

TAITOKO SCHOOL

Vision - Cultural, Creative, Connected Learners
Values - Striving for excellence, Respect everyone, Celebrate diversity.

I am safe, I am respectful, I am a learner.

Charter

Strategic and Annual Plan

2022 - 2025

Taitoko School 2022 – 2025 Strategic Intentions

Mission Statement	To meet the Educational Needs of Taitoko Schools Community by Striving For Individual Excellence in all curriculum areas, in a safe and caring learning environment					
Vision	Cultural, Creative, Connected Learners					
Values	Whakaute - Respect Ako - Empathy Aroha - Love Whanaungatanga Manaakitanga					
PB4L Principles	I am Safe - I am Respectful - I am a Learner					
Māori Dimensions and Cultural Diversity	 Taitoko School's Curriculum will recognise the unique position of Māori, the dual heritage of New Zealand, and New Zealand's cultural diversity. The Board of Trustees will ensure the following takes place: Consultation with our Māori whanau on Charter development, where appropriate Will reflect the unique place of Māori within our policy documentation and curriculum statements to respect New Zealand's cultural diversity. Provide all students the opportunity to understand and experience cultural traditions, language, and history. Staff and students will understand why the Tiriti o Waitangi has a unique place in New Zealand's history 					

Taitoko School Strategic Plan 2022 – 2025

LEARNING GOAL: to maximise individual potential through developing a progressive and flexible school curriculum to meet our students' needs through real life learning experiences. Focus on raising student achievement in mathematics, writing, and reading.

Mathematic goal 80% at expected Curriculum Level Reading goal 85% at expected Curriculum Level Writing goal 85% at expected Curriculum Level

How: all students, including priority learners, will access the NZCⁱ as evidenced by achievement in the NZC levels and differentiated learning programs, target groups, and samples of student work. Collaborative working environments under each Hub. The school is under the Community of Learners Kahui Ako to meet the community achievement challenges.

2022: Continue to use the PaCT tool for writing to continue with consistency of accurate teacher judgements

Ongoing review and continual development of the School's Curriculum.

Leaders/teachers continue to use evaluation and inquiry to fully understand the impact of strategies and programmes to raise achievement.

Continue with the Implementation of Yolanda Soryl Literacy program across year 1 to 4

Manaaikalani implemented in the school for digital awareness and capability.

Te reo Māori language and Tikanga will be a focus for all staff.

PB4L School wide behaviour management system and Breathe Pause Smile.

Maori Achieving Success as Maori-Maori Achievement Challenge professional development

		2018	2018	2019	2019	2020	2020	2021	2021	2022	2022	
		Goal	Actual									
Well Below	Maths		26%		26%		25%		22%			
and	Writing		25%		26%		20%		24%			
Below	Reading		28%		20%		21%		18%			
At and	Maths	70%	74%	85%	74%	85%	75%	80%	78%	85%		
Above	Writing	60%	67%	75%	74%	80%	80%	85%	76%	85%		
,	Reading	60%	72%	85%	80%	80%	79%	85%	82%	85%		

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Improving Student Learning and Achievement

Curriculum Goals:

Continual development of the Taitoko Curriculum.

- The needs of the students influence curriculum delivery.
- To evaluate learning programmes on an ongoing basis, including reflection on Teaching as Inquiry
- Ongoing review and development of the school's
- curriculum.
- Working collaboratively within the Kahui Ako. Look at levers for change.
- Maanaiakalani

Math Goals:

- Students will be given the opportunity to be the best they can be, to meet the maths expectations and curriculum.
- PAT assessment tool for maths
- Continual development of assessment processes and practices.
- Hubs/collaboration discussions

Literacy Goals:

Enhance teacher capability through mentoring/coaching. Teacher Inquiry, leadership and Hub discussions. Part of the Kahui Ako.

Use assessment to critique teaching and learning, so that student learning is tracked and supported. All reading recovery and ex reading recovery students will be monitored. Reading Recovery teacher will work alongside teachers to support these students and involved in the early literacy program.

PAT assessment tool for reading whole school. Continue with PaCT tool for writing.

