



**Rototuna**  
**PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
HE RAWE MO AKE TONU - OUR BEST ALWAYS



## PROSPECTUS



risk takers  
self-managing  
communicators  
researchers

# WELCOME

Welcome to Rototuna Primary School. We are a large, decile 10, contributing school (Years 1-6). We have over 31 classrooms, school library, three playgrounds and both covered and uncovered astroturf courts.

Rototuna Primary School is proud of its reputation as a successful school, and we continue to strive to provide the best quality education for all students. In 2015 the Education Review Office identified the school as successful. Please go to [www.ero.govt](http://www.ero.govt) to read the full report.

Most of the school is built in hubs, each named after a native tree. Kahikatea, Kowhai, Rata, Totara, Rimu and Tawa hubs have 4 classrooms and a shared community space. The Manuka hub is a collaborative learning community where four new entrant classrooms work/learn together in an open space. There is also one block of single cell relocatable rooms – Kauri block - at the rear of the school.

Rototuna Primary School is situated on land that was once occupied by several tangata whenua, including Ngāti Wairere, Ngāti Koura, Ngāti Mahanga and Ngāti Haua. The pou at the entrance of our school acknowledges one of these – Ngāti Koura.

In each of the hubs there are smaller rooms/offices, which we often use to work alongside students who require extra support or to provide extra programmes.

The school is extremely well resourced for all areas of the curriculum and for play. The Board of Trustees and the P.T.A. are generous supporters of student learning.

## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

*Providing quality learner centred education*

This means we design learning that is tailored to meet the needs of individuals and groups of students, providing the best possible education at their level. All students have individual targets in literacy and numeracy that they work towards. Teachers identify a clear purpose or learning intention for all learning experiences, sharing the next learning steps with students so that they are aware of what they need to do to succeed or achieve their goal.

## SCHOOL MOTTO

Our motto is 'Our Best Always – He Rawe Mo Ake Tonu'. For us this means that there is an expectation that every student will work to the very best of their ability, constantly challenging themselves to improve.



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# OUR VISION

The Rototuna Learner (below) represents our vision for learners. This vision guides the direction of teaching and learning at our school. Rototuna Learners are: Communicators, Self Managers, Team Players, Thinkers, Researchers and Risk Takers. Rototuna Learner posters are displayed in every classroom and on the front of our newsletters.

During their time at our school students are supported in growing their Rototuna Learner dispositions, leading to independence in becoming life long learners. Many families in our community use the language of the Rototuna Learner in their homes too.

Rototuna Learners are:



## **SELF MANAGERS**

We learn to know ourselves, and how we learn best.



## **THINKERS**

We learn how thinkers work, and to know how to do what thinkers do.



## **RISK TAKERS**

We learn to have a go at new learning and to know when to persevere.



## **COMMUNICATORS**

We learn how to give clear messages and how to understand the messages we get.



## **RESEARCHERS**

We learn how to ask questions and to know how to find out what we want to know.



## **TEAM PLAYERS**

We learn how to work together; to cooperate, collaborate and participate.





# SCHOOL INFORMATION

We hope that you enjoy your association with the school and that in doing so you become involved in our school community. The following are some important events, practices or opportunities for students attending Rototuna Primary (listed alphabetically).

## ABSENCES

If your child is absent from school or will arrive late due to attending a before school appointment, please either use the absentee link on the school app or contact the office on 853 2470. You can leave a message on the answer phone. Please state the child's name, room number and reason for the absence. If no reason is given it is recorded as explained but unjustified according to the Ministry of Education guidelines.

- Please avoid unnecessary interruptions to students learning.
- If the absence is long term, please put this in writing and hand to the office.
- If students are late for school, please sign them in at the office where they will be issued with a card to take to the classroom. Late arrivals are also recorded on our attendance system.

If you follow these requests, we will not have to contact you to check on student's safety.

If there is a concern about your child's attendance, we will contact you by mail with details from our system so that you are fully aware of the reasons for the contact.

## APP

Rototuna Primary has an app available to download to your Apple or Android device. Go to your App store and download 'SchoolAppsNZ', then within that app search for Rototuna Primary School. Please allow notifications so that you receive important alerts.

## APPOINTMENTS

If your child needs to attend an appointment, please sign them in and out at the office.

## ARRIVING AND LEAVING SCHOOL

The school takes responsibility for students from 8:30am. Students who arrive earlier than that are asked to wait on the covered court. This allows teachers time to get their programmes organised for the day. Students are to walk their scooters, skateboards and bikes through school grounds. School finishes at 3.00pm. We do not encourage students to wait for you on the playgrounds due to safety and lack of supervision. Students can wait to be collected at the pick up zone in front of the school office where they should be collected by 3.15pm.

## BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE

A private provider, the Kiwi Club, provide before school care (7:15am – 8:30am) and after school care (3:00pm – 5:30pm). This is based in the Hall. Information is available at the school office or you can register directly: [kiwiclubrototuna.aimyplus.com](http://kiwiclubrototuna.aimyplus.com) The Kiwi Club also provide holiday programmes in the Hall. These are advertised in the newsletter and forms are available at the office.

## BOOK BAGS

Book bags are part of the stationery requirement at Rototuna Primary School. Please use for all readers, homework books and library books being carried between home and school.

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The Board of Trustees meets on the third Monday of every month (February to November).

## CAMPS

The Year 5 and 6 students have a three to four day camp every second year (even years). The camp is a highlight of the school year. It is an opportunity for students to demonstrate their developing Self Manager, Team Player and Risk Taker skills.

A mixture of team building, and environment based challenges and learning opportunities are provided to challenge and inspire learners. The Year 4 students have an overnight marae stay every year.

## CELEBRATIONS

Whole School Celebrations take place fortnightly to celebrate student learning successes. These are held in the Hall on Fridays at 10.00am. Students in Years 4-6 take turns leading celebration and two classes including those from Year 1-3 share their work (on a roster). Parents are encouraged to attend.

In the alternative weeks there are team celebrations on a Friday. The times for these are advised in the team newsletters.

## ELECTRONIC DEVICES

The Board of Trustees provides laptops and iPads to support the learning in classrooms. We do not expect families to provide these for learning. Occasionally a family provides a cell phone for a student to communicate with home after school. Cell phones need to be named and handed to the office during school hours.

## FACEBOOK

We have a Facebook page to share coming events and for parents to comment about events. Please 'like' our page Rototuna Primary School to receive notifications.

## FOOD ALLERGIES

Schools are required to provide a safe environment for students. At times we need your support to do this. Some students have allergies to food ranging from mild to severe.

In the case of children in Years 1-3 the parents and students are advised and asked not to provide the food concerned in student's lunches. There is a management system to support older students. This avoids cross contamination or a child inadvertently eating a product that is harmful to them.

Parents of students with allergies are asked to provide an action plan arranged with a medical practitioner. Where required, epipens are provided by parents to school. Staff are trained to administer these.

### **Cakes (Birthday/Celebration), food/sweet 'treats' & shared lunches for students leaving**

Our school allergy guidelines do not allow sharing of food and the following expectations are respected by our school staff and school community.

- Students are not to bring birthday cakes to school to celebrate with their classmates;
- Students are not to bring lollies, candy canes, Easter eggs or home baking to school to share with their classmates or friends, unless it is for the end of year class shared lunch;
- Classes are not to organise shared lunches to farewell students leaving the school.

## HOME LEARNING

Rototuna Primary School's home learning programme aligns with these values:

- Time flexibility
- Choice and challenge
- Online learning opportunities

These values align with our strategic goals focused on improving learner agency and learning partnerships with parents and whanau. We also value home learning being purposeful and connected to the learning focus for learners' in classrooms.

Rototuna Primary School's guidelines for 2018 and beyond are as follows:

Home learning opportunities	What this may look like...
<b>Writing</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• All students will be given a learning pathway for writing that outlines a progression of goals to be achieved over the year.</li><li>• <b>Each term</b>, the classroom teacher will identify individual learning goals that the student can work on achieving. This gives parents and students the flexibility to choose when they practice their learning goals at home over a term. If students achieve all of their learning goals within a term, students can manage their own pace of learning by choosing other learning goals to achieve within the progression. This gives students choice and challenge about where they put their effort for home learning tasks and puts them in charge of their learning and achievement!</li><li>• A range of support material to help students achieve learning goals will be available on the 'Home Learning' portal which is accessible online via our Rototuna Primary website <a href="http://www.rototunaprimarv.school.nz/">http://www.rototunaprimarv.school.nz/</a></li></ul>
<b>Reading</b>	<p>Each student will have reading material each night. This may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A fluency or guided reader from the classroom.</li><li>• A library book.</li><li>• Self selected chapter book or reading material from home or school.</li><li>• Reading online.</li></ul> <p>Students will be given a reading log to record the title of the book/reading material they have read.</p>
<b>Mathematics</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• All students will be given a learning pathway for mathematics that outlines a progression of goals to be achieved over the year.</li><li>• <b>Each term</b>, the classroom teacher will identify individual learning goals that the student can work on achieving. This gives parents and students the flexibility to choose when they practice their learning goals at home over a term. If students achieve all of their learning goals within a term, students can manage their own pace of learning by choosing other learning goals to achieve within the progression. This gives students choice and challenge about where they put their effort for home learning tasks and puts them in charge of their learning and achievement!</li><li>• A range of support material to help students achieve learning goals will be available on the 'Home Learning' portal which is accessible online via our Rototuna Primary website.</li><li>• Year 3-6 students will also be able to sign up for Maths Buddy, an online</li></ul>

	learning tool. There is a cost for this which is outlined in the stationery list for each year level.
<b>Topic or discovery based learning</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Some teams may provide learning opportunities via the learners' class website, email or google classroom that connects to topic or discovery based learning.</li></ul>



## INTERNET SAFETY

Our students have access to and are encouraged to use a variety of online tools for research, communication and collaboration. With this great opportunity comes the responsibility to act appropriately and be safe in online spaces. Throughout their time at Rototuna Primary School we deliberately and explicitly teach students the knowledge and skills they need to be able to participate and contribute safely when using the internet.

