



Dear Parent/Caregivers,

Wednesday 1st February 2023

The Tauranga Intermediate School Whānau Conferences will take place in class on Wednesday 1st February 2023. Whānau Conferences are for all Year 7 students and new Year 8 students to Tauranga Intermediate School.

The purpose of the Whānau Conference is:

- For you to share about your ākongā/child; likes, hobbies, talents, celebrations
- For you to share what success looks like at school for your ākongā/child
- To further develop the **learning partnership** between home and school

Each conference will be 15 minutes long and can be booked online as below

We aim for 100% parent/whānau attendance.

ONLINE BOOKING INSTRUCTIONS:

Go to www.schoolinterviews.co.nz and enter the code **5kwk2** and follow the prompts. Bookings are now open.

If unable to book online or the above date is not suitable, please email our school office at admin@tauranga-int.school.nz by Wednesday 1st February with your child's Name and Room Number so we can inform their teacher to arrange a suitable appointment for you.

HERO - is our student management, sharing and reporting portal. Please go to the HERO website hero.line-ed.com. Go to the 'support' tab and select 'parents'. This will lead you to instructions for creating your parent HERO account. All students will have an account and this is how messages, notices and learning will be shared with you.

Please note our first school day for all students is Thursday 2nd February, 2023.

We look forward to seeing you then.

Nāku iti noa, nā

Tracey Kerr-Aim

Deputy Principal

QUESTIONS FOR PARENTS:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tell me about your child? interests, hobbies• What does a successful year look like for your child at school?• What are their strengths? (in and out of school)• Are there any areas we can support your child here at school? | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• What is the best way to make contact to share celebrations and successes?• FaceBook - have you liked our School FaceBook page and your child's House page?• Have you downloaded the HERO app and created an account? |
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Please see over page for your child's conference location with their teacher.

Interview Locations

House	Teacher	Room	Interview Location
Totara House	Wendy Dumeé Liam Cunningham Carolyn Richardson Danielle Oliver / Kellie Hunter	1	Totara Pods - Above the Wellness Centre
		2	
		3	
		4	
Matai House	Matua Ed Matua Clayton / Whaea Ngawai Matua Ruki Whaea Nim Matua Zane Whaea Shirley	5	Ruma 5
		6	Ruma 6
		7	Ruma 7
		8	Ruma 8
		9	Ruma 9
		10	Ruma 10
Mānuka House	Jessica Russell Casey Bartlam Simon Madill Bissy Groom	11	Ruma 11
		12	Ruma 12
		13	Ruma 13
		14	Ruma 14
Kahikatea House	Chloe Fowler Casey Hodge Natasha Morgan Jonathan Pace	15	Ruma 15
		16	Ruma 16
		17	Ruma 17
		18	Ruma 18
Rata House	Ross Coulter Kayla Carruthers Jo Fredheim Jacob Plummer	19	Ruma 19
		20	Ruma 20
		21	Ruma 21
		22	Ruma 22
Kauri House	Stacie Aldersley Luke Whitley Gill Matthews Aubrey Jefta	23	Ruma 23
		24	Ruma 24
		25	Ruma 25
		26	Ruma 26
Tawa House	Blair Tristram Anna Connolly Taylia Hill Jacob Geenty	27	Ruma 27
		28	Ruma 28
		29	Ruma 29
		30	Ruma 30
Miro House	Linzi Littlewood Matt Ensor Aeilidh Mikkelsen Nigel Firman	31	Miro Pod
		32	
		33	
		34	
Tanekaha House	Carly Hemsworth Jenna Hatch Matt Ward Jessica Rood	35	Tanekaha Pod
		36	
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		38	
Rimu House	Tom Hardy Lauren Stull Jonathan Bull Michael Wells	39	Rimu Pod
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