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## Rangitoto College Enrolment Planning – 2026

With parents of current year 8 students now considering options for their child's education in 2026, the Rangitoto College Board is seeking to provide some clarity over our enrolment planning for next year.

With a school roll of 4105 students this year, Rangitoto is at absolute capacity. In 2025, we have been able to take siblings of enrolled students who reside out of zone; however, the continued roll pressure and lack of available classroom space makes this untenable next year. It is with much sadness that in 2026 we will only be able to accept enrolments for students who reside within our school zone.

We are working with the MOE to add roll growth classrooms to cater for our growing in zone roll and will be adding extra scrutiny to in zone applications to ensure the integrity of our enrolment process. Further information on the in-zone requirements can be found <u>here</u>. Any enrolments by families using a temporary address will have their enrolments annulled by the School Board.

## Enrolment dates for new 2026 Rangitoto College students

In-zone enrolments for 2026 will open online in late June. All in-zone enrolments submitted with the correct documents by the 4th of August will be invited to the first round of enrolment transition meetings, taking place on the 12th and 13st August. We strongly encourage all in-zone families to have submitted the necessary paperwork by the 4th of August. In-zone families that enrol after that date will be invited to a later round of transition meetings taking place on the 2nd of September and 23rd of October. Further information on Rangitoto College enrolments can be found on our school website.

## Open week 2025

Open Evening 17thJuly at 6.30pm: This is an opportunity for prospective parents to learn more about the life of the school and how we will work with you to try and ensure great opportunities and outcomes for your child. Following a presentation, there will be a range of student co-curricular and cultural groups available at the evening to discuss their experience of Rangitoto.

## Open Day 18th July

Tours will be available at 9am and 2pm. This will give parents and future students a chance to experience a typical school day and see us in action. Parents will have the chance to meet subject specialists and connect with students and current parents.

Thank you for taking the time to