Kia ora whānau

A very warm welcome to you all. We look forward to working together to support your child as they transition into Wellington High School.

New students in Years 10 – 13 begin their year on **Tuesday 30th January at 8.45am**.

The day will begin with a powhiri on the school marae, Taraika, to formally welcome students and their families.

Following the powhiri students will be with the Dean of their year level for an orientation programme, this will finish at **1pm.** This programme will include students receiving their timetables, a tour of the school, library and ICT rotations and instructions for the following day will be issued. Students should come prepared for the day with pen, paper, food and water.

If you have any queries before this date please feel free to get in touch with the relevant Dean.

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Throughout the year we do a majority of our communication through email. Please make sure we have your current email address and let us know if this changes. At the beginning of the academic year you will be sent information on how to access the Parent portal. You can also keep up to date with school events and notices through:

* The school website [www.whs.school.nz](http://www.whs.school.nz)
* Facebook [www.facebook.com/whswellington](http://www.facebook.com/whswellington)
* Twitter twitter.com/WellyHigh
* The WHS app from the App or Google play store

Stationery can be purchased by visiting [www.myschool.co.nz](http://www.myschool.co.nz) and enter *“Wellington High School”.*

Ngā mihi nui

Dominic Killalea