<u>Te Rōhutu Whio – Proposed Te Korowhio Reorua Hub Criteria</u>

The school operates the following special programme; Te Korowhio Reorua Hub.

The criteria for acceptance into the Te Korowhio Reorua hub is as follows:

All prospective learners will need to demonstrate a commitment to te reo Māori me ōna tikanga as observed by the Kaihautū Māori and the Te Korowhio Reorua Committee as well as Whānau having a strong commitment to using te reo Māori me ōna tikanga in the home.

Entry is determined by our Kaihautū Māori and the Te Korowhio Reorua Committee who sit independently of the school.

If there are more applicants than spaces available in the programme, places will be balloted according to the criteria set.

The number of learners who are able to join Te Korowhio Reorua hub is limited to 60 places. (see note 1)

For learners who meet the commitment above, priority for acceptance into the programme is in the following order:

- 1. Applicants residing within the Te Rōhutu Whio home zone and with siblings currently enrolled at our Reorua hub.
- 2. Applicants who reside within the Te Rōhutu Whio home zone.
- 3. Applicants from our contributing Kōhanga (see note 2)
- 4. Applicants residing outside of the Te Rōhutu Whio home zone and with siblings currently enrolled at our Reorua hub.
- 5. Applicants with extended whānau connections, for example, cousins.
- 6. All other applicants.

If there are more applicants in any priority group than places available, a ballot will be conducted. Priority will be given to those where Te Rōhutu Whio is their closest geographical Reorua provision.

Note 1: The number for out of zone places will be determined following applications from inzone students during the pre-enrolment process. Spaces available for out of zone learners will be published on the Te Rōhutu Whio website each year.

Note 2: This priority is to allow future access for students that may attend a Kōhanga in Rolleston.