Developing a Quality Learning Environment

Clear Expectations:

Year 8 leavers have a clear understanding of expectations for learning, required for success at college. Look at resourcing and whanau support, use surveys and meet and greet. Develop year 8 individual profile.

Achievement challenges discussed and met through explicit acts of teaching.

Teachers and students' capable digital citizens.

Maths: Leader observations for best practice.

Maths leader to work with leadership team to critically analyse data. Teacher observations and feedback.

PAT tool used to identify next learning steps for students.

Observations to better inform teachers of strategies for positive learning outcomes for all students. Analyse assessment data, to identify weaknesses, strengths, so that teacher practice improves.

Build on teachers' knowledge to transfer to DATs. Integrate techniques (includes assessment) to practice.

Priority learners identified and monitored by teachers, looking at the learner as an individual. Set learning goals with students not 'at curriculum level, looking for evidence of progress.

Use PaCT tool signposts to support the next learning steps.

Education for Sustainability

Sustainability Goals

- Whanautanga-family: total well-being
 - What can we do to support and improve staff and student wellbeing?
- Place: Enviro School
 - Gardens for Food programmes
 - Fruit trees
 - Landscape
 - Developing Student Leaders

Property:

10y-5y Administration/LSC office Modernised classrooms

Human Resources:

- Professional Growth Cycle
- Health and safety procedures
- Safety drills
- Reading Recovery Teacher
- Staff well Being -Covid

Finance:

- Annual budget
- Meeting accounting and reporting requirements
- Ed Services

Whanau Hui

- Fono that will support our Taitoko School whanau, working in the COL
- AST Whanau engagement.

Leadership:

Build capability of leadership team through professional readings and discussions with Appraiser and Professional Development

Leaders/teachers use evaluation and inquiry to fully understand the impact of strategies and programmes in relation to achieving equity and excellence for all students.

Digital Curriculum: Manaaiakilani

Build teachers awareness and pedagogy to support our students to use digital tools that engage them in their learning.

- Increase teachers' knowledge of the digital curriculum.
- The main goal is to accelerate learning outcomes for our students in a digital environment. Creative skills through technology can help students to become better problem solvers, communicators and collaborators.

Cultural Responsiveness/ Maori Achieving Success as Maori Across School Teacher (AST) will support cultural understanding regarding iwi and Maori student engagement in learning and lead the team to further their understanding of Tikanga Maori.

PB4L Goals:

- To enhance student/teacher parent relationship
- To continue to support students at school, using the PB4L management system to support positive behaviour.
- To continue to recognise NZC cultural diversity, Māori.
- Restorative Practice school wide Pause Breathe and Smile.

Leadership Capability:

- Teachers/students: promote the school value of Excellence.
- Develop leaders understanding of 'Effective Leadership through Professional Development
- Build on strengths/talents of all Taitoko School staff
- Further development of professional capability for leaders and teachers

Principal and Deputy Principal completed Mindlab paper. Leaders to implement change through their research inquiry.

Continue with research digging down into digital tools.

Implement Te Reo into classrooms.

Noho's to be organised. If appropriate under covid framework

Investigate further support for Te Reo and Kapa Haka. Focus on Whanaungatanga and Manaakitanga.

PB4L:

- Continue with our great caring culture, using PB4L.
- Develop students as leaders

Staff to continue with Pause Breathe and smile techniques

Google classrooms and apps used to engage students in their learning.

Confident learners and teachers using digital tools.

Understanding of Tikanga

PB4L:

