# ROTORUA SCHOOL (1934) ENROLMENT SCHEME

(EFFECTIVE DATE GOES HERE)

The guidelines for the development and operation of enrolment schemes are issued under section 72(1) of the Education and Training Act 2020 for the purpose of describing the basis on which the Secretary's powers in relation to enrolment schemes will be exercised.

## **Home Zone**

All students who live within the home zone described below (and shown on the attached map) shall be entitled to enrol at the school.

Starting at the lake edge in front of 34 Bennetts Road, the boundary travels south-east, following the lake edge to the mouth of the Puarenga Stream.

From here the boundary follows the Puarenga Stream southward, to Te Ngae Road (State Highway 30), then pivots north-west along the centre of Te Ngae Road, capturing even-numbered addresses only, to the intersection of Te Ngae Road and Ti Street.

At this intersection, the boundary travels around the south of 31 Te Ngae Road (this address is included in the zone) and west behind (and excluding addresses on the north side of Ti Street, to the intersection of Fenton Street and Ti Street.

From 252 Fenton Street (this address is included in the zone) the boundary travels north along the centre of Fenton Street, capturing even-numbered addresses only, to the intersection of Victoria Street and Fenton Street.

The boundary proceeds west, along the centre of Victoria Street, capturing odd-numbered addresses only, to the intersection with Ranolf Street.

From the intersection of Victoria and Ranolf Streets, the boundary proceeds north, along the centre of Ranolf Street (excluding odd-numbered addresses) to Pererika Street.

From the intersection of Pererika and Ranolf Streets, the boundary proceeds along the centre of Pererika Street, capturing odd-numbered addresses only, to the intersection with Old Taupo Road (state Highway 5).

From the intersection of Old Taupo Road and Pererika Street, the boundary travels north, along the centre of Old Taupo Road, capturing even-numbered addresses only, and continuing along the centre of Fairy Springs Road, capturing odd-numbered addresses only, to the intersection of Fairy Springs Road and Monokia Street.

From the intersection of Fairy Springs Road and Monokia Street, the boundary travels behind number 6 Monokia Street (this address included in the zone), then travels north-east behind (and including) addresses on Mahanga Road, Murray Road and on to 28 Railway Road (this address is included in the zone).

From 28 Railway Road, the boundary travels south, along the centre of Railway Road, capturing even-numbered addresses only, to the roundabout of Railway Road, Lake Road and Dinsdale Road.

From this roundabout, the boundary travels to 139 Lake Road (this address is included in the zone), and then northward behind and including addresses on Bennetts Road, and on to the lake edge in front of 34 Bennetts Road.

### **Out of Zone Enrolments**

Each year the Board of Trustees will determine the number of places which are likely to be available in the following year for the enrolment of students who live outside the home zone. The Board will publish this information by notice in a daily or community newspaper circulating in the area served by the school. The notice will indicate how applications are to be made and will specify a date by which all applications must be received.

# **Special Programmes**

Rotorua School has a special programme that delivers in total immersion Te Reo Māori from year 1-8

Students who live within the school's home zone and meet the criteria for enrolment in the special programme will be enrolled ahead of out of zone students

Applications for enrolments will be processed in the following order of priority:

- **First priority** must be given to students who have been accepted for enrolment in the above special programme(s) run by the school and approved by the Secretary for Education.
- Second priority must be given to applicants who are siblings of current students.
- Third priority must be given to applicants who are siblings of former students.
- Fourth priority must be given to any applicant who is a child of a former student of the school.
- **Fifth priority** must be given to any applicant who is either a child of an employee of the board of the school or a child of a member of the board of the school.
- Sixth priority must be given to all other applicants.

If there are more applicants in the second, third, fourth, or fifth priority groups than there are places available, selection within the priority group will be by ballot conducted in accordance with instructions by the Secretary under Schedule 20 (2) of the Education and Training Act 2020. Parents will be informed of the date of any ballot by public notice in a medium appropriate to the area served by the school.

Applicants seeking second or third priority status may be required to give proof of a sibling relationship.

Proof of residence within the home zone may be required.

### **Transitional Arrangements**

For families of currently enrolled students whose addresses become out of zone as a result of the amendment of this Enrolment Scheme.

## Section 75 of the Education and Training Act 2020 states that,

"the Secretary may authorise an enrolment scheme to permit a student to enrol at the school as if the student lived in the home zone of the school if, -

- (a) in the case of an existing enrolment scheme whose home zone is amended,
  - (i) the student lives outside the amended home zone; and
  - (ii) the student has a sibling who is enrolled at the school at the time that the amendment is implemented; and
  - (iii) the sibling, at the time that the amendment is implemented, lives inside the home zone as it was before the amendment; and
  - (iv) the student, at the time of enrolment, lives inside the home zone as it was before the amendment:
- (b) in the case of a **new enrolment scheme**, the student—
  - (i) lives outside of the home zone of the new enrolment scheme; and
  - (ii) has a sibling who is enrolled at the school at the time that the new enrolment scheme is implemented.

This provision has been approved for inclusion in this Enrolment Scheme for a period of **one** year from the  $1^{st of}$  January 2023.

If applying for enrolment under this part of the Enrolment Scheme, the siblings name, and evidence of a sibling relationship may be required by the school.

<u>Section 75</u> of the Education and Training Act 2020 sets out the definition of a "sibling" for these purposes.

The school will maintain a list of students enrolled at the time of the implementation of the enrolment scheme and its adoption by the board to enable determination of eligibility to enrol under this provision.

