Te Kura Tuatahi o Te Koau - Grant's Braes School 2024 - 2025 Strategic Planning Key Aims

Goal 1: Te Marautaka - Curriculum - A student centred, future focused, culturally sustainable curriculum increasing student progress

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E ako ana We learn	Mātauraka Māori/Te Ao Māori - We give effect to Te Tiriti o Waitangi principles - Cultural Narrative and a rich localised curriculum delivery which is evaluated - School Tikaka defined and embedded in to practise - Bilingual Classroom operating once a week - Hui Whānau twice a term - Tumuaki and Kaiako are on their Te Reo journey - Aspire to become a Level 4b Māori Language immersion level Kura
E āhei ana We can	Continue with evidence-based teaching practices - The Science of Reading (Structured Literacy) pedagogy is embedded across the school - Collaborative Practice operating across the school - Ākoka strive to progress in their learning
E ako ana We learn	Providing support to identified areas of needs within our school - Intervention programme support groups of students based upon school-wide assessment data - Progress of targeted student shows acceleration - All classroom have target groups to address needs
E ako ana We learn	Te Mātaiaho - NZ Curriculum Refresh - Te Mātaiaho NZ Curriculum refresh is integrated into planning and assessment

Goal 2: Taiao - Environment - An attractive, modern, well resourced, environmentally sustainable school environment

E kumanu ana We care	Property/Buildings - Hall fully constructed and utilised by the kura and community - Ākoka's voice heard in school property decisions - Respect for the akomaka and grounds - Maintain a high standard of tidiness - Artwork around the school reflects the cultures represented in the community - Spaces are culturally sustainable and flexible to cater for the needs of all ākoka - Future projects will enhance teaching and learning pedagogy
E kumanu ana We care	 Environmental Education All students are involved with environmental education around the school, Belford Park and the wider Waverley area Ākoka involved in native flora and fauna regeneration Attain Enviro schools accreditation Develop sustained environmental practices (composting, recycling) Ākoka are kaitiaki of our kura

Goal 3: Honoka - Connection - An actively engaged school community

E āhei ana We can	Cultural Sustainable - Building and maintaining reciprocal relationship with Ōtākou Runaka and other ethnic groups within our kura - Continue to have a Mana Whenua Rep on the Board of Trustees - Strong whānau rōpū - There are regular celebrations of different cultures represented at our kura
E mahi kātahi ana We are	 Community Events Regular opportunities are provided for whānau to connect with the community to celebrate, share information, learning and pedagogy A PTA strongly supported by our community
E mahi kātahi ana We are	Communication Strategy - We provide a variety of ways to connect with the community to share information, learning and pedagogy - Reporting of student progress is clear, useful, in real time and accessible to our school community

Goal 4: Tikaka - Culture - A welcoming, safe, inclusive culture		
E mahi kātahi ana We are	Inclusive Education - Ākoka are provided with appropriate support and enrichment/extension opportunities	
E āhei ana We can	 Hauora Programmes are provided to support mental health and well-being Spaces around the school are flexible to cater for the diverse needs of ākoka Ākoka have many opportunities to be involved in a variety of sporting endeavours The school is a safe environment for all ākoka to thrive Ākoka build on the mana of themselves and those around them Evaluated behaviour plan in place and utilised 	
E mahi kātahi ana We are	 Attendance All children attending our kura on a regular (90%+) basis Support programmes are accessed and in place for students with poor/irregular attendance Regular attendance is acknowledged 	