





WELCOME, OUR DOOR IS ALWAYS OPEN

Choosing the right school for your child is one of the most important decisions you will make to prepare them for their future. Katikati College is a rural, co-educational Year 7-13 school located in the heart of our community. We offer you and your child a well balanced education that embraces the whole student. We will support, motivate and challenge your child to achieve their personal best. Our core values of Manaakitanga, Ako, Rangatiratanga and Kotahitanga underpin everything we do and stand for as a school. We will ensure that vour child is able to make their MARK on their education journey.

As a smaller school, every child is known and has a significant adult that is able to provide Manaakitanga (care for others) for them. There are strong connections across all ages of our students through sports, culture and the arts. We truly believe that it takes a village to raise a child and it is this sense of community that we see as a key strength of our school.

Learning and academic success are fundamentally what we are about as a school. Our students have a strong tradition of outstanding academic achievement and excellence. This focus on Ako (learning) is not just what happens inside the classroom. We expect our students to experience learning throughout the school in their involvement with sports, arts and culture. Students from Katikati College represent at local, regional and national level in sports and arts pursuits.

Our staff are dedicated professionals who are continually looking for ways

to develop and enhance the learning opportunities for your child. This Rangatiratanga (leadership) allows for a wide range of pathways for our students involving local community connections.

As a school, we do not just enrol your child; we want to make sure that you are involved with their education journey. The success of us all working together - child, whānau, school and community provides the Kotahitanga (unity) that enables your child to succeed.

We aspire to be the school of choice within our community. Please take the time to come and visit our school to see who we are and what we are about.

Louise Buckley - Acting Principal

OUR CULTURE

is an innovative learning community where we act with integrity and have pride in who we are and what we believe.

We empower our learners to achieve personal excellence.

OUR GORE VALUES

Our innovative school programmes build character and are framed by the core values we express through the principles of 'MARK'. Through these values our students learn to be confident, connected with the community and comfortable with the concept of hard work and maximising opportunities.

WE WILL HELP YOU TO MAKE YOUR



Manaakitanga Putting others before yourself

Caring for yourself, others and the environment.

Ako

Teachers and students learning together

Sharing ideas and helping each other with learning.

Rangatiratanga

Managing ourselves and showing leadership

Being in the right place at the right time. Having the right equipment. Completing all your work to the best of your ability.

Kotahitanga Working together

Participation. Collaboration. Cooperation. Unity.





OUR TOMORROW

STRATEGIC GOALS for 2018 - 2023

Learners

All members of our learning community are learners. Provide personalised programmes that meet the needs and aspirations of all learners and inspire a passion for lifelong learning.

Learning Environment

Provide a culturally responsive environment which is positive, predictable, consistent and safe.

People

Our staff and students are all learning leaders. Attract, develop and retain inspiring staff who are mentors and facilitators of our learning community.

Growth

Building capacity, learning leaders.Foster the physical, cultural, personal and social development of each individual, to build the collective capacity of our learning community.

Resources

School operations. Develop, maintain and efficiently utilise physical and financial resources to support the College's strategic goals, ensuring long-term sustainability and on-going development.

Connections

Community engagement. Engage meaningfully and collaboratively with the wider school community and strengthen partnerships between the College, caregivers and whānau.

BECOMING ONE OF US

TRANSITIONING INTO YEAR 7

We ensure that the decision to choose Katikati College is the right one for all of our students. Each student is welcomed and accepted as an individual, whilst being given a space where they belong as part of the group. We do our utmost to ensure a safe, positive environment for all new students.

To ensure that the transition is a comfortable one, we not only visit contributing schools prior to enrolment, but also host a Transition Day during which our new students can meet their teachers and future friends. They will also get to meet the support staff who will be there to support their needs every step of the way.

There is no denying that our Year 7/8 facility is one of vigour, vitality, passion and innovation. Together we inspire one another and our students to achieve the best possible outcomes. The rapport and connection that we make with our students in Year 7 remains with them as they undertake their new educational endeavours throughout their time at our College.

But don't just take it from us ...ask our students!





When I was at the end of Year 6 at primary school I felt nervous, but it's just like going from Year 5 to Year 6 they will put you in a class with friends if not you will make friends in the first, second or third days. It was nice to see all the other people and all of the different cultures and what they did. There are many different cultures in the school. My favorite subject in school is math. I like to learn all about decimals and adding, subtracting, multiplying and dividing. Also by Term 2 I learnt all my times tables from 1 to 12.

Lucas Leigh - Year 7



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Being a Year 7 student at Katikati College has been a really fun experience. I have a cool teacher and I enjoyed meeting the Year 13 peer support leaders at the beginning of the year. They introduced us to the school and made us feel welcome. Being a part of swimming sports, athletics and cross country has been awesome. We get to do P.E and Kiwican every week. There are different subjects like Technology and Science where you can use different tools and equipment. I have learnt so much already this year and made lots of new friends.

Georgia Walter - Year 7

2021 JUNIOR LEADERS



Katikati College is a safe environment to learn, grow and thrive. When I first started all the students and teachers were so welcoming, guiding me until I got my bearings of the school. My proudest achievements at this school were receiving the Year 7 all-rounder award in 2020 and being the Year 8 Head Boy for 2021.

My advice to any student starting at Katikati College is, take every opportunity you can get. There are so many ways to get involved at this school, whether it be a sport, an instrument, a leadership position and countless others.

Mitchell Preston - Year 8 Head Boy



The reason I would give people to choose Katikati College is... it's so multicultural and overall a great school with very inviting teachers. An achievement I am most proud of is getting my first two Trinity College speech exams in 2018-2019.