Our safety guidelines state that students must have a signed permission form before accessing and using the internet. There is a copy of this form included in the enrolment pack, and extra copies can be picked up from the office. We appreciate your support in returning these as soon as possible.

## ISSUES/ CONCERNS / WORRIES

If you have any concerns regarding any aspect of your child's school life, please feel free to contact his/her teacher or the principal or a member of the leadership team. We very much value your input and look forward to working with you and your family.

## KAPA HAKA

The senior group meet once a week during the year and they work hard to get their standard to a level to share their skills in public. They may also have an overnight stay during the year.

## LEARNING ENGAGEMENT APPROACH

At Rototuna Primary School we believe all students can learn and we work to support all students in becoming confident, connected, actively involved life long learners.

When students make poor choices or behave in ways that interrupt the learning of others we take every step to quickly re-engage them in learning. While there are situations that call for an individual approach, our general response is a 4 step process:

1. A verbal warning.
2. Thinking & reflection time: In a space inside the classroom.
3. Thinking & reflection time: In an arranged buddy class. We will make contact and communicate with parents at this stage.
4. Working in partnership with a member of the leadership team.

In all cases the home-school partnership is critical to the learning success of students, and parent support is very much appreciated.

## LOST PROPERTY

The ideal is to avoid lost property and this is achieved by clearly naming all property so if it is lost or misplaced we can return it to the child. Lost property is placed in the large blue drums inside the entrance to the hall. It is displayed for all to see before and after the school celebrations.

## LUNCHES

Children generally bring lunches to school. A private business provides a wide range of food (hot and cold). Parents need to go to the website [www.lunchorders.co.nz](http://www.lunchorders.co.nz) to create an account with a balance. Lunches are ordered online and charged to the account you create. You will need to always keep this in credit. Food is delivered to the school at 12.25pm and a monitor collects the orders from the Hall kitchen. Each order is clearly named by the provider.

Please contact the school office and they will help you with any enquiries about ordering. At Rototuna School all students eat lunch in classrooms for the first ten minutes of lunch break. Those who need longer then finish eating on seats outside the classroom.

## MAORI LANGUAGE

Te reo Maori is taught in all classrooms. In addition to this an extension group meet on Friday mornings. Students opt into these 45 minute classes.

## MEDICATION

All medication is to be handed in to the school office, with the students name and specific details on how to administer it. The medication must be in the container provided by the pharmacy with the instructions of dosage required. We will do our best to administer medication, however at times this may not always be possible.

## MUSIC

Year 4-6 students have the option to join the two school symphonic bands. Junior band is for beginner musicians and Senior band is for experienced musicians. Instruments are hired and tutors come into the school to provide extra weekly tuition (parent paid). These lessons take place during the school day. The Senior band enters local competitions annually.

## NATIONAL STANDARDS

Rototuna Primary School has implemented the National Standards reporting from 2010. However, with the recent changes to Government and their position on National Standards in schools, we are changing the way we report student progress and achievement as from 2018. We will continue to report to parents twice yearly (see Reporting to Parents). This reporting will be aligned with the NZ Curriculum expectations for each year level in all curriculum areas (Reading, Writing, Mathematics, Science, Social Science, Technology, The Arts, Health & PE). Student progress and achievement in Reading, Writing and Mathematics is also discussed at twice yearly parent teacher discussions. At any time, you can ask teachers about your child's progress and whether they are on track to meet the **NZ Curriculum level for their year level** in Reading, Writing and Mathematics.

## NEWSLETTER

A weekly school newsletter is available every Wednesday either via the phone App or the school website [www.rototunaprimarieschool.nz](http://www.rototunaprimarieschool.nz). Extra copies are available in the office. It is an important communication tool between school and parents, so should be checked every week. Please ensure your email address is up to date at the office.

## OUT OF SCHOOL OPPORTUNITIES

There are a wide range of extra learning opportunities for students at Rototuna Primary. Private companies such as R.E.A.P, Kelly Sports and music tutors provide them. All are advertised through the school. These generally have a cost involved. Out of school classes generally offer languages, art, dance, music, tutoring and sports coaching. Most are available after school but some guitar lessons are provided before school and during lunch breaks as well.



