



Principal's Perspective

Kia Ora,

NCEA exams have now started for our senior students. It is nice for Year 9 and 10 to have the school to themselves for a little while. It is important to maintain a strong focus on engagement to support their learning for the remaining five weeks of the school year. During this time, conversations will take place through various forums to help set the scene for the transition of Year 9 to Year 10, and Year 10 into an NCEA focused Year 11.

Over the remainder of the term we can look forward to the opportunity for some students to go on the Year 10 Outdoor Education Camps, our junior school Work Day, Activities Day towards the end of the term, and finishing with the Year 9 and 10 Prize Giving ceremonies on Tuesday 10th December.

I hope everyone has an opportunity to enjoy the long weekend, and that the weather plays its part.

Jeff Smith
Principal

Papanui High School Work Day

Papanui High School Workday: 28 November 1.00PM to 2.30PM

This Work Day is for all Year 9 and 10 students to raise funds to support **Ronald McDonald House**. This is an incredibly important organization that supports unwell children and their families. Our school sponsors the Teenager Room in their Cashel street building. This is our marque sponsorship for the community. We aim to raise at least \$5,000 for this cause from this Work Day this year. A letter and permission form regarding this event have been sent to parents/caregivers of Year 9 and 10 students.

The target is for each student to raise a minimum donation of **\$10 total** for the equivalent of one and half hours work. The senior school also contributed a significant donation in Term 2.

If members of our school community know of employment opportunities for students for Work Day they can phone the school office on 03 352 6119. We would greatly appreciate this support.

The Work Day gives students the opportunity to work in their community for the benefit of others, to learn new skills, to meet new people, and for some this may lead to ongoing employment.

Tim Kirby
Deputy Principal
Teacher in Charge (contact person) for Work Day
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ACE Administration Assistant Required

ADULT AND COMMUNITY EDUCATION - ACE ADMINISTRATION ASSISTANT WANTED

To provide administrative support to the ACE Co-ordinator. The position, to commence on Monday 27 January 2020, is for 5 hours per week (term time only) plus additional hours at the start of each school term which we would envisage to be up to 200 hours per year. Times negotiable with the Co-ordinator. You would also be required to cover sickness and or leave of staff in the office. This position is covered by the NZEI Support Staff in Schools Collective Agreement.

For an application pack please email Barbara Roper rpb@papanui.school.nz. Applications close on Monday 25 November, interviews for shortlisted candidates will take place as soon as possible thereafter.

The Week Ahead

Monday 18	PTA 10 OEH Camps
Tuesday 19	Combined assembly: P3/4 10 OEH Camps
Wednesday 20	Summer sport finishes Jnr 2-weekly engagement reports 10 OEH Camps
Thursday 21	10 OEH Camps
Friday 22	10 OEH Camps

PTA Uniform Sale Dates

Thursday 28 **November** - 2.30 till 3.30pm
Saturday 7 **December** - 9-11am

Saturday 25 **January** 2020 - 9-11am

If you wish to sell or donate uniform items, they can be donated to the PTA or we can sell them on your behalf for a 25% commission. Forms for your contact information, and with the terms of sale, are available from the school office, or you can provide your name, phone number, and bank account details for payment on a piece of paper and put it in a bag with your clothes. You can attach a list of suggested prices, or we can price items for you. Uniform items can be dropped off at the school office.

Parenting Advice

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Parent Help is a non-profit organisation that supports parents in New Zealand by operating a free parenting helpline for parents and caregivers. The helpline provides personalised, practical support and strategies to parents and caregivers on a diverse range of parenting issues and challenges.



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Sports News

Student Achievements

Touch Canterbury Representative Teams

Congratulations to the following students who were selected to represent Canterbury at South Island Interprovincial Tournament in Christchurch in December and Youth Nationals in Auckland in February:

James Withington - Under 16 Boys

Jack Wolfe, Seth Hignett - Under 16 Boys Development

Ella Ross - Under 16 Mixed

Conor Pilkington - Under 18 Boys

Jayda Stewart - Under 18 Girls

Have you competed in a Sports Competition lately? Send your story and results (with pictures if possible) to Kirsten in the Sports Office – hik@papanui.school.nz

This is a great way to showcase what our students are doing outside of school in sport with our community.

