



TE KURA TUARUA O RAUKAPUKA

GERALDINE HIGH SCHOOL

Final Health Education Delivery Statement

Geraldine High School Health Education statement of delivery

School Vision: *To Inspire and Empower*

Our School Values consist of Rangatiratanga (Respect), Manaakitanga (Responsibility), Whanaungatanga (Relationships) and Whakatutukitanga (Achievement) which underpins all aspects of our school life.

At Geraldine High School we offer Health Education, that gives every student opportunities to develop their critical thinking, attitudes and values they need to make informed decisions about their health and well-being. They also learn that well-being is a combination of the physical, mental, emotional, social and spiritual aspects of people's lives, which enables students to understand and bring about sustainable health-enhancing change for individuals, communities and society. Our Health programme aims to help students prepare for a rapidly changing society with shifting social norms that prepare them to deal with challenges related to relationships and well-being. Furthermore, reflects and nurtures our school vision to inspire and empower our ākonga at Geraldine High School.

At this school, Health Education is integrated with learning opportunities across all year levels. Key areas of learning provide contexts for students to develop skills to become physically, mentally, emotionally, and spiritually healthy. We explore the relevant key learning from the Relationships and Sexuality and Mental Health Education Guidelines. Throughout all of this learning, students will develop their ability to think critically, manage themselves, participate and contribute, and relate to others - key competencies in the NZ Curriculum.

At Geraldine High School this curriculum learning area is included at various times in the following places.

1. Y7 and 8 Health option for all students - 1 term per year 3 times a week.
2. Y9 and 10 Health and PE as a focused topic within the programme during the year.
3. NCEA Senior Health subject selection choice at Levels 1,2 and 3.

At Geraldine High School Health Education is taught by qualified teachers who are trained through health education specialist courses to identify student learning needs and design a learning programme in this subject.

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