## PARENT HELP

All teachers value parent help in their programmes. There are opportunities to assist with spelling and maths basic facts checking on a weekly basis. Other opportunities include classroom help, assisting on excursions or camps. Check with classroom teachers to see how you can help.

## PARENT PARTNERSHIP

We value developing partnerships with parents and one way of doing this is through electronic media. We have a school Facebook page, School App and the @School Parent Portal where you can view reports, sickbay history and link to the Spotlight Learning Portal.

## PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION (P.T.A.)

We have a very active P.T.A. whose generosity has helped Rototuna Primary School become rich in resources. The P.T.A. organises fundraising events for students, parents and community. The committee meets once a month in the evenings. They welcome new members at any time throughout the year. Please email [pta@rototunaprimarieschool.nz](mailto:pta@rototunaprimarieschool.nz) for more information.

## PARKING

The roads around Rototuna Primary School are busy and the side roads quite narrow. We suggest parents park in the Countdown supermarket and walk to and from school or have your child walk to you using the patrolled crossing, this is often quicker than sitting in traffic. For the safety of all students, parents are asked to observe the no parking areas as marked.

Please note:

- The bay in front of the office is not for parking. It should only be used for quick drop off and pick-ups only.
- Senior students and the caretaker may remind you about being incorrectly parked where student safety may be at risk. Please follow their instructions.
- From time to time the Police or Hamilton City Council parking wardens monitor traffic behaviour and parking infringement notices are issued.

## PAYMENTS

From time to time children will be required to pay for various items or class trips. Rototuna Primary uses an online school shop for all payments called 'Kindo'. This is a very convenient and secure system and payments and purchases can be made anytime, anywhere. Registration for families is easy and can be made through our school website. Please see the office staff for more information.

## PRINCIPAL

Our principal is Mike Sutton. Please make appointments through the office if you wish to speak to the principal.

Alternately, he can be contacted by email: [principal@rototunaprimarieschool.nz](mailto:principal@rototunaprimarieschool.nz)

## PRODUCTION

During the year there are often productions involving all the students from a team. These are on a cycle so that all students get an opportunity to participate in up to 3 during their primary education at Rototuna.

## R.E.A.P. (ROTOTUNA ENRICHMENT AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMMES)

This is a private provider who offers many of the after school learning opportunities for students at our school. Watch for the brochure every term.

Previous courses have included:

- Spanish, French

- Violin, Keyboard
- Claymation and many others

## REWARDS

At Rototuna Primary School we do not use rewards such as stickers, stamps, points, certificates or grades. Rewards such as these encourage children to focus on the reward rather than the achievement. We share and celebrate learning successes regularly with specific acknowledgement and praise throughout the school day. Reflection time, team celebration and school celebrations offer further formal opportunities for celebrating learning success. Through this specific feedback we support students in developing their self-esteem as learners.

## REFLECTION

Every day at 2:50pm all students gather together in their classroom to talk about, and reflect on their learning for the day. This time is highly valued. It provides a real opportunity for parents and whanau to get an insight into the workings of the classroom. We believe that sharing this time contributes to the building of strong partnerships between school and home. Parents and whanau are warmly invited to join their children each day.

## REPORTING TO PARENTS

A **summative report** of your child's current progress and achievement against the **NZ Curriculum level expectations for their year level**, is provided electronically throughout the year. It is updated regularly and can be accessed at [www.atschool.co.nz](http://www.atschool.co.nz). The school issues usernames and passwords so that parents/caregivers can access their child(ren)'s reports online. The report is designed to:

- Report the curriculum level your child is **working within** for Reading, Writing and Mathematics at the end of Term 1
- Report your child's **achievement target by the end of the year** in Reading, Writing and Mathematics at the end of Term 1
- Report your child's **progress** towards meeting their curriculum level achievement target at the end of Term 2, 3 and 4
- Report your child's **achievement** against the New Zealand Curriculum level expectations for their year level at the end of Term 4
- Report whether your child has met their **achievement target** in Reading, Writing and Mathematics at the end of Term 4
- Report your child's achievement in other curriculum areas at the end of Term 4

This report is strongly supported by **individual learning pathway goals** which are shared with you and your child at the beginning of each school year.

- The individual learning goals clearly align with **progressions of learning** for each year level of the NZ Curriculum.
- The Rototuna Primary website <http://www.rototunaprimarieschool.nz/> has a comprehensive learning support portal that aligns with each learning set within the progression of learning.

You can also get up-to-date evidence of progress for your child's achievement of learning pathway goals by:

- **Home learning programme:** Your child's individual learning pathway goals are shared with you for you to track their progress at home.
- Your child's **tracking of their goals in their school books.**
- **Connecting with the classroom teacher.** You can do this in a variety of ways:
- Regular **email** connects with the teacher. You can find their email on the Rototuna Primary website.

