

POLICY ON INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

POLICY STATEMENT

Napier Girls' High School welcomes a set number of fee-paying international students each year, believing that they contribute to the development of multi-cultural awareness and knowledge in the school, and that financial income from fee payments can benefit the whole school community. Napier Girls' high School is committed to providing its international students with a high level of education to thrive in the 21st Century.

PURPOSES

- a. To ensure that the school fulfils its obligations as a signatory to the International Education Code of Practice.
- b. To ensure that international students fulfil their achievement goals and are well cared for during their period of enrolment at the school.
- c. To balance the above with protection of the educational opportunities of New Zealand students enrolled at the school.

GUIDELINES

1. Up to 15 fee-paying international students will be accepted from Years 9-13 at the discretion of the Principal, who will have due regard to overcrowding factors at any one level in consultation with affected staff.
2. A team of staff including the Principal, Dean of International Students, ESOL teacher and the Hostel Manager shall oversee the academic and pastoral care of the students. A report to the Board shall be prepared on a cyclical basis.
3. Policies, and procedures relating to international students are available for perusal in the information package designed for parents, agents and students.
4. A separate budget will be operated for all income and expenditure relating to international students. Any surplus generated each year automatically becomes part of the school surplus. Any surplus constitutes funding for the following year's capital expenditure.

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