

The Johnsonville School

Curriculum

Te Marautanga-a-Kura Our Kaupapa: What and How Students Learn

Learning and Growing Together

Akoranga Whakatipuranga Ngatahi



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- is based on *The New Zealand Curriculum* which sets the direction for student learning in New Zealand schools
 - encompasses all the learning experiences that our students encounter in the school environment
 - is a unique and responsive blueprint of what our school community considers is important and desirable for our students to learn
 - reflects our diverse school community
 - is guided by principles that embody beliefs about what is important and desirable in the school curriculum
 - addresses the particular needs, interests and circumstances our school's students
 - clarifies priorities for student learning in the different learning areas and ways in which those priorities will be met
 - promotes student learning – engagement, progress and achievement
- outlines the key competencies that need to be developed and how these are interwoven into learning programmes
 - is a living document which will continue to evolve as we develop further in response to the needs and aspirations of our students
 - reflects our unique place in the world and the local resources and learning opportunities that enhance learning

Johnsonville is a large suburb in the 'coolest little capital'. Just 8 km north of the Wellington central business district and the city's majestic waterfront 'J'ville' sits at the base of Mt Kaukau and at the doorstep of the rural splendour of Ohariu Valley. Our kids enjoy the vitality of a cosmopolitan city with its vibrant arts scene, food culture and active outdoor lifestyle.