- Engaged students.
- Positive culture
- Strive for Excellence

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Improving Student Learning and	How will we gather	Evaluation Capability	Mid-Point Review	End Point Review
Achievement	evidence of progress		Term Two	Term Four
Actions	Outcomes	Evaluation		
Curriculum Goals:	Curriculum:	Curriculum:		
Ongoing Review and continual	At the end of the term, staff	Ongoing review at the end of		
development of the School's	will evaluate the curriculum,	each term before deciding on		
curriculum.	looking at ways to further	planning for following term.		
	engage students/ in their			
	learning.			
Maanaiakalani				
The main goal is to accelerate learning	Digital Curriculum and teacher	Teacher understanding of the		
outcomes for our students in a digital	capability. Leadership team the	digital curriculum and use of		
environment by building digital	team for learning. Transfer	digital tools to promote		
awareness and capabilities for student and teachers.	learning knowledge down to teacher practice.	student learning		
and teachers.	teacher practice.			
Reading/Writing:				
Literacy Leader coaches and supports	Leader and teacher work	Observation discussion records		
teachers to 'dig deeper' into student	together to set goals to guide	will show target student goal		
achievement, using 'deliberate acts of	teacher observations, looking	setting, identifies teachers		
teaching'.	at the professional growth	deliberate acts of teaching and		
Working with COL. AST teacher to	cycle.	feedback for targeted students		
support all staff.	Leader walk throughs in	with writing.		
	classrooms.			
Yolanda Soryl phonics programme	Hub, Staff meeting minutes and	Focus on writing and		
implemented in Junior classrooms.	PD summaries.	accelerating progress.		
Each day will begin and focus on the	Hub Inquiries to establish			
stages in the programme.	professional goals.			
	Analyse reading and writing.	Improvement in oral language.		

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Use assessment to critique teaching	Moderation Meetings, using		
and learning, so that student learning	the PaCT tool to Identify	To be evaluated and a schedule	
is tracked and supported.	learning goals for students not	for assessment timelines put in	
All assessment data results entered	'at' curriculum level and move	place.	
on Etap, for tracking purposes and	more students from 'at' to		
hub discussions.	'above' curriculum level.	Evidence of Oral language	
	Teacher Aide expectations and	experiences.	
	planning.		
		Observations and subsequent	
	Assessment for each student	teacher/student coaching lead	
	will happen according to stage	to:	
	of progress in week 8 of term 1.	Student achievement at their	
		curriculum level. Improved	
	Ongoing reflections and	outcome for students.	
	discussions to evaluate the		
	impact of this.	Evidence of targeted student	
		discussions in hubs	
	External Agency Support		
	(includes PD)		
	Pact tool for writing. Set		
	student goals for writing.		
	Reading; Analyse running		
	records to gold level, across all		
	year levels. This includes		
	tracking and monitoring of		
	Reading Recovery students		
	present and past.		
	PAT Reading:		
	Comprehension in Term 2 and	Students moving from 'below'	
	Term 4, for years 4 – 8	the curriculum to 'at' the	
		curriculum.	
	Comprehension worksheets	Observations and feedback	
	with students above Gold	show evidence of deliberate	
	Level.	acts of teaching and areas	
	PACT writing assessment to	identified for improvement.	
	track all students 'well below or	identified for improvement.	
	track an students well below of		

Maths: Leader and principal supports' teachers to identify deliberate acts teaching to raise achievement and show progress for all students. Look at goal setting for students not at curriculum level. Cultural Responsiveness:	below' curriculum for writing and set goals. Moderation Meetings for writing. Terms 2, 3, and 4, using the PACT tool. Observations of teachers, feedback and goal setting. Analyse assessment data PAT and gloss/JAM. Hub discussions/staff meetings Principal and maths leader involved in professional development to support school's math capability.	Staff meeting with a maths focus. Principal and leader to do maths inquiry.	
ultural Responsiveness: 'hanau participation for their child's arning. Home, School Partnership. onnections with local Marae and iwi. uilding partnerships		Evidence of whanau collaboration to support student achievement. Record on E-tap or meeting minutes. Planning to incorporate	
Leadership Capability: Professional Development: Building Effective Leadership	Leadership: Leaders up to date with current leadership practices.	whanau/ student feedback that is put into practice. Leadership: Building professional capability. Professional conversations	
(Carol Lynch-Education Consultants)	Leaders involved in the analysis of data. Evidence of professional discussions linked to Strategic and Annual Plan. Evaluative practice.	SWIS analysis done on leaders, looking at what we do well and what we can improve on.	