**8.30am-9am:** Teachers are available in classrooms for drop-in conversations during this time.

**2.50pm-3.00pm:** Reflection time is held each day during this time in all classrooms. This is a time when students share their progress and achievement in learning.

**3.00pm-3.20pm:** Teachers are available in classrooms for drop-in conversations during this time. At any time during the year, you may organize a time to meet with your child's teacher to discuss their progress and achievement.

Information will be added to the report every term and will be completed at the end of the year. You can download and print this report at any time.

## **@SCHOOL PARENT PORTAL LOGIN**

At Rototuna Primary School each student has an individual learning pathway report. This pathway report will be updated at specific intervals during the year and will reflect your child's achievements and progress. It will also include information about their next learning steps as they move through the school.

The Learning Pathway report is available online for you to view by following these steps;

- Go to [www.atschool.co.nz](http://www.atschool.co.nz)
- Enter ID: This will be sent to each family at the email address they have supplied
- Enter Password: This will be sent to each family in the same email

If you have any issues with passwords, please contact the office staff.

## **ROAD PATROLS**

Two road patrols, supervised by teachers or management staff, operate around our school. One is on Hukanui Road and the other is on Thomas Road. The Hamilton City Council have installed traffic lights, for greater safety, on both crossings. Patrols are there to help students cross the road safely to or from school. They operate from 8:30 – 8:45am and 3:00pm - 3:15 daily.

## **SCHOOL DONATION**

The Board has a school donation of \$120 per student or \$30 per term. The funds are used to provide learning assistants for 3 days per week for each teaching team. These staff members support teachers with returning books and resources, displaying work and working with small groups of children in the classroom. The Board appreciates the strong community support for this activity.

## **SCHOOL BANKING**

First Credit Union (Hamilton) provides a school banking system. Joining information is available at the office. School banking day is Thursday. Books and money should be placed in the locked box in the student entrance to the office.

## **SCHOOL FACILITIES**

The school has fantastic facilities which include an uncovered astroturf court and a covered astroturf court. These are open and available after hours to our local community during the summer months.

## **SCHOOL SPORT**

Students have a lot of opportunities to play sport in school teams. These may include: cricket, touch rugby, miniball, flippa ball, netball and hockey. We always need coaches and managers to help with teams. Please watch the newsletter for sport registrations.

Our sport uniforms are provided from the office, once students sport fees have been paid via Kindo and students have been placed into teams.

## **SCHOOL HOURS**

Children should be at school by 8:45am to help prepare for the day.

- 9:00 – 10:40am Teaching and learning time
- 10:40 – 11:00am Morning break
- 11:00 – 12:30pm Teaching and learning time
- 12:30 – 12:40pm Eating lunch in classrooms
- 12:40 – 1.25pm Lunch break
- 1:25 – 2:50pm Teaching and learning time
- 2:50 – 3:00pm Reflection time



## STATIONERY

Stationery information will be distributed to children on the last school day of each year. We supply all children's stationery requirements in packs at a very competitive price. These are available for purchase using our online school shop 'Kindo' or at school prior to the beginning of Term 1. Children who require new stationery during the year will have a note sent home. Top-up stationery items can be purchased from the office.

## STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

Every year teachers share their talents with children in lunchtime activities. These may include: gymnastics, recorder, ukulele, dance, cheerleading, choir and many others. These are advertised for students in the school daily notices (electronic message board).

## STUDENT SUPPORT

Many students need support from time to time to help them with their learning. We have a comprehensive range of support available.

Stacey Lawrence, one of our Deputy Principals, leads student support. She works alongside teachers, students and their families with referrals to agencies such as Resource Teachers of Learning and Behaviour (RTLB), Ministry of Education: Special Education Child Development Centre (CDC), and Infant Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (ICAMHS). She also supports students who are On-going Resourcing Scheme (ORS) funded, or Ministry of Education: Special Education funded and require teacher aides.

We have a Learning Enhancement team that is overseen by Ngahuia Nuri. This team provides support for students to build knowledge and skills in:

- Alphabet
- Reading
- Spelling
- Writing
- Maths
- Perceptual Motor Programme (PMP - for early years)

Most of these interventions are short term with students and Learning Assistants working in small groups, often within the classroom, to increase knowledge and make progress in learning.

**Ministry of Education (MOE) Funded Support.** This group includes: English Language Learners (ELL), Reading Recovery (6-7 year olds), ORS students.

## SUN SMART

The school has a sun smart policy. All students are required to wear a brimmed hat (or legionnaire style) in Terms 1 and 4. Students without hats are restricted to shaded areas, generally outside the Hall.

## TEACHER ACCESS

Our teachers are very approachable and we set aside some times when you can talk with them. All classroom teachers are in their rooms every day from 8:30am and again after school until 3:20pm. If you need a private meeting or more time you can make an appointment to meet.