An achievement I am most proud of is getting Head Girl last year as it has been so enjoyable.

Advice I would give to any new students attending Katikati College is to have fun and take part in as many cool activities as possible if it's sports, academic or cultural.

Emily Bourke - Year 8 Head Girl



Since Katikati College is a small school, this allows the teachers to be able to focus on students which helps them thrive more at school. At Katikati College everyone accepts students as they are and are really welcoming to other students, you will never feel lonely. My proudest achievements at Katikati College is getting the overall Academic Excellence Award in Year 7 and becoming the Year 8 Academic Leader for 2021. The advice that I would give to a new student joining Katikati College would be to take new opportunities, step out of your comfort zone and play your part at school, like being a leader, get involved in music, joining a sports team and many others.

Ravbir Maan - Year 8 Academic Captain



I would recommend Katikati College as it's my local school. My proudest achievement so far is becoming a student leader. To new students at the college I would say join in lots of activities and sports. Have lots of fun.

Roseanne Moeakiola-Martin - Year 8 Cultural Captain



At Katikati College everybody is friendly and the school has heaps of cultures. The Year 7 & 8 teachers are excellent. My greatest achievement so far is being named sports leader. Winning the tennis championships and presenting my speech at leadership camp. To new students at the College I would say be brave and give anything a go, sports, academic or school performances.

Gianni Duckworth - Year 8 Sports Captain

2021 JUNIOR LEADERS



Katikati College has a large variety of cultures and options you can participate in by attending this school. We have an amazing technology block that has students from multiple schools using them. My proudest achievement as a student is being elected into the role of Year 10 Academic Leader. This is a great achievement for me as I have always wanted to be influential. My advice to newcomers to this school would be to make new friends and try to involve yourself with everyone. This school is full of diversity and I'm sure you will find the right things you're looking for.

Eugene Pfenning - Year 10 Academic Captain



Kia Ora my name is Hamish and I've been attending Katikati College since I was a Year 7. I would choose Katikati College compared to any other school because it has a great learning environment where everyone gets to know each other and collaborate with other people. The teachers are so kind and helpful and the senior students always support you as a Year 7. My greatest achievement at Katikati College has been having the opportunity to become a Year 8 and 10 leader. I feel that this is a great opportunity which not many other schools have. You get to have a say in your younger years of college and be a role model and support your peers around you. Advice I would give to a new student attending Katikati College would be to get involved in as much as possible this way you will get to know more people around you.

Hamish Tanner - Year 10 Sports Captain



The reason I would give people to pick Katikati College over other schools would be that there are plenty of opportunities like ShowQuest, Lip sync, Diva and Divos, Talent Quest, and an abundance of sports. The most proud moment for me would have to be ShowQuest 2021. It was just so amazing and fun to do. My advice to new students at the College is college is different to primary school so be prepared for a change in routine.

Georgia Bullot - Year 10 Arts Captain



I think one of the main advantages of coming to Katikati College is its small size. Each year group is small enough that you know everyone regardless of whether they're in your class or not. There is also a great dynamic between the younger and older students because of the small size. One of my proudest achievements at the college is becoming an Academic Captain twice and getting the chance to support students and reach their academic potential. I have loved every minute of it and I think that the fact that Katikati College has student leaders in Years 8, 10, and 13 is another reason to enrol, as it gives you the opportunity to get super involved in school life. To any new students at Katikati College, get involved. Participate in any events that you can, join the student council, make some new friends, and just get in amongst it. There are also lots of clubs to join that can help you meet new people and I'd encourage new students to try out anything that interests them.

Layla Hoskin - Year 10 Academic Captain



LEARNING PATHWAYS

CURRICULUM FRAMEWORK

The teaching curriculum at Katikati College is designed to provide a wide range of personalised and collaborative learning experiences.

We provide students with opportunities to develop capabilities in all Key Competencies and 21st Century Skills, while covering all aspects of the New Zealand Curriculum. Students' learning programmes may consist of any combination of the courses below.

Our staff work with students and their families/whānau to develop personalised learning programmes that align with their preferred career pathways.

Learning is our key focus and we work to provide courses that:

- Develop leadership, adaptability and ownership
- Provide authentic learning opportunities which connect with our community resourcing and expertise
- Allow students to experience success and achieve personal excellence

 Develop curiosity and encourage a love of learning that ensures it will happen anytime, anywhere, always!

For more information, please visit our school website.

NZC KEY COMPETENCIES

Managing Self

Participating & Contributing

Relating to Others

Thinking

Using Language

Symbols and Text

21st CENTURY SKILLS

Citizenship

Creativity

Collaboration

Communication

Critical Thinking

Character

JUNIOR CURRICULUM

(Year 7-10)

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Music, Visual and Performing, Drama

Languages and Literacies

English, Te Reo Māori, Pasifika Studies, ESOL

Mathematics

Physical Education & Health

Science

Social Sciences

Technology

Food, Fabric, Metal, Wood, Digital Technology

SENIOR CURRICULUM (Level 1, 2, 3 and NCEA)

Arts

Design, Painting, Photography, Drama, Music

Languages & Literacies

English, Te Reo Māori, Lea Faka Tonga, Pasifica Studies, ESOL

Mathematics

Statistics, Calculus

Physical Education & Health

Sports Science, Outdoor Education, Sport & Recreation, Health, Coasties

Science

Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Innovative Horticulture, Science

Social Sciences

Business Studies, Geography, Environmental Studies, History, Tourism

Technology

Food, Fabric, Metal, Wood, Digital Technology

Gateway/Careers

STAR courses, Early Childhood, Trades Academy, Farming

Note: Courses provided in the timetable are dependent on the number of students selecting the course meeting minimum criteria.