Canterbury Junior Volleyball Championships

Last weekend the Junior Girls' Volleyball Team competed in the Canterbury Secondary Schools' Junior Volleyball Championships. They competed in Division Two at Cowles Stadium with the following results:

vs Rangiora HS 2-0

vs Riccarton HS 2-1

vs Burnside HS 2-0

vs Middleton Grange 2-0

vs Hillview CS 1-2

vs St Margaret's 2-0 Semi Final

vs Avonside 2-0 Final

= Division Two 2019 Winners

Congratulations to the team, Mr Martin, Mr Hooper, Miss Edmondson, and all the side-line supporters over the three-day tournament.



2020 Term 1 Sport Registrations

If you want to get ahead of the game for 2020 feel free to sign up for Term 1 Summer Sport now via the link below:

<https://forms.gle/nHCSHv7RZPAAPCYx9>

School Sport Results

Futsal

Year 10 Boys – were defeated by Shirley Boys'

Indoor Netball

Year 9 Girls' Gold – beat Cashmere 27-21

Year 9 Girls' Green – beat Christchurch Girls' High School 38-8

Touch

Junior Boys' A – were defeated Shirley Boys'

Junior Girls – were defeated by Rangi Ruru

Volleyball

Junior Girls – beat Burnside High School 2-0

Waterpolo

Junior Girls – were defeated by Burnside High School

Important Dates/ Notices:

- Students that have finished sport for the year need to return their uniforms to the sports office.
- Last week for Junior Indoor Netball and Touch.



Kirsten Hill
Head of Sport

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School Policies

Our school policies can be found at

<https://papanui schooldocs.co.nz>

Username: papanui password: pride

Academic Writing and Study Skills

Enrolment option for
Refugee-Background Students

PART-TIME programme, one semester

Nau mai, haere mai! Welcome to Ōtautahi Christchurch (if you are new here), and welcome to UC@Hagley. We welcome you to our learning community and acknowledge the many languages, strengths and experiences you bring to your studies.

This course is part of the UC@Hagley partnership between Hagley Community College and the University of Canterbury, and is the compulsory course in the UC Certificate in University Preparation (CUP).

Develop skills and confidence in reading and writing English for tertiary study, and become familiar with UC library, computers, and learning systems.

- Develop an understanding of academic conventions and academic style
- Learn strategies to help you read complex academic texts
- Learn to plan and write an academic essay
- Learn APA citation and referencing
- Learn to evaluate sources for academic work
- Develop your speaking skills
- Develop your study and exam strategies

You could take TRNS001 either before entering university or alongside 100-level study.

FEES: \$0 (Hagley)

TO ENROL: contact the Transitions Team at Hagley College
transitionsteam@hagley.school.nz
 Ph 03-379-3090


TRNS001 PART-TIME programme, one semester

TRNS001 is structured around whole class work (in classes up to 30), small group classes of up to 8 students and individual mentoring, with two larger lectures to introduce you to lecture-style learning. It's a great way to meet other students and make new friends. Our students include school-leavers as well as adults who are re-entering study, studying at tertiary level for the first time or changing careers.


You will also be able to connect with subject advisors as well as the many different student supports, clubs and social opportunities at the university.

If you need to gain University Entrance, have a look at the full CUP programme.


UC@Hagley partnership intakes in February and July. A pass result can be credit transferred to the UC CUP qualification. UC also offers TRNS001 in semester 3, November - February (university course fees apply).











Gareth Morgan,
Manager Student
Transitions &
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University of
Canterbury



Joanna Leahy,
Administrator
Student Transitions
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University of
Canterbury



Emma Lumb,
Tertiary Pathways
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College

Adult and Community Education - Tutors Required

We are beginning to put together our Term 1 2020 Programme of night classes, and are looking for new tutors with new course ideas to join our team, so if you have an idea for a course you would like to offer then please contact us. Our Term 1 courses are due to begin the week of 10 February and run for 7 weeks.

Tutors are required to have demonstrable knowledge of the subject being taught. For many courses this may be the result of your own particular work experience, formal education and training, or self-directed knowledge. Most tutors are not expected to hold a formal teaching qualification. Tutors must have NZ citizenship, residency, or a valid NZ work visa.

Our current tutors come from a wide range of backgrounds – they are people who may have a special talent, skills, or set of ideas that can be passed on to others. The basic requirements are a love for your subject, a desire to share this expertise, and a willingness to learn.

If you would like to offer a course, or would like further information, then please contact our office either via phone 033520701 or email Barbara Roper rpb@papanui.school.nz

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Tōku Kura, Tōku Tiketike, Tōku Haepapa*