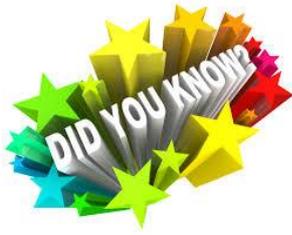


Discoveries with the Deputy Principals



This week we are sharing how we demonstrate and display our values. The values are interwoven through our learning experiences. They are both explicit and implicit in our teaching and learning, and underpin our behaviour expectations that become part of our school environment and culture. We hope you can take the time to appreciate the mural on the fence while you are enjoying the Gala on Saturday.

HIRANGA - EXCELLENCE **WHAKAUTE - RESPECT** **KAWENGA - RESPONSIBILITY**

AROHA TĒTAHI KI TĒTAHI - EMPATHY **PONO - INTEGRITY**

The values are encouraged, modelled and explored in all classes, in teams, as a school and with our community. Our Year 7 Leadership team have thought hard about a way to improve our environment and combine our school values. A small group interviewed children from all year levels to ask for their ideas about our values, what they mean to them, how they could be illustrated and what type of fonts and colours would be eye catching.



Once they had gathered all of this information the small group used their talents to design the fence on the field. They drafted and measured each aspect and with the help of teachers, Laura Brennan and Danielle McQuinn, have come up with a fantastic mural on the field fence. Prior to this the fence was repaired and painted by Anna Grant and helpers. What a huge team effort that brings the whole school community together and is going to be a constant reminder of our values as we play and learn.



We appreciate how all our students have really taken action and persevered from the start to the finish of this project. It has been great to see them out there painting, cleaning up, and applying many of their skills to produce a quality mural.

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