

AUCKLAND CENTRAL CATHOLIC KĀHUI AKO UPDATE

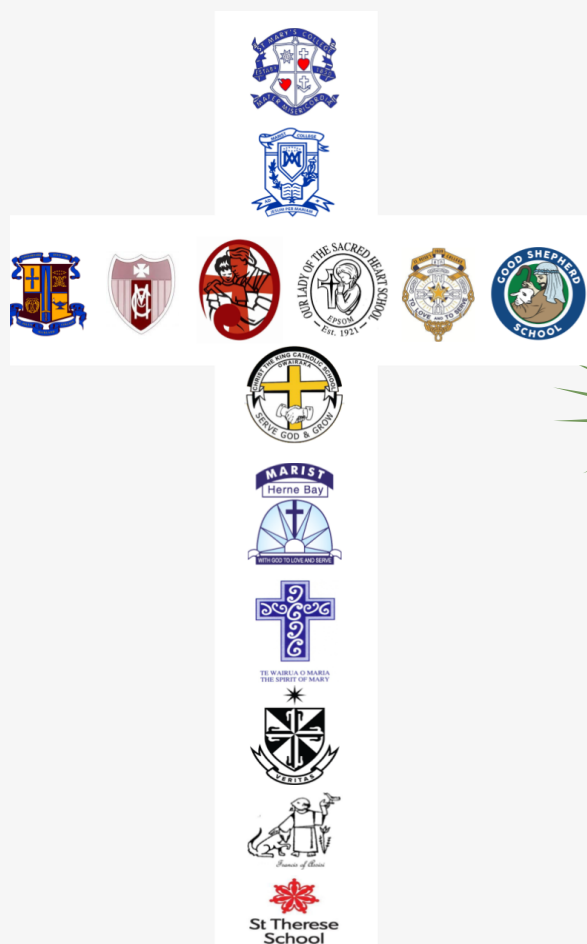
Waiho I te toipoto kaua I te toirua
Let us keep close together, not far apart

OUR SCHOOLS

In 2020 we welcomed two central Auckland primary schools to our Kāhui Ako. The addition of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart in Epsom and St Francis Catholic Primary School in Point Chevalier brings our Kāhui Ako up to a total of fourteen schools, four Catholic secondary and ten Catholic primary schools situated in the central Auckland area.

ACROSS SCHOOL TEACHERS

We have a new team of Across School Leaders appointed at the end of 2020, taking on this exciting role at the beginning of 2021. The aim of this team is to work collaboratively to support and advance the strategic aims of the Auckland Central Catholic Kāhui Ako, creating links between our schools and using the expertise of our people to raise achievement for all our ākonga.



OUR 2021 ACROSS SCHOOL TEACHERS



LIZ MCLARIN

Kia ora koutou, I am Liz McLarin from St Mary's College and I am excited to be taking on the role of an Across School Teacher. I am passionate about working alongside teachers, students, and their parents with the aim of raising ākonga/student achievement. The opportunity to increase collaboration and strengthen relationships within our Kāhui Ako through the sharing of knowledge is what drew me to this role.



SAMUEL TANIELU

Talofa Lava,
My name is Samuel Tanielu. My teaching subjects are English and Media Studies. I am the Assistant Principal at St. Paul's College and I am also one of the Across Schools Teachers for our Auckland Central Catholic Kahui Ako.



LAUREN LEITUALA

Mālō e lelei and warm Pacific greetings, my name is Lauren Leituala, a teacher at St Dominic's Catholic Primary School. This year I am privileged to be part of the Across School Team representing our Primary Schools. I have taught in many levels from Secondary to Primary and am excited to be part of a network of schools and colleagues that have collaborative vision for positive change.



MAKERITA TAGOMOA-PAPALI'I

Talofa lava everyone! My name is Makerita Tagomoa-Papali'i of Samoan descent. I've been teaching since 1993 mainly in the middle school area of Years 5-10. Passionate and motivated by how our young people learn and grow in the image of Our God because they are all beautifully and wonderfully made. I look forward to working hard for our Kahui Ako - "He aha te mea nui o te Aō? He tāngata, he tāngata, he tāngata"



PAUL MASKERY

My name is Paul Maskery and I am a year eight Teacher at St Peter's College. To the AST role, I bring over 15 years of experience in classroom teaching and leadership. Over these years I have worn many hats including Teacher, Head of Year and Middle School DRS as well as my current role as a Head of Middle School Curriculum. I am excited about this opportunity to meet and work collaboratively with the teachers of The Auckland Central Catholic School's Kāhui Ako.



JERREMY WILLIAMS

Kia ora, my name is Jeremy Williams. I am currently teaching at St Dominic's Catholic Primary in Blockhouse Bay. I have been teaching for 15 years in a range of positions, but mainly in Year 5-8 classrooms. I have a passion for inspiring students to read and helping others to see the benefits of using eLearning in the classroom. I am excited to begin my journey as Across School Teacher for the Auckland Central Catholic Kāhui Ako and look forward to meeting and supporting students, parents, teachers and leaders across our fourteen amazing schools.

SIGNIFICANT ACHIEVEMENTS FROM OUR AUCKLAND CENTRAL CATHOLIC KĀHUI AKO SCHOOLS IN 2020

Across the Kāhui Ako an importance is placed on students leaving school with sound academic qualifications. These results put our Kāhui Ako in the top echelon in schools across New Zealand.

This shows that our Kāhui Ako is providing students with quality opportunities to succeed educationally. Students gaining University Entrance open up a range of options from going into employment, taking on a trade or continuing education at polytechnic or University.