SPORTS

All of our students have the opportunity to participate in a huge range of sports activities that are good for the mind, body and soul. From team sports to individual opportunities, we encourage everyone to participate and challenge themselves to find what's just right for them.

Participation in school sports supports the healthy growth of the heart, lungs, muscles and bones. It also improves agility, coordination and balance. Exercise also helps reduce stress levels, anxiety and behavioral problems and can have a positive impact on emotional well-being which can help improve a student's school performance.

Playing sports with classmates can motivate and help students with their confidence as they can engage in friendly competition and form new friendship groups. We employ a dedicated sports coordinator to plan, organise and inform our students about sporting opportunities available in school or in the community.

We uniquely sit in two sporting regions, Bay of Plenty and Thames Valley. This enables us to take part in a wide range of events including weekly leagues and one-day tournaments. There are many have-ago opportunities as well as competitive competitions and representation. Katikati

College runs school-wide competitive and participation events for athletics, swimming and cross-country as well as championships in ki-o-rahi, tennis, triathlon and squash.

Our school teams consistently produce competitive results and have many national and regional representatives in our ranks. We welcome any help with coaching or managing from within our community.

For more information about sports opportunities available to our students please contact our Sports Coordinator by emailing:

sports@katikaticollege.school.nz



ARTS

The Arts are alive at Katikati College with Music, Dance, Drama and Visual Arts a vibrant part of school life.

There are numerous cultural and performing arts opportunities for students to actively engage with, meet new friends, refine skills and have fun! Some of the exciting activities on offer are learning musical instruments, art activities, workshops with professional dancers and musicians, cultural dance festivals, competing in regional and national competitions, community performances and trips to live theatre.

In Drama we proudly compete in the annual Sheilah Winn Shakespeare competition and we showcase our work within our local community as well as go on trips to see live theatre locally and in Auckland.

We have opportunities to work with professional dancers and learn choreography that has been seen on the world stage as well as choreographing and showcasing our own talent. Showquest is an exciting inter-school competition led by our Seniors and is a great way to meet new friends and become part of the Performing Arts whanau.



Arts opportunities include: Senior Art Exhibition • Extra Curricular Activities • Dance Troupe • Debating • Divas and Divos • Jazz Band Junior Arts Show • Junior Arts Promenade • Kapa Haka • Lip Sync Music Tuition • Pasifika Group • Peer Support Rock Quest • Shakespeare Competition • ShowQuest • Talent Quest • Culture Week • Concert Band

Government funded music lessons in flute, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet, trombone, horn, tuba, guitar, violin, viola & cello.

Private lessons in keyboard, piano, electric guitar & drums.



GULTURE

We celebrate the cultural richness within our school and provide an environment where students can find their true self. We believe that a deep connection to a students individual culture, combined with an acceptance of others, is the route to self authenticity.

We want all learners to pursue personal excellence, develop resilience, show adaptability, self confidence, innovation and creativity. Our cultural programmes help to build community-focused citizens who uphold our College values in a positive, predictable and consistent way.

When our students are well connected, they show initiative, take responsibility and become collaborative learners for life. They are individuals with village hearts and global minds.



Katikati College is a smaller school, which allows its students to become closer. It is easier to get to know and be closer to your fellow students, especially those in your own year. Becoming student representative for the Board of Trustees is what I am proudest of so far, it's an amazing opportunity. Take part in as many activities as possible and take advantage of the opportunities presented to you. Make sure you don't take on too much though and don't be afraid to ask for help if you feel overwhelmed.

Sofia House - Student Board Representative Head of Student Council



OUR WHĀNAU PŪMANAWA

Whānau Pūmanawa is a whānau environment that seeks to sustain and nurture students' cultural values, tikanga and te reo Māori.

Whānau Pūmanawa is a vertical form class incorporating Years 9-13. It exists to support the pastoral care and learning of Māori students.

Students in Whānau Pūmanawa participate in te reo Māori classes and kapahaka, and have the opportunity to learn through various noho marae, haerenga and other experiences that strengthen their knowledge and participation in te ao Māori. Whānau Pūmanawa is supported by regular whānau hui.

OUR AIGA

Malo e lelei, Talofa lava, Ni sa bula vinaka, Malo ni. Aiga is a 'home away from home' for students of Pacific Island descent.

One aspect of Aiga is a vertical form class for Year 11, 12 and 13 students. Students are academically mentored and cared for by Mrs Vetekina Pekipaki.

Cultural practices such as Lotu/prayer to begin the day are incorporated into the daily routine. The Aiga students lead the Pasifika activities in the school for example Pasifika Group performances and celebrations for Pacific Language weeks. Students are offered the opportunity to opt into the class when they finish Year 10

or when they arrive from other schools. Regular Po Talanoa are held with families to share what is happening at school and build learning partnerships with the community.

Students say they enjoy being part of Aiga because they can learn about different cultures and languages, be a part of a supportive Polynesian family, learn new words and eat different types of Polynesian foods! "We get to experience other cultures, speak in our own languages and take part in Pasifika performances."

Students from Katikati College can compete at events such as the Pasifika by Nature and Pasifika Speech Competition.



INNOVATIVE HORTICULTURE

Horticulture at Katikati College is a modular, flexible and future-focused programme of learning that can really take students places in the many career paths available in this amazingly diverse, growing industry, or in other industries where innovation is key.

Students choose a pathway relevant to them personally, selecting topics from Science, Agribusiness, Marketing, Digital Technology, Sustainability as well as Plant Management, combining academic knowledge and practical skills. Significant real life learning takes place on visits to orchards, nurseries and other horticultural ventures.

