AKO - E AKU AKONGA/OUR STUDENTS

Overarching Objective: Provide Learner centred programmes that meet the needs and aspirations of all students and inspire a passion for lifelong learning.

SCHOOL WIDE OBJECTIVES:

- The needs of all students will be met through the provision of personalised curriculum pathways.
- Developing confidence and competence in Te Aō Māori is expected and will be evident in all aspects of Koromatua kura.
- The design and implementation of programmes will be sensitive to the identified learning needs of all students (especially priority learners).
- Achievement data will be used to track and support student progress and to inform planning.
- Kura will support akonga as they develop confidence and competence in Te Ao Maaori.
- Community partnerships will provide external expertise to support teaching and learning programmes.
- Creativity, innovation and enterprise will be encouraged and celebrated.
- The School will encourage home to participate in the collaborative support of akonga learning.

PROJECTS What can we achieve in 2024-2025	STRATEGIES Strategies to achieve objectives	KEY RESULTS What we will see by when
A1: School-wide focus on Literacy and Numeracy	 Identify across school understanding of literacy and numeracy Targeted focus on priority learners in literacy and numeracy Complete an inventory of numeracy and literacy activities within/across curriculum areas Embed deliberate numeracy and literacy rich activities into our curriculum (unit plans) Targeted numeracy and literacy PLD for staff 	T1 2024 - report on 2023 literacy and numeracy T2 2024 - report on T1 Maths T3 2024 - report on T2 Writing T4 2024 - report on T3 Reading T1 2025 - report on literacy and numeracy Targeted School wide Literacy and Numeracy PLD 2024 Numeracy and Literacy inventory created with all staff (T1 2024) and revisited for future PLD T2 & T3 2024
A2: Develop confidence and competence in Te Ao Maaori	 Equip all tauira with L1-L2 Te Reo Māori and rich kaupapa Maaori experiences. Recognise the value of our Maaori culture through oral histories, language, song and dance 	T3 2024 - L1 - L2 Te Reo Māori achievement in Auraki Reo and L2-L3 Te Reo Māori achievement in Reorua Learn local iwi waiata/haka (Aō Haka) T4 2024 - Tu Pono Kapa Haka roopu perform in Tainui Primary Schools Kapa Haka Regionals T3 2024 - Te Aroha perform at Mangakotukutuku Kapa Haka Festival. T2 2025 - Whole School Kapa Haka T4 2025 - Marae visits Understand and practise the tikanga of Ngati Mahanga

A3: Develop STEM programme within kura	 Having a dedicated STEM specialist staff member to run STEM programmes Exploring a STEM focused career expo Growing the number of opportunities for tauira to do and attend STEM activities/workshops. 	Odd Years - Science Fair Even years - Technology Fair Every year - Engineering Workshops Personal and student growth throughout the STEM programme
A4: Learner-centred programmes	 Dedicated staff, with particular reference to neuro diverse students Growth of curriculum support Strengthening relationships with community and iwi expertise 	Student programmes are adjusted and results reflect the adjustment Increase in number of student attendance