A big congratulations to all the Year 13 students across the Auckland Central Catholic Kāhui Ako Schools with the excellent 2020 results. Their commitment to their academic studies and school life has paid off, as has all the guidance and support provided by all the staff across the schools.

	ACCKA Schools	All New Zealand Schools	Decile 1-3 Schools	Decile 4-7 Schools	Decile 8-10 Schools
University Entrance	92%	55%	34%	53%	71%
Māori University Entrance	98%	36%	27%	37%	56%
Pasifika University Entrance	84%	35%	29%	35%	52%

Our Vision

To create a Kāhui Ako centred in the Catholic faith that collectively strengthens us to develop the whole child.

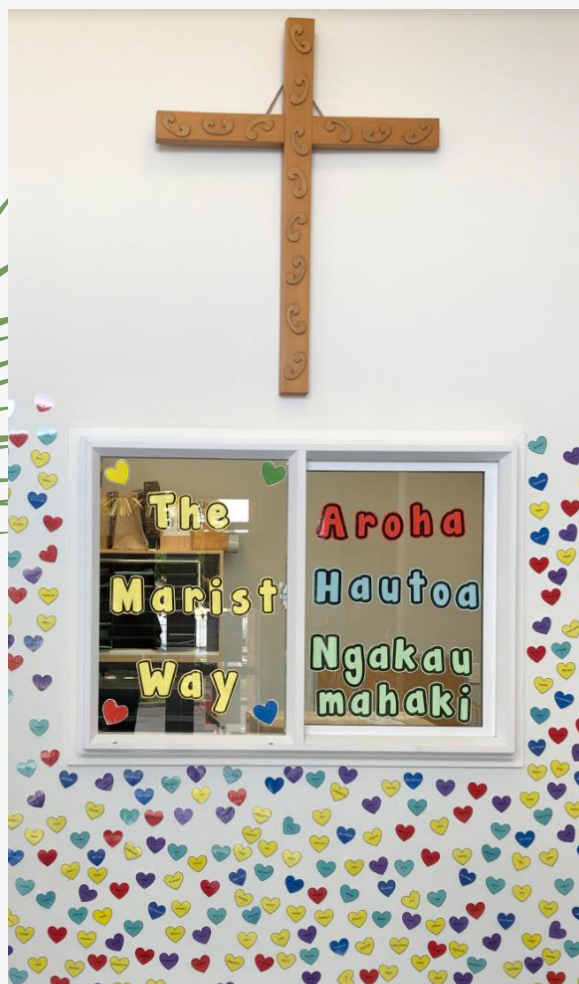
EFFECTIVE TEACHER PROFILE

ETP Roll out across the Auckland Central Catholic Kāhui Ako Schools

A focus for schools within our Kāhui Ako is to develop the teaching and learning taking place in every classroom to improve the learning outcomes for all students. To do this, the Kāhui Ako is working alongside Alana Madgwick from Learning Solutions in the use of the Effective Teacher Profile for teachers. The Effective Teacher Profile is a Professional learning resource for teachers that seeks to improve the educational achievement of Māori and Pasifika students in schools.

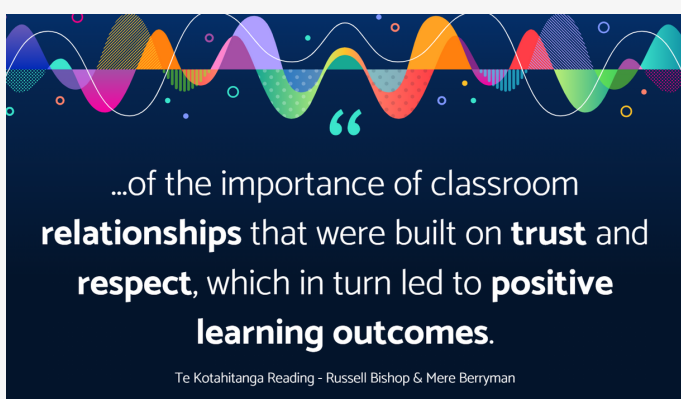
Key elements within this are that effective teachers take a positive, non deficit view of students, and see themselves as capable of making a difference for them. Effective interactions rely on caring for students by building relationships and interactions, having high expectations and managing the classroom to promote learning. Teachers are encouraged to use a range of dynamic, interactive teaching styles, with teachers and students reflecting together on student achievement to move forward collaboratively.

The work has been going on over the past 12 months and continues into 2021 and beyond. It is an exciting challenge for all staff and schools as we all continue to improve the learning outcomes for all students.



PROFESSIONAL LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT

We have once again been successful in accessing Ministry of Education funding for professional learning and development across our Kāhui Ako schools. This support will continue to focus on culturally responsive teaching and learning.



KĀHUI AKO STRATEGIC GOALS

The Auckland Central Catholic Kāhui Ako has two strategic goals for the period 2019-2022:

Strategic Goal 1: Educational Pathway

Tracking and planning an educational pathway that will support each child to reach their potential

Strategic Goal 2: Supporting excellence in learning through strong Community

Strengthening the ties and relationships between our schools, our children and families, to support student engagement and excellence in learning

We will achieve these strategic goals through three main strategies:

1. Collaborative inquiry based on credible evidence and leading to a cycle of continuous improvement
2. Developing best practice models across our schools including culturally responsive teaching pedagogy
3. Linking assessment practices to effective teaching and learning



**Why do you think there are two competency frameworks?
What 3 key words help answer this question.**

