

2024-2028 Strategic Plan | Rautaki Kura



MISSION | Pou ako Kura

Within a caring, inclusive Christian environment we provide our students with foundations for success in an interconnected world.

VALUES | Pou mātauranga Manaakitanga. We serve and support others. We are inclusive.

Achievement. We celebrate achievement in all its forms.

Respect. We look after ourselves, each other and the world around us.

Kindness. We show kindness with our words and actions.



Investing in our physical environment

Provide our St Mark's students and their whānau with a modern campus that provides facilities from preschool to Year 8.

- 1. Identify and close out the **full** maintenance backlog.
- Complete tactical property enhancements in the preschool, vicarage, facilities to support academic excellence and student experience, and where additional revenue streams can be gained.
- 3. Develop a long-term transformative strategy campus-wide.



Expanding our learning horizons

Create a teaching and learning environment where each child reaches their potential (the best version of themselves).

- 4. Equip preschoolers for their best start, demonstrating that St Mark's is an excellent option for further primary education.
- Build on IB excellence through the ongoing delivery and assessment of high quality core curriculum, with strengthened offerings in STEM, sports, Te Reo and other world languages.
- Enhance learning support programmes and provide structured educational environments to attract students who would benefit from them.
- 7. Enhance leadership opportunities for senior students.
- 8. Increase the numbers of international students at St Mark's.



Nurturing our school community

Maximise the value of the school's special character, concentrating on wellbeing of students and staff.



- 10. Embed a whole school approach to enhancing staff wellbeing.
- Increase our cultural capability and diversity at all levels so that we better reflect the community we serve.
- 12. Nurture greater connectedness among our parent community.



Fostering external partnerships

Build flourishing partnerships that enable St Mark's to thrive, without having to do everything ourselves, and in ways that secure pathways to secondary education.

- 13. Maximise the benefit of our **unique** partnership with the Diocese.
- 14. Establish connections to enhance and embed a greater understanding of Te Ao Māori.
- 15. Investigate collaboration opportunities with other schools, community groups and partners that could benefit all aspects of school life, embracing our unique central city environment.
- Actively grow an involved alumni association, welcoming skillset and enthusiasm.

