



OUT OF ZONE APPLICATION PACK - 2026.

Welcome to Rukuhia School and thank you for your expression of interest in enrolling your child at our school. In Zone applications are automatic and require 2 forms of proof of address.

We are very proud of who we are, our rural values and the educational opportunities we offer our students.

Attached is an Expression of Interest form, for children wishing to start at Rukuhia School. Please, carefully read the dates on this letter, and indicate which enrolment period you are applying for.

In accordance with Ministry regulations, the order of priority will be:

1. Siblings of current students
2. Siblings of former students
3. Children of board employees
4. All other students

The Board invites your application for an out-of-zone placement. The deadlines for receipt of applications are listed.

If a ballot is required, it will be held after the close of each deadline.

Parents will be informed of the outcome no later than Friday following the close of each deadline.

Rukuhia School looks forward to the possibility of starting a partnership with you and your child.

Please book a time for you and your child to meet a senior leadership team member for a school tour by emailing office@rukuhia.school.nz

Yours sincerely

Kevin Drury
PRINCIPAL

Enrolment period number	Enrolment period (The period in which you wish your child to start at our school)	Applications closing date
#1	Tuesday 27 th January 2026 To Friday 13 th February 2026	3pm, Monday 17 th November 2025
#2	Monday 16 th February 2026 To Thursday 2 nd April 2026	3pm, Monday 17 th November 2025
#3	Monday 20 th April 2026 To Friday 29 th May 2026	3pm, Monday 2 nd March 2026
#4	Monday 1 st June 2026 To Friday 3 rd July 2026	3pm, Monday 30 th March 2026
#5	Monday 20 th July 2026 To Friday 21 st August 2026	3pm, Monday 25 th May 2026
#6	Monday 24 th August 2026 To Friday 25 th September 2026	3pm, Monday 15 th June 2026
#7	Monday 12 th October 2026 To Friday 13 th November 2026	3pm, Monday 3 rd August 2026
#8	Monday 16 th November 2026 To Friday 5 th December 2026	3pm, Monday 7 th September 2025

RUKUHIA SCHOOL ENROLMENT
EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR 2026

CHILDS NAME: _____

CHILDS DATE OF BIRTH: _____

CLASS LEVEL (at the enrolment period) : _____ (Year 1 – 8)

PREVIOUS SCHOOL / s (if applicable) _____

ENROLMENT PERIOD #: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 (circle)
(The period in which I wish my child to start at Rukuhia School in **2026**)

PARENTS / CAREGIVERS CONTACT DETAILS:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: Hm _____ WK _____ MOB _____

Email _____

Siblings Name and Date of Birth: _____ **DOB** _____

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Order of Priority as set down by Ministry of Education:

Please circle which criteria applies to this application.

1. Siblings of current student/s
2. Siblings of former student/s
3. Children of board employee/s
4. All other students

Signed:.....

Please POST, DELIVER or EMAIL this form by the application closing date (refer to dates listed)

TO : Rukuhia School
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Hamilton 3882

EMAIL : office@rukuhia.school.nz