Career opportunities in horticulture are almost endless. Students could end up flying the drones which monitor crops, inventing robotic picking and packing machines, advising growers on how to achieve better results, working hands on outdoors picking, pruning and managing orchards, monitoring fruit quality in laboratories and packhouses, managing biosecurity or breeding new plant varieties, to give just a few examples.

Local industry supports students leaving Katikati College to enter a career in horticulture with generous scholarships and work experience.

For more information about our Innovative Horticulture Programme please use the link: https://goo.gl/dBEsG1 or scan the QR code.





The Technology Faculty is a vibrant and creative part of Katikati College. Students are taught many skills and techniques which they can then apply to projects. The range of outcomes is considerable. The faculty has adopted CNC technologies including 3D printing, vinyl cutting, CNC routing and CNC laser. Subjects taught are Digital Technology, Food and Hospitality, Fabric Technology, Engineering and Carpentry. As we move forward in education we are reminded that the soft skills of cooperation, commitment, innovation, and communication are of increasing importance as our students strive to find their place in the world.



MANAAKITANGA

At Katikati College, we pride ourselves on the Manaakitanga that we provide for our students through our pastoral care team.

We have year level Deans who work with our students on maintaining their wellbeing and who provide academic mentoring. Our Poumatua is a specific position that we have to better support our Maori students. We also have a full time guidance counsellor on staff.

A health nurse is based on site four days a week and the local medical centre runs a surgery at school once a week. This means that our students are able to access free health care through the College.

Our Year 7 students are involved in a peer support programme run by the Year 13 students. This enables the new cohort to feel more comfortable in transitioning into our school.



GO HOUSE!

At Katikati College all our students become connected to one of our four houses; MacMillan, Gledstanes, Stewart or Mulgan. These bring students of all year groups together in common objectives and to particate in friendly rivalry and healthy sportsmanship events.

Our School Houses have been an important part of our tradition for close to 60 years. The aim of a House system is to foster school pride and the engagement of students so that they form a greater connection with the school through competing against and supporting each other.

The House system also gives our senior students the opportunity to support and set a positive example for our junior students. The House system acknowledges the importance of the history and traditions of the Houses.

We have a number of activities that students are involved in that are House competitions. These include - Year 13 Camp, Swimming Sports, Athletics Sports, Divas & Divos, Cross Country, Triathlon, Lyp-Synch, Talent Quest, Haka & Waiata, Pacifica Dance, Art Work, House Chant, House Attendance.

2021 YEAR 8 HOUSE LEADERS



It pleases me to know that MacMillan is leading through multiple events such as cross country, athletics and swimming sports. I have learnt great MARK values through the Year 8 leadership group at Katikati College

Che Simmons - Macmillan House Leader



I am the Year 8 Gledstanes House Leader for 2021 and what I like about my house is the team spirit. We may not win at everything but we get up and keep going and support each other. Our house colour is purple and lots of people are pretty creative with costumes on event days such as athletics.

Coby Taylor - Gledstanes House Leader



Mulgan house is one of the best houses I think as we have spirit and determination. What makes Mulgan house special is although we may not win all the time and aren't the best at everything, we still try at everything and we have people who try their best and we don't come last so at least we've got that.

Felix Denyer - Mulgan House Leader



As a leader I enjoy seeing everyone dress up in their house colours and participate in events, which means to me they enjoy it an are having fun. To me being a leader means I have to encourage my peers and make sure they all enjoy themselves and of course have fun.

Amelia McGinty - Stewart House Leader

2021 YEAR 10 HOUSE LEADERS



As one of Macmillan's House Leaders, I'm proud to say that I'm a part of Macmillan. In our house, everyone is friendly, determined, and we strive to do our best in all areas of the school. Our House Leaders are always super positive and motivating, plus, they can always come up with awesome house chants, that are quick to learn, and definitely memorable. Our house participates and excels in lots of house/school events. Everyone is eager to support their peers, as well as anyone else representing Macmillan. Being in Macmillan is always positive, encouraging and of course, fun!

Poppy Carpenter - Macmillan House Leader



Hi, my name is Eloise Searle. I am a House Leader for Gledstanes 2021. What I find most rewarding about being in Gledstanes house is that even though we don't have the best winning record or the most motivated members, what we do have, is something to aim for. In Gledstanes house, we get more motivational speeches, more encouragement, and more cheers for our house when we lose. And we stand out for it. We stand tall and accept the attention of winning teams

that just blend in with each other. Gledstanes is a very special house as we are the underdogs. We are a very under-estimated house that gets high praises when we only come third out of four. Us as a Gledstanes team need more help to win, and grow as a team. Gledstanes would be very proud to have more members helping us out to achieve our ultimate goal of winning first place in a school activity.

Eloise Searle - Gledstanes House Leader



Macmillan is the green coloured house and you get to wear green clothing when house events happen. We normally place in the top 3 out of 4. To all of the new students who are in Macmillan, please join in and help us win more house challenges. Some of the house events are cross country, athletics, chalk art and house group dances. I am a student leader which means I attend the students' leader meeting and find out about what's happening in the school. I hope to see you getting involved with the Macmillan house activities earning house points and we may end up with a reward at the end of the term.

Amara Wisler - Macmillan House Leader



The house Stewart Is very special. People full of different talents. It is a house where you could prove and show your talents. Everyone in the house supports each other like a family. The colour of Stewart house is blue. Who doesn't like the colour blue! The name of our house Stewart has a really deep meaning behind it. Stewart represents a captain of a ship who first found our town Katikati. He was also the mayor of Tauranga. There are many other bits where the Stewart family/house is so special. If you are part of the Stewart family, there are many times where you could shine.