Analysis of Variance Reporting

School Name:	Taitoko School	School Number:	3032					
Strategic Aim:	Improve Student Learning and Achievement through Targeted Actions							
Annual Aim:	Improve Student Learning and Achievement thro Curriculum Development Reading/Writing focus on supporting teachers to Maths focus is to identify Deliberate Acts of Teac Kahui Ako -all teachers working with COL.	o 'dig deeper into raising achie	evement,					
Target:	Writing: The curriculum area of focus for 2021 was 'writing'. Data shows a slight decline in 2021- which contributed to Covid 19. It was agreed that a continual focus into writing practices across the school would continue to identify areas for improvement. The PaCT tool was implemented for consistency of judgements. Signposts within the aspects were used to inform teaching. Easstle for students years 1 to 3. Kahui Ako data gathering							
Baseline Data:	Writing (Boys)There are 109 boys, of these 54 sto Writing (Girls)There are 88 girls, of these 50 stud School wide 104 students are 'At and 46 'Above' Writing we came out just under the goal, with 76	ents are 'At and 23 Above' cu curriculum level.	rriculum level. 14 'Below' and 1 'Well Below".					

Actions What did we do?
With the aim of moving as many students as possible from the 'underachieving band to the achieving bands, there is a need for teachers to: To be very clear about what expectations for each year level looked like for writing and to share those expectations with students, as appropriate to age and level.
To identify every student at the beginning of 2020 who were not working at the appropriate curriculum level, looking at Etap data. Select Targeted students.
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Set Learning Goals for each student (what specific learning does the student need to reach their achievement target?) Use the PaCT tool signposts to inform teaching.

To discuss and analyse the progress of these students regularly at Hub and Staff Meetings.

Appraisal and observations of teachers to inform next steps.
Supported professional discussions in place.

Outcomes *What happened?*

Writing:

Across the school 150 students out of 197 students are either 'At or Above' the curriculum.

There has been an increase with students moving from 'At to Above the curriculum.

47 students are either 'Below or Well Below the curriculum.

Of these group 2 students are Orr's funded and a significant group of these students with learning needs, of this group the majority receive funding and extra support within class.

We noticed a drop in the percentage of students achieving curriculum level at midpoint of the year due to students who have not attended school for a year automatically placed "At 'curriculum level. The total number of these students were 14.

Reasons for the variance Why did it happen?

Targeted students were chosen from our data analysis carried out by the leaders. Data was also given to teachers to discuss and look at which students would be chosen to target. Teachers involved in regular data analysis discussions.

Teacher Inquiry supported this with the Junior Hub looking at not teaching 'words in isolation to writing. The team started to reflect on students writing and looking at spelling words within the writing, rather than just teach essential words, without linking to the writing process.

Reflection from professional reading-Deepen Teacher Inquiry supported the teachers to think about their teaching.

All Junior teachers and the principal attended professional development for Yolanda Soryl early literacy development.

Evaluation Where to next?

Both teachers agreed that there was an increase in oral language with some students who were reluctant to communicate, now sharing their learning journey.

Our evaluation of the Junior literacy program showed evidence that there were variables in each year level. As a collaborative team it was decided that for 2021 an agreed set of expectations for teaching literacy would be implemented for consistency. The same alphabet cards and literacy program would be implemented. This has happened Set an achievement target using the PaCT tool for each student (what curriculum level-sub level does the student need to reach by the end of 2021) Set learning goals that are specificdeliberate acts of teaching. Yolanda Soryl Literacy programme to be implemented into the Junior School.

Discuss and analyse the progress of these students regularly at weekly hub meetings.

Continue to use knowledge of literacy team as a critical friend Reading Recovery teacher and RTLit.
Reading Recovery students tracked.

Planning for next year:

All students below' the curriculum will be identified. Discussions with all teachers to look at each student and analyse what is missing, using the PaCt Tool signposts to inform teaching and Easstle as part of Maanaiaklani Hub discussions where evidence is collated to strengthen teacher capability and track student progress.

Each student will know their learning goals.

Teachers and students will have a clear expectation of what writing/reading and maths looks like for each curriculum level.

Include whanau in the school community, seeking their voice.

Analyse data and feedback regularly given.

Ex reading recovery students and present students will be tracked, this will form the basis for discussions around the learner.

Professional Growth Cycle in place to support teachers to be the best practitioners.

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