

OUR JUNIOR CURRICULUM

We have designed a curriculum for our Year 9 and 10 students that is Student Centred, Culturally Responsive and Future Focused.

Our junior school curriculum is a two year learning programme that is broken into four semesters focusing on Citizenship, The Environment, Identity and Creativity & Innovation.

Our curriculum recognises students' identities, languages, abilities, talents, and learning needs.

JCHS Curriculum



Student Centred

Students are at the centre of the learning where we respond to the needs and interests of the student.

Our curriculum works to promote:

- Students as problem solvers and decision makers
- Challenges for all learners
- Equitable outcomes for all learners
- Life-long learning.



Culturally Responsive

Our curriculum embraces the principles of Te Tiriti o Waitangi building an environment within our school that connects to the bi-cultural partnership we have as a school in Aotearoa. This includes providing opportunities for our learners to be

- Partners in their learning
- Protectors of their learning
- Participants in their learning.



Future Focused

Our curriculum enables students to develop skills, literacies and competencies they will need in an ever changing world. This includes but is not limited to: collaboration, creativity, communication skills, critical thinking, curiosity, and innovation.



Subjects offered to our Year 9 Students

Learning at our school is about having choices. Right from the start, students get chance to try out different types of learning in different situations.

Year 9 students have access to a range of subjects that enable development of subject specific content within our curriculum. Each subject caters for a range of different learning styles, interests and ability levels.

Core subjects are:

- English
- Mathematics
- Science
- Social Studies
- Health and Physical Education

Year 9 students also have access to a variety of Languages, Art and Technology themed classes. These may include:

Art: Visual Art, Dance, Drama, Music

Technology: Construction, Mechanical Engineering, Digital Technology, Food Technology, Design and Visual Communication.

Languages: Te Reo Māori, Samoan, Tongan



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