



*Te ara ki mātauranga*

# ARAPOHUE SCHOOL

*The pathway to knowledge*

## Strategy 2026

# OUR GOALS

*As a school we are committed to upholding the principles of Te Tiriti o Waitangi  
- Mō tātou, a mō ngā uri a muri ake nei*



## Our People

### STRATEGIC GOAL 1:

To grow a connected community in order to increase engagement and success

### INITIATIVES:

Review and enhance our reporting processes to ensure effective communication and meaningful information-sharing with our parent community.

Continue to foster relationships within our community to provide students with diverse opportunities that extend, challenge, stimulate, and increase engagement.

### SUCCESS IS WHEN:

Our whole school community are active contributors in achieving our school vision



## Our Place

### STRATEGIC GOAL 2:

Develop our physical environment to ensure it supports and reflects our school culture and learning programmes

### INITIATIVES:

Continue our Enviro Schools journey with a focus on developing our gardens to produce kai for sharing with the community.

Explore options for a bike track, with fundraising efforts supporting this long-term goal.

### SUCCESS IS WHEN:

Our outdoor environment is being fully utilised to enhance learning and reflects our Arapohue values and culture



## Our Learning

### STRATEGIC GOAL 3:

Design and develop high quality learning programmes that engage, inspire and grow our learners.

### INITIATIVES:

Explore evidence-based approaches to teaching and learning, ensuring our methods align with best practices.

Develop and trial targeted strategies to boost student attendance, aligning our efforts with MoE attendance goals.

### SUCCESS IS WHEN:

Everything we do at Arapohue School aligns with our curriculum document - engaging, inspiring and growing our learners

*Growing greatness – thriving together!*



# ANNUAL PLAN - 2026



	<b>Strategic Goal</b> <i>To grow a connected community to increase engagement and success</i>				
	<b>Action</b>	<b>Who</b>	<b>Timeframe</b>	<b>Resources</b>	<b>Outcomes</b>
<p><b>Initiative 1</b>  <i>Review and enhance our reporting processes to ensure effective communication and meaningful information-sharing with our parent community.</i></p>	<p>Continue development around use of SchoolTalk for planning, data gathering and reporting</p>	<p>Teaching Staff                      Principal                      Schooltalks facilitator                      Govt direction</p>	<p>Term 1 - 4</p>	<p>Staff meeting time                       Ministry direction and guidelines</p>	<p>Engaged community actively involved in the learning of their children.</p>
<p><b>Initiative 2</b>  <i>Continue to foster relationships within our community to provide students with diverse opportunities that extend, challenge, stimulate, and increase engagement.</i></p> 	<p>Explore connections with ECE providers to support transition to school programmes</p>	<p>Principal                      Junior teacher                      ECE providers</p>	<p>Term 1 - 4</p>	<p>Time                      Connections</p>	<p>Healthy New Entrant roll                      Positive, smooth transitions to school</p>

# ANNUAL PLAN - 2026



	<b>Strategic Goal</b> <i>Develop our physical environment to ensure it supports and reflects our school culture and learning programmes</i>				
	<b>Action</b>	<b>Who</b>	<b>Timeframe</b>	<b>Resources</b>	<b>Outcomes</b>
<p><b>Initiative 1</b> Continue our EnviroSchools journey with a focus on developing our gardens to produce kai for sharing with the community.</p>	<p>All classes planting vegetables</p> <p>Introduce 'Pataka Kai' for community</p> <p>Ongoing focus of maintaining existing gardens</p> <p>Systems to ensure composting is effective and sustainable</p>	<p>Teaching Staff Enviroschools facilitator Caretaker Enviro-leaders</p>	<p>Term 1 - 4</p>	<p>Planning time Teaching time Staff meeting time Funding for resources</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Garden tools</li> <li>- Seeds</li> <li>- Materials to build Pataka</li> </ul>	<p>Students and staff involved in sustainability projects around the school</p> <p>Kai shared with the community</p>
<p><b>Initiative 2</b> Develop bike track</p>	<p>Engage with External Agencies to design and build</p> <p>Complete funding applications</p> <p>Board to allocate funds to support</p> <p>Subcommittee developed to work on project</p>	<p>Caretaker Teaching staff Students</p> <p>Principal Board</p> <p>Subcommittee</p>	<p>Term 1- 4</p>	<p>Time</p> <p>Financial – funding applications</p>	<p>Boosted student health and well-being, physical fitness, enhanced motor skills, and stress reduction. Provision for road safety education/ Fostered community interaction, improving social skills and school appeal.</p>

# ANNUAL PLAN - 2025



<b>Strategic Goal</b> <i>Design and develop high quality learning programmes that engage, inspire and grow our learners</i>					
	<i>Action</i>	<i>Who</i>	<i>Timeframe</i>	<i>Resources</i>	<i>Outcomes</i>
<b>Initiative 1</b> Explore evidence-based approaches to teaching and learning, ensuring our methods align with best practices.	Continue MoE PLD around Numeracy, Literacy and Science of Learning	Principal Staff PLD Providers MoE Staff	Term 1 - 4	Release time	A structured plan will guide the effective delivery of literacy and mathematics.  Teachers will be confidently able to evidence effective programmes
	Engage with MoE assessment tools and expectations as they are released	Teaching Staff Principal MoE	Term 1-4	Time Staff meetings	Staff will have knowledge around new expectations
<b>Initiative 2</b> Develop and trial targeted strategies to boost student attendance, aligning our efforts with MoE attendance goals.	Maintain mid and end of term attendance checks and communicate concerns with parents	Principal Admin	Terms 1 - 4		School being proactive in communicating concerns
	Develop and implement Attendance Management and STAR plan	Principal Teaching staff	Term 1 - 4		All students meeting attendance expectations



# ARAPOHUE SCHOOL

*Te ara ki mātauranga • The pathway to knowledge*



*As a school we are committed to upholding the principles of Te Tiriti o Waitangi  
- Mō tātou, a mō ngā uri a muri ake nei*



## Our People

### STRATEGIC GOAL 1:

To grow a connected community in order to increase engagement and success

### INITIATIVES:

Review and enhance our reporting processes to ensure effective communication and meaningful information-sharing with our parent community.

Continue to foster relationships within our community to provide students with diverse opportunities that extend, challenge, stimulate, and increase engagement.

### SUCCESS IS WHEN:

Our whole school community are active contributors in achieving our school vision



## Our Place

### STRATEGIC GOAL 2:

Develop our physical environment to ensure it supports and reflects our school culture and learning programmes

### INITIATIVES:

Continue our Enviroschools journey with a focus on developing our gardens to produce kai for sharing with the community.

Explore options for a bike track, with fundraising efforts supporting this long-term goal.

### SUCCESS IS WHEN:

Our outdoor environment is being fully utilised to enhance learning and reflects our Arapohue values and culture



## Our Learning

### STRATEGIC GOAL 3:

Design and develop high quality learning programmes that engage, inspire and grow our learners.

### INITIATIVES:

Explore evidence-based approaches to teaching and learning, ensuring our methods align with best practices.

Develop and trial targeted strategies to boost student attendance, aligning our efforts with MoE attendance goals.

### SUCCESS IS WHEN:

Everything we do at Arapohue School aligns with our curriculum document - engaging, inspiring and growing our learners

*Growing greatness – thriving together in*

**2025**