## TOYS AT SCHOOL

We strongly recommend that children do not bring toys or precious belongings to school.

## TRANSITION TO SCHOOL

1. This is an important stage for your child. Rototuna School has a Flying Start programme for students from the age of four and a half years old. They involve 3 one hour sessions on Thursday afternoons from 1.30pm which you need to pre-enrol for. A staff member leads learning with the group. When the children are settled, another staff member will run a 20 minute session for parents on key approaches to learning in the school.
2. We liaise with many Early Childhood providers and once a term these centres visit the school to become familiar with it.
3. Just prior to turning 5 years old we offer two visits to school to meet your child's new teacher and classmates. These sessions are from 9.00am to 10.40am or 11am-12.30pm. Your child must be accompanied by a parent/caregiver for the duration of the visit.

## TRAVELLING TO SCHOOL

We encourage students to get some exercise in getting to or from school, even if it means they are left to cover the last 200-500 hundred metres.

Students are encouraged to walk, scooter, skateboard, or use ripsticks. Scooters are hung on the fences near the classrooms. Students may ride a bike to school but parents must ensure they have the skills to do so. The use of locks is encouraged. Younger students need parent support to bike to school (see Walking School Bus).

## WALKING SCHOOL BUS

Countdown Supermarket kindly allows parents to park in their car park. This avoids the congestion at the school gate and getting out of Strathmore Drive.

We provide teacher supervision for students to walk to the car park in the afternoon. Students who want to use this service need to assemble at the school flagpole by 3:05pm daily.

## WHANAU GROUP

The Whanau Group meet twice a year to discuss things relating to Maori students and their school achievement. This is a very important support group. The meetings are advertised in the newsletter and are open to all who are interested.

There are also similar meetings for other large ethnic groups such as Chinese, Indian and Korean. These also meet twice a year to talk about how to support student learning.

## WEBSITE

The school website can be accessed at [www.rototunaprimary.school.nz](http://www.rototunaprimary.school.nz)  
The school site provides basic information about the school. Up to date newsletters can be found there, as well as term dates.

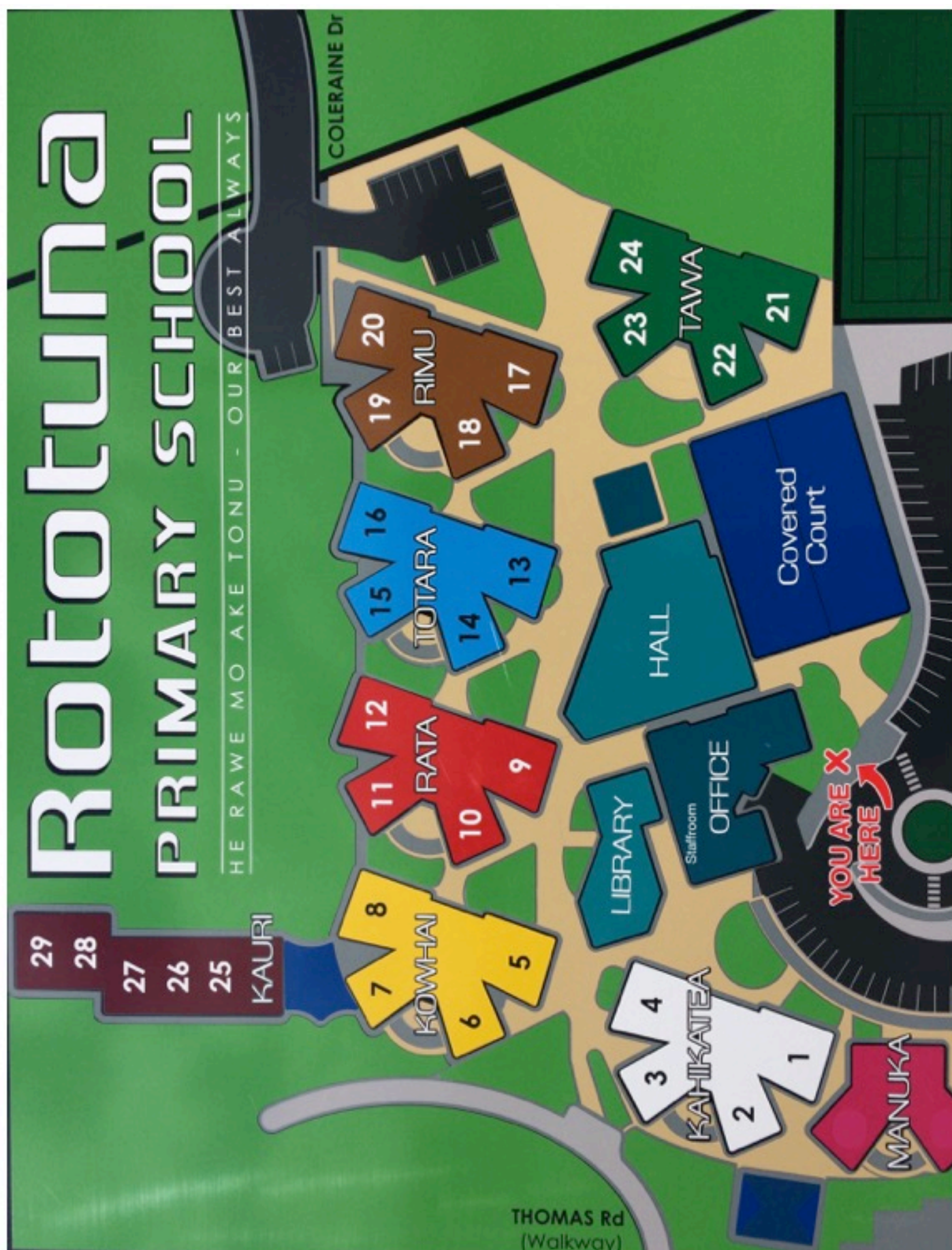
If you require any further information about the school please feel free to contact the office or speak to classroom teachers.





