



# Mahurangi College Core Values

## **The Treaty of Waitangi / Te Tiriti o Waitangi**

We recognise and honour the Treaty of Waitangi as the founding document of our nation. We will provide learning opportunities, and encouragement to be engaged in, Tikanga Maori and Te Reo Maori in regular consultation with our local Maori community.

## **Wholeness / Te Katoatanga**

We recognise that a whole person needs opportunities and support to develop in body, soul, mind and spirit.

## **Respect / Manaakitanga**

All members of our school will show proper respect towards themselves and other members of our school community. This includes treating all people in a just, fair and appropriate manner

## **Excellence / Kairangi**

We expect all students and staff to aim for the very highest of standards in all areas of endeavour within the school. This includes academic study and co-curricular activities.

## **Integrity / Ngakau Tapatahi**

We promote trust, truthfulness, honesty, reliability and responsibility at all levels throughout the school. This applies to all staff, students, parents and Board members.

## **Life-Long Learning / Matauranga**

We encourage the spirit of intellectual enquiry. We want our students to be engaged, creative and open-minded learners who desire to expand their knowledge continually throughout their lives.

## **Leadership / Rangatiratanga**

We will provide opportunities for students and staff to develop their leadership skills throughout the school.

## **Community / Whanaungatanga**

We encourage all students, staff and parents to participate in the wider life of our school and to feel they belong to the school community. We want a warm, friendly, safe, accepting, purposeful and positive school environment with a strong sense of school pride.