Zong-Yu Hsieh - Stewart House Leader



I love being at Katikati College because I get along well with my peers and teachers, we all work with each other's differences and we all get treated as part of this community. My favourite achievement is being able to represent this school as a house leader and to be able to learn among amazing peers to look up to. My advise to parents and students who are new to Katikati College is that everyone finds their place here and to try to get involved and active with the school's environment and learning.

Rose Hunter- Mulgan House Leader

2021 SENIOR HOUSE LEADERS



CACLLAN

Here at Macmillan we like to get everyone in our house involved with all activities, we encourage everyone to play their part and help everyone to achieve their maximum potential. Macmillan has always come first or second with our biggest rival being Stewart. With your help we could take them down and become the best house ever once again. Macmillan is special in our own way as we have a very diverse house, some of the strongest athletes, some of the most culturally diverse people at Katikati College and some of the smartest students in our school. Another thing that makes Macmillan special is that we listen to what you want, for example the Year 7 and 8's wanted to have a dodgeball competition so we put it forward and made it happen at the end of Term 1. Macmillan strives to be the best house and have the classic green with a gold medal when we get first place again.

Poppy Carpenter, Sara Campbell, Jakob Kokshoorn and Amara Wisler - Macmillan House Leaders



GLEDSTANES

Gledstanes takes its name from Mary Gledstanes, who immigrated to Katikati in 1878, and was a key part of the community. Our house colour, purple, symbolises creativity, wisdom, and pride, which we feel sums Gledstanes up nicely. While we may be seen as an underdog when it comes to sporting competitions, we never give up, and find other strengths in the arts, cultural week, attendance and academic competitions. We are resilient, with a fighting spirit, and our growing string of successes shows that we are not to be taken lightly. Alongside these strengths, Gledstanes prides itself on being a united group of individuals with great teamwork, who even when they lose finds the most fun. We are a friendly and supportive family, and we would love for you to join our team. We really love our house because even when we always get last place we don't give up and keep fighting continuously, even when the numbers are against us we still do our best and have fun. Our house is the strongest of all houses because even when we get knocked down continuously it doesn't stop us from trying our hardest. Go Gledstanes

Emily Davison, Maraea Nieling-Schuurmans and Eloise Searle - Gledstanes House Leaders





STEWART

Stewart is a very energetic and fun house and we always come together to take part and take over the school events. Over the years Stewart has built a winning tradition like no other and it doesn't stop here, our house has big smiles, is always encouraging and we never stop shining. Stewart's house spirit never dies, outta all the houses we most likely have the most fun in everything we do. If one person in Stewart succeeds we all succeed.

"We are fast, we are strong, reppin Stewart all day long. We are awesome, we are great reppin that Stewart is our way, we got that skill we got that flow by the end of the day you will know."

In Stewart no one's above anyone, no one's below anyone, but we always stand beside each other. The house Stewart Is very special. People full of different talents. It is a house where you could prove and show your talents. Everyone in the house supports each other like a family.

Zong-Yu Hsieh, Rumah Harvey and Tomasi Vakasiuola - Stewart House Leaders

MULGAN

Mulgan is a house filled with spirit and encouragement. Mulgan always participates and always gives it their best in every competition even if it isn't always our strength, in saying that we are a house full of talented students. Whether it's a sport, art or academic competition we always give it our best shot, even if we don't win we always stay positive and always have the biggest spirit and great sportsmanship because of this we are a winner in the best way. SOOOO WHOS THAT CREEPING INTO FIRST PLACE THAT'S MULGAN CREEPING INTO FIRST PLACE.

Here in Mulgan we always give our 100%. We know that sometimes our 100% may not always match up to someone else's but it is still important to strive for the best. In Mulgan you will also find yourself surrounded by peers who help you, who encourage you and those who want to see you strive for the best and achieve the "best". We would love to see you become a part of our diverse and inclusive house and with your help we might be able to get that golden trophy home to mighty Mulgan.

Felix Denyer, Pukohu Dalton, Jasmine Nora and Rose Hunter - Mulgan House Leaders

THE GREAT OUTDOORS

EDUCATION OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM

We discover much about ourselves through exploring the outside world. Our staff are always looking at new and innovative ways of connecting the school's teaching and learning programmes to interesting and meaningful experiences outside the classroom.

Education Outside The Classroom (EOTC) is a generic term used to describe curriculumbased learning and teaching that extends the four walls of the classroom and is a key component of secondary school life in New Zealand. At Katikati College there is a wide range of exciting EOTC opportunities. Some of these include year group camps (Years 7, 8, 10 and 13), sports based trips and tournaments (local, regional and national competitions), performing arts performances and curriculum/subject trips (e.g. art trips to Wellington/Auckland, surf, paddle boarding and mountain biking trips, 4WD Mount Tarawera and many more).









SENIOR LEADERSHIP

LEADING BY EXAMPLE

Our Senior Leadership students take pride in their responsibility of nurturing the juniors and setting the tone for the school. We believe that every student who joins our school has the potential to be a Senior Leader one day. We nurture and encourage every single one to find their true potential.

We thank these students for their contribution to the College throughout their years, but especially in 2021 where they excelled in their roles as leaders of our school. Here they share their thoughts:



Katikati College is unique and there is no other school like it. The staff is good for a small school, the sport is good as well. I am most proud of being named Head Boy and I'm also proud of my sporting achievements. My advice to new parents and students is to get involved, have fun and enjoy your time at school.