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# SCHOOL ZONE

**Note:** the Following addresses are included in the Rotohuna School Zone

## **Borman Road**

**Between Horsham Downs Rd and Gordonton Road only**

## **Cate Road**

**All up to number 24**

## **Gordonton Road**

**Even numbers between 126-326  
Odd numbers between 159-317**

## **Horsham Downs Road**

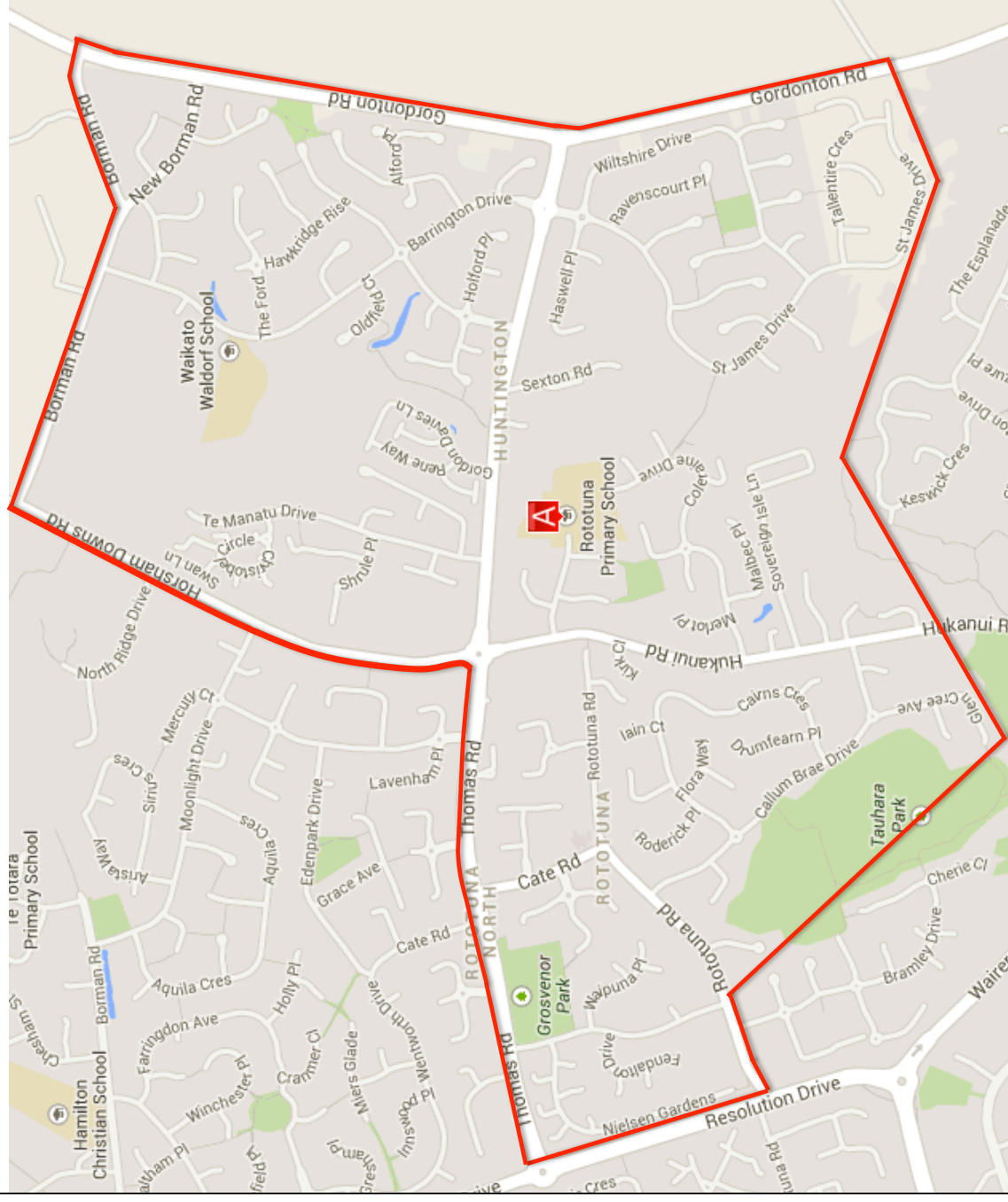
**All even numbers up to 152  
All odd numbers up to 143**

