



21 October 2021

Community Update: Teaching and learning update for Term 4

Kia ora Kaipara College Whānau

In order to minimise the risk to students, Kaipara College will NOT be running its regular timetable for Y11,12 and 13 students from next week. By limiting the number of students on site in this way we are able to ensure that quality teaching and learning can continue, while keeping everyone as safe as possible.

Kaipara College will ONLY be open for Y11, 12 and 13 students to attend in the following ways. Either:

1. Subject workshops for those students who need them, for example, some portfolio subjects and for students who need to sit external exams to achieve their qualification for 2021. If your student **needs to attend** one of these THEY WILL BE INVITED by their teacher.
or
2. Students are supervised while they continue with their on-line learning.

All other students are to continue to learn on-line at home.

To help us with our planning for the following weeks, please complete this google form for your Y11, 12 or 13 student:

[Notification of attendance intention regarding onsite learning](#)

Please note we cannot accept any students on-site who just turn up.

If your student is invited to attend a workshop OR you decide they need to come to school to continue their learning on-line in a supervised group, they must abide by the following rules:

Students must:

- Wear a mask at all times at school, unless eating or drinking
- Stay onsite all day (8.45am-3pm) and will not be permitted to leave the school grounds
- Bring their own food and drink and not share food. The canteen will not be open.
- Only come to school for the purpose of learning (we are not here to socialise)
- Stay in the areas designated by the teacher during break times (no mingling of students)
- Bring their own learning equipment as much as possible
- Wear school uniform
- Wear a mask on the bus to and from school (school buses will be running at regular times)

The deans and senior leaders in the school will be in contact with parents and caregivers requesting they pick up their student if these rules are breached.

All staff onsite will have returned a recent negative COVID-19 test result.

All students who are entered for external NCEA exams will have the opportunity to sit them. NCEA exams start on the 22 November.

Year 9 and 10 students will continue to learn on-line at home until further notice.

Thank you for your continued support.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'C. Sullivan', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Cindy Sullivan
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