



6 April 2023

Kia ora koutou

Student Achievement Conferences

It was great to see so many students and parents at our Student Achievement Conferences on Tuesday and Wednesday. Over the two afternoons and evenings, 419 parents attended the sessions and there were 1496 bookings made with subject teachers.

Beginning of Term 2 – Thursday, 27 April

A quick reminder that we open again for students on Thursday, 27 April. ANZAC Day is on Tuesday, 25 April; and on Wednesday, 26 April all teachers from Whanganui High School, Whanganui Girls' College, Whanganui Collegiate, Whanganui City College, Cullinane College, Nga Tawa School and Ruapehu College will be meeting together for our NCEA Accord Day.

The purpose of this day is for all Whanganui secondary schools to work together collaboratively on the upcoming hugely significant NCEA Change Programme – with particular focus on the new Literacy and Numeracy standards, Mātauranga Māori, and the new NCEA standards beginning in 2024.

All of our Support Staff will still be at school on Wednesday, 26 April for their normal work hours. If you wish to call into the Main Office to make a payment; call into the Student Centre to drop off information; drop off books at the Library; or catch up with one of our teacher aides, please feel very welcome to do so.

I wish you and your family a great break over the Easter period and into the Term 1 school holidays.

Ngā mihi nui

Martin McAllen
PRINCIPAL