Dandre' Du Plessis - Head Boy



Being a smaller school there is a very strong community feel in and out of the school. I have found that I have friendly relationships with all of my teachers, which makes classes more valuable and enjoyable. I am also friends with everyone in my year which creates a fun and social environment at school, as well as lots of students from other year groups. My proudest achievement is the role of Head Girl. I am proud of this because I have aimed for this role for a long time and put in lots of work to try and achieve this. I am also proud of the sports teams that I play in at the school and the things that we have achieved together as a team. To a new student at Katikati College I would say get involved in every opportunity that is offered to you. Getting involved will allow you to meet lots of people throughout the school and be able to build relationships with other students and staff members. Taking these opportunities will make your time at school fun and enjoyable, as well as being a part of the school culture.

Jess Harray - Head Girl



Katikati College is a fun environment to learn in because of the people, the students and staff. Also as it's a small school you get to know everyone in your year group and other years pretty easily. Being awarded Deputy Head Girl is one of my proudest achievements and also all the mates that I have made and have surrounded myself with, they are all super cool people. My advice to new students is get involved. There are so many different sports and activities to be part of in which you are able to make new friends and have fun.

Charlotte Schnackenberg - Deputy Head Girl



Katikati College offers the community which other schools can not. As Katikati College is a rural school, a diverse range of kids from all walks of life come together to create a unique collective which not many other schools can offer. I am most proud of how the school strives through hardship. During our time here at school we have faced many different challenges, but through it all our school has always kept pushing on towards better things. My advice to new students is take any and all opportunities which are given to you.

Connor Wilmshurst - Academic Captain



There's a lot of opportunities here at Katikati College. The teachers here will really help you grow and push you to the best of your capabilities. Becoming Deputy Head Boy was always something I wanted to achieve and I wouldn't have been able to do it without my teachers, friends and family. To new parents and students at Katikati College make the most of your opportunities and hard work pays off.

Rhymis Ormsby - Deputy Head Boy



I believe that our Katikati College is the top pick compared to other schools because our college is filled with diverse and outstanding individuals that enrich each and everyone's experiences.

The achievement I am proudest of is having the honour of being one of the Academic Captains for 2021 because this role allows me to give back to the students and the college. Being involved in this leadership position provides infinite opportunities to work with and build relationships with fellow students and introduce ideas in order to make Katikati College the best college for our students. For new students arriving at Katikati College, seven years of school may sound daunting but if you fill these years with all of the opportunities our college has to offer, then they will become the most memorable seven years that you will never forget.

Grace Fotheringhame - Academic Captain

SENIOR LEADERS IN SPORTS



I would choose Katikati College because we have a strong cultural background at our school which helps bring students together. We are also a smaller school so more one on one learning and everyone knows each other. I am proud that I made it all the way to Year 13 and got the role of Sports Captain this year. My advice to new students is be yourself and strive to be the best version of yourself. Give it your all at school as it's only 7 years of your life.

Janna de Graaf-Sports Captain Years 7-8



Katikati College is a smaller school than others in the area and this gives students the opportunity to get to know more students and teachers and therefore create a better relationship with them. Since I was in Year 7 I have looked up to the person in the role of Sports Captain and was very proud when I achieved the role this year. My advice to any new students would be to enjoy every moment of it as it goes really fast and will be over before you know it. Take all opportunities you are given as it is great to get involved in the school and give back to the teachers and staff that have worked hard for you.

Sydnee Shanley - Sports Captain Years 9-10



At Katikati College we are a small school which is a good thing because we have a tight community culture, where most teachers get to see most students and are able to build good teacher student relationships. At present I am most proud of getting one of the Acorn Scholarships for the Dale Carnegie course. My advice to new students to Katikati College would be to treat others how you wish to be treated.

Oliver Griffiths - Sports Captain Years 11-13

IN THE ARTS



For myself personally Katikati College has provided me with a great foundation and excellent subject options that help me to secure my future. All our students and staff are respected, and I feel like my teachers were able to get to know me on a somewhat personal level, which is always great. I love the effort put into things like anti-bullying day and extracurriculars such as Lip Sync or ShowQuest; the school clearly cares about these things and it's refreshing to see. These are all reasons why I would choose Katikati College over other schools.

I am proud of making my way through all three levels of NCEA, and not only that but gaining Merit and Excellence Endorsements along the way. However, I am proudest of my Level 2 art portfolio board being displayed at the Tauranga Art Gallery with other talented student's artwork from other colleges in the region. It was a true honour seeing my artwork in a real gallery and encouraged me to pursue my interest of studying fine arts at university.

To new students at Katikati College, don't worry! Yes, school is stressful and it always will be. Talk to your teachers, they are there to help you. Surround yourself with good people that encourage you to work hard and stay focused. Whatever path you take, you are valid and have an important place in the world. Little achievements can seem like nothing now but they can be huge in the long term. Take advantage of the time to enjoy your youth and freedom and don't waste amazing opportunities. Remember to stay healthy, work hard, do your best and make good friendships.

Natalia House - Visual Arts Captain



Katikati is a tightly knit community, our college is a central part, and we are constantly helping and getting involved. We have many community-based clubs and activities. Our school has significantly higher pass and endorsement rates than the national average due to our nurturing and hard-working staff guiding us toward the future.

The achievement that I'm most proud of, was having the opportunity to direct and choreograph our performance for ShowQuest 2021. We received 3rd place in the Bay of Plenty and awards for the best use of acting, costume, and lighting.

Don't be afraid to get involved in as many things as you possibly can. It lets you meet people from all over the school that share the same interests as you. Make sure to dream big and make your mark on our school. It doesn't last long!

