



Vision



St Heliers School is a welcoming community that stands for excellence in academic achievement and in all other areas of school life and fosters independent, well-rounded students.

A community that is innovative and encouraging, where sound values underpin all school activities.



Vision for our Students

Students who are:

Confident:

Willing and self-motivated participants in the learning process, who show resourcefulness and initiative, and are able to communicate effectively.

Connected:

Develop responsibility for communities at a local, national and global level by demonstrating empathy, acceptance and tolerance. They will show sensitivity and respect towards other cultures and the environment leading to their own sense of belonging.

Actively Involved:

Engaged, self-motivated participants, who contribute to all areas of school life and to the well-being of Aotearoa.

Lifelong Learners:

Intrinsically motivated, who seek opportunities that build on and extend their knowledge base, while making informed decisions through critical and creative thinking.



Values

Honesty

Always be truthful

Responsibility

Be trustworthy, reliable, be accountable for own actions, and make sensible choices

Diligence

Be conscientious and hardworking

Self-Discipline

Show self-control

Respect

Display manners, courtesy and fairness toward others and value the diversity of cultures in our society

Care

Value and appreciate our environment by caring for our school, community, planet, and future



Taha Maori & Cultural Diversity

St Heliers School, as a New Zealand school, acknowledges the Treaty of Waitangi.

Our aim is to enable students to understand and acknowledge tikanga Maori (values, attitudes and behaviour).

St Heliers School is committed to the provision of equity for all, respect for all cultures and acknowledges the bi-cultural nature of our history and multi-cultural nature of our society. The bi-cultural nature of our history refers to Maori and European cultures.