## **Hukanui Road**

**Even numbers between 360-452  
Odd numbers between 353-437**

## **Rotohuna Road**

**From number 45 onwards**



# ROTOTUNA PRIMARY STREETS IN ZONE

Alford Place	All	Farnham Close	All	Kingfisher Place	All	Shrute Place	All
Ashington Grove	All	Fasham Lane	All	Kirk Mews	All	Somerton Drive	All
Ashton Way	All	Fendalton Drive	All	Knapdale Mews	All	Sophora Close	All
Ashwick Terrace	All	Flora Way	All	Landmark Court	All	Sovereign Isle Lane	All
Barrington Drive	All	Gilbert Court	All	Lavender Way	All	St James Drive	All
Barwick Place	All	Glen Cree Avenue	All	Lavenham Place	All	Stanfield Court	All
Bayswater Road	All	Glengoyne Place	All	Limerick Lane	All	Stanton Place	All
Belgrave Court	All	Glenwarrick Court	All	Lockhart Place	All	Stratford Place	All
Bishopworth Way	All	Gordon Davies Lane	All	Maccallum Court	All	Strathconnan Court	All
Borman Road		Gordonton Road		Malbec Place	All	Strathmore Drive	All
(All between Horsham Downs Rd		Even Numbers Between 126-326		Merivale Court	All	Sudbury Court	All
& Gordonton Rd)		Odd Numbers Between 159-317		Merlot Place	All	Swan Lane	All
Braedan Lane	All	Gracefield Place	All	Michella Close	All	Tallentire Crescent	All
Briar Rose Court	All	Grasmere Court	All	Millie Place	All	Tarrango Way	All
Buchanan Place	All	Greenough Place	All	New Borman Road	All	Taunton Court	All
Burgundy Court	All	Greenwich Place	All	Newbury Place	All	Te Ironui Place	All
Cabernet Close	All	Grenache Place	All	Nielson Gardens	All	Te Manatu Drive	All
Calrns Crescent	All	Grosvenor Place	All	Northmeadow Drive	All	Teaflds Court	All
Callum Brae Drive	All	Hartford Terrace	All	Oldfield Court	All	Teatree Close	All
Callum Court	All	Haswell Place	All	Oolong Court	All	Teaview Court	All
Camberley Way	All	Hatfield Way	All	Parkside Drive	All	The Ford	All
Cate Road	All up to 24	Hawkrige Rise	All	Parkwood Place	All	The Palms	All
Caversham Drive	All	Heathfield Avenue	All	Plover Court	All	Thomas Road	All
Chalgrove Road	All	Henley Court	All	Portobello Way	All	Trimmer Lane	All
Chapel Hill	All	Highgate	All	Raddington Way	All	Tupe Lane	All
Chartwell Glen	All	Hoheria Close	All	Ravenscourt Place	All	Waima Lane	All
Chatswood Place	All	Holcroft Place	All	Rembrandt Terrace	All	Waipuna Place	All
Chesterfield place	All	Holford Place	All	Rene Way	All	Westbury Mews	All
Christobel Circle	All	Horsham Downs Road		Rewarewa Close	All	Wiltshire Drive	All
Cleeve Close	All	Even Numbers Up to 152		Rewiti Lane	All	Windmere Rise	All
Cole Thomas Place	All	Odd Numbers Up To 143		Roderick Place	All		
Coleraine Drive	All	Hukanui Road		Rose Lane	All		
Compton Grove	All	Even Numbers Between 360-452		Rosewood Court	All		
Cotswold Lane	All	Odd Numbers Between 353-437		Rototuna Road	45 onwards		
Cranmore Avenue	All	Iain Court	All	Rowan Close	All		
Dingwall Court	All	Idesia Close	All	Samantha Way	All		
Drumfern Place	All	Jane Way	All	San Clemento Way	All		
Dugald Court	All	Jarvis Court	All	San Marco Lane	All		
Eastridge Terrace	All	Johnsfield Place	All	Sexton Road	All		
Eddlewood Court	All	Kenneth Place	All	Shaun Lane	All		
Farleigh Close	All	Kilmuir Place	All	Shiraz Place	All		

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