

## **Maori Student Achievement at Wellington High School Ministry data for 2015**

- Report from the Ministry of Education Data Management outlining School Leaver Achievement and Leavers Destination based on NCEA achievement. This data shows separate data for Maori learners, and in this regard I draw your attention to some significant and very positive data summaries:
  - Overall Maori Achievement at NCEA has grown from 65.2% in 2013 to 80% in 2015 against a national average for Maori learners of 62.2%
  - Maori student retention in school past their 17<sup>th</sup> birthday is at 88.6% against the national average for Maori learners of 69.8% (The national figure for all learners is 83.9%)
  - Disaggregated data in gender for Maori student performance in NCEA 2 is interesting. Maori female students is at 75.0% against the national average for Maori learners of 65.1%, while Maori boys perform at 86.7% against national average for Maori of 59.5%. This indicates that while both boys and girls exceed the national figure, boys at Wellington High School outperform girls and perform significantly better than the national cohort.