pasadena Intermediate:

- App Development
- 3D Printing
- Central Zone Sports
- Camp
- EOTC
- Gifted and Talented Sports, Science, Maths, - Writing
- Water Polo and Swimming Sports
- Computer Programming
- Choir
- Kitchen Cultivators
- Nagisa Student Exchange Programme

Also, rumaki students have access to the specific kaupapa reo Māori:

- Kaukau
- Kī-o-rahi
- Puni Reo Poitarawhiti
- Pūkōrero
- Te Tunu Kai
- Kapa Haka