Makayla Managh - Performing Arts Captain



I would pick Katikati College because of the environment of the teachers and students and just how the way Katikati College runs with school activities and culture. I am most proud of being made the first AV Captain of our College and also winning the lighting award back in 2019 for ShowQuest. I would advise new students to Katikati College to be yourself. Don't change for others. Just be you and never change.

Christina Hewett - Audio Visual Captain



At Katikati College there are some really nice teachers. My proudest moment so far is competing in this year's ShowQuest. Advice to new students at Katikati College would be to always do your best.

Ella Bullot - Performing Arts Captain



...AND CULTURE!

Katikati College is a very multicultural school. We are involved with many cultures in our school. Such as Haka and Waiata Competition, Cultural Week and celebrating the success of Māori and Pasifika students plus many more that come with it. Also, here at Katikati College our teachers engage with us when they're teaching, to help us understand what they are teaching us rather than teach us and expect us to understand what they are teaching.

I enjoy being here at Katikati College and being a part of the Pasifika Group as it brings us all closer to our cultures. My most proudest achievement during my school years here at Katikati College is being a part of a leadership role as Cultural Captain and also being one of the leaders for our Pasifika Group.

My advice to new students would be spend your school years wisely. Take every opportunity that comes your way, you never know where these opportunities will take you.

Gemini Matangi - Cultural Captain













BAY OF PLENTY

BETWEEN MOUNTAINS AND SEA

Katikati is a bustling rural town in the heart of the Bay of Plenty region. The picturesque coastline is dotted with towns, each with it's own unique character. Katikati is no exception!

Nestled in behind Matakana Island, Katikati is both close to the coast and protected from it. The estuary and wetlands nearby are a perfect place for boating, kayaking, cycling and coastal walks. The great outdoors are never far away and our international students are often astounded by it's beauty and the range of opportunities there are to explore it.

Cultural art is also an essential aspect of life here and the town boasts the acclaimed 'Haiku Pathway'. This is an art walk which weaves alongside the river which flows through the heart of town. Art is a way to embrace and celebrate all cultures ... and everyone is welcome here.

Auckland international airport is only just over 2 hours drive away from the school. The closest city is actually Tauranga which is 30 mins drive away and even this has a famous surf beach known as Mt Maunganui. There are a number of other popular surf beaches all within a short bus ride, as well as places to scuba dive and fish. There are

many features of the area to continually surprise and entertain residents and visitors alike. In fact, the Bay of Plenty is a popular holiday destination for New Zealand families. The warm weather and relaxed locals are a magnet for summer holidays.

Surrounded by orchards and rolling green farmland, Katikati is quite simply a safe and peaceful New Zealand country town.



OUR INTERNATIONAL FRIENDS

Katikati College is a place where international students are embraced into our community by our staff and students alike. They arrive as strangers and leave as friends for life.

We are comfortable hosting students from different countries and we understand that it's essential to be both culturally sensitive but also fully inclusive into ours. We have robust procedures for ensuring that it's an enjoyable experience for everyone. Here are some messages from former international students.



I came to New Zealand to improve my English and to meet new and different people and to see the country. I was very excited but also a bit nervous.

Katikati College is definitely easier and more fun than a German school. You can choose the subjects and do more practical stuff. The relationship and atmosphere between the teachers and students is so different you are talking about your private life and not just about school which makes school a lot more fun. The classes are more relaxed as well and not that strict.

The subjects we could choose are so different from the ones I'm used to in Germany. Here I could take for example Outdoor Education, Coasties and Hospitality. The people in New Zealand are really friendly, funny, talkative and

connected to nature. I made some really good friends and it will be so sad to not see them everyday anymore. I really enjoyed my time here and the trips I did with my families, friends and the Outdoor Education class.

It was the best decision to come to New Zealand for an exchange year. I learned so much new and interesting stuff. New Zealand is the most beautiful country and I will definitely come back to see all my friends. I will miss the people and the school so much! Thank you so much to everyone who made this time special!

Finja Meyer-Hansen, Germany



When I first came everything was so exciting: new environment, a new family

and a new school of course. The first few days were about finding friends, choosing classes and getting used to the different school system. I think I got used to it pretty fast though.

School here is way easier and more fun than back in Germany, the subjects are different for example Outdoor Education, where we do lots of funny trips or Hospitality where you cook different types of food. The teachers are really nice and are always open for any kind of problem. The classes are more relaxed and not that strict like in Germany. The teachers and students make jokes together and have a relationship which is based on having fun while you learn new stuff.

My time started being really good when I changed my host family to one which suited me better. If you are not happy in your homestay, tell someone because that's what it is all about- feeling at home and part of a family, laughing a lot and having some wonderful experiences. The teachers and local coordinators will always help you with any kind of problem.

New Zealand is the most beautiful country I have ever been - the stunning sunsets and sunrises, nature and just everything around. I'm really thankful for everyone who made my time here so wonderful. I will definitely come back to see everyone again with my German best friend who I first met here at Katikati College.

I'm so happy that I came here and I can tell it was definitely the best decision which I ever made. I learned a lot and I still am and I don't even miss my home a bit.

New Zealand is such a beautiful country with wonderful and very kind people around and you will definitely miss out if you don't come!

Fiona Kuelper, Germany



I came to New Zealand in January 2020 to learn about the different cultures, but also to improve my English. I was a bit afraid to start a completely new life in a country on the other side of the world without knowing anyone and having no friends. My first day in school was just with the international students, we got to know each other better. I was still a little bit scared to start school properly, but everything worked out pretty well.

