Wairakei Primary School: Scale A - Classroom Teacher Job Description 2026

Name:

Responsible to:

- Board
- Senior Leadership Team
- Team Leader

Relationships with:

- Senior Leadership Team
- Curriculum and Team Leaders
- Teaching and Support Staff
- Students
- Whānau and the wider school community
- External agencies and professional network

Primary objectives:

- Take responsibility for the learning, progress, and well-being of all students in their care
- Uphold and actively integrate the principles of *Te Tiriti o Waitangi* into teaching practice, ensuring culturally responsive and inclusive learning for all ākonga
- Contribute positively to the professional culture and collective success of the school
- Demonstrate professional and ethical conduct consistent with the *Teaching Council's Code of Professional Responsibility and Standards for the Teaching Profession*
- Engage actively in school life, including participation in professional learning, school events, and initiatives that strengthen school-wide achievement and connection

Standards for the Teaching Profession

To cause learning based on pedagogical knowledge, assessment data and an understanding of each student's strengths, needs, identities and cultures.

Demonstrate commitment to tangata whenuatanga and Tiriti o Waitangi partnership in Aotearoa New Zealand.

Monitor and actively improve classroom engagement through inquiry, collaborative problem-solving, and ongoing professional learning focused on raising student achievement

Develop a learning-focused culture that is characterised by respect, inclusion, empathy, collaboration and safety.

Attends and supports Wairakei Primary School corporate life, including Pet Day, School Blogs, and PTA functions.

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Principal on behalf of the Board

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