My host family was perfect and I found really good friends. It was really hard to understand the people here, because everyone talks really fast, but I got used to it.

The school system over here is completely different than in Germany. You can choose your subject, which I think makes way more sense because you actually study what you're interested in. The students are really nice and open and the teachers are always willing to help you. My favorite subject here is probably Horticulture. Even though it's sometimes a little bit harder to understand, I really enjoy it. Coasties is also one of my favourite subjects. Learning how to surf and about the waves is really cool, especially because we don't have the opportunity to do this in Germany.

The landscape in New Zealand is absolutely amazing. All the sunsets and nature is just incredible. I live in a city in Germany, that's why it is a completely new experience.

My time here has been absolutely amazing and I am so grateful for everyone who made this year so special and I can't wait to come back and see everyone again.

Nike Warthorst, Germany



I came to New Zealand in January 2020. When I was 14, I decided to study abroad to improve my English skills. I was looking for a high school where I could study abroad for one year. And I enrolled in a study abroad course at Shigakukan High School. There are 24 students in my class. And they attend other schools around NZ like Waihi, Thames, Paeroa and more.

When I first came to Katikati College I was surprised. Of course the different food and people but what surprised me the most was that there was nothing to do in Katikati. At first I wanted to go back to Japan and hang out a lot. But after a few weeks I started to understand the good points of Katikati. For example nature like stars, beaches, plants and the small community. I've never seen that many stars in Japan and clean air and beaches and kind people. Katikati is a close community so we can see our friends easily. In Japan everyone lives a little far so it is hard to see high school friends.

There are many differences between Shigakukan High School and Katikati College. First we can take the subjects we really want to focus on. This school has many subjects and we can choose, for example Art, Photography, Fabric, Technology, Outdoor Education, Maori and in Japan, we have 14 subjects and every month has a big test for each subject. When I was in Japan, we had 7 classes a day and school finished at 4:30pm. After that we take the train and walk home, I usually get home after 6pm. But in Katikati College, school finishes at 3:05pm and I take the bus and get home at 3:40. I have so much free time. Moreover, the school does not give much homework.

I also experienced some difficult things in New Zealand. Some people were mean to me, but my friends helped me so many times and that was a good experience and made me stronger.

Three months after I came to New Zealand we got locked down due to the influence of COVID-19 for five weeks. That was really hard for me because I really couldn't go anywhere, but I got used to this situation.

I experienced a lot in New Zealand and so many people helped me.

Takuto Watanabe, Japan



I came here just about 6 months ago to improve my English skills. Now, I have not only improved my English, but have gained life skills important to me.

Before I came here, I was really worried about making friends because I'm kind of a shy person and not good at English, especially speaking. Actually on the first day of school, I couldn't speak to others in spite of knowing I should.

However, students of Katikati College were really kind and nice to me. They talked to me a lot and taught me when I didn't know something. They helped me to get used to school. Thanks to them, I've improved my English and also developed strong friendships. I'm sure these will be the treasure in my life.

As well as making friends, I've learnt a lot. At first, I had no idea what the subject of Horticulture was because it's not a common subject in Japan and I didn't understand English so well. I was overwhelmed when I first had that class. The teacher of the Horticulture class explained about corn pollination and germination and gave us a garden. It was too much information for me and I was so confused about what I should do. But they taught me so clearly and patiently. And now I really enjoy my class although I've never done this subject before. My mind has been opened to how enjoyable Horticulture is.

I have had a lot of good experiences with my host family also. My host family is really kind and nice. They have a huge orchard. I saw kiwifruit and avocados on the trees for the first time and I actually experienced grading and picking blueberries. I'm from Tokyo which is the biggest city in Japan, therefore these experiences were absolutely new for me. My host family accepted me to help to do these things willingly so this is part of my great memory.

I've really enjoyed it here so I'm planning to stay here next year as well.

Nana Matsubara, Japan



The first time I came to New Zealand was 2.5 years ago. When I first came here everything was new for me: friends, environment, culture, language - I didn't know how to speak English at all.

I guessed it would be a hard time for me to live here but I changed my mind when school started because most of the people here were very kind and really friendly to me. The teacher and my classmates always helped me and also gave me advice during the class and I started to realise that study here is not too hard at all. It was not only at school that I received a warm welcome, but also from my host family as well.

The environment in Katikati is also really different from where I came from in Thailand, especially the part that I live in Bangkok. In Katikati, there are a lot of trees, not many buildings and also not too busy with people. However that doesn't mean there is nothing interesting in Katikati. There is a beach, lots of interesting clubs and events and also lots of school trips and especially with the international student school trips as well.

After all these years I have spent here I can say that studying here in Katikati College will give you good memories, improve your English skill and also lots of good experiences.

Phamake Chaikueakun, Thailand





KATIKATI COLLEGE ENROLMENT FORM

Please fill in this form and hand into the school office with copies of the required documentation.

Student's Surname:
First Names:
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If Māori, specify iwi:
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Other please specify:
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PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF THE MOST RECENT SCHOOL REPORT					

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I agree that my son/daughter will obey such rules as may be made by the Principal and/or Board of Trustees of Katikati College. I agree to ensure that my son/daughter will wear the school uniform as required by the Board of Trustees. I also agree to pay the College for loss or damage to school property as a result of my son/daughter's actions.

Occasionally the school takes photos of students or samples of their work to record student activities and achievements. We would like to use these photos and images in our school newsletter, on our Facebook page, our website or other College publications to share our student achievements and success with our community or promote our College. If you DO NOT want your child's photo to be used or shared by the school, please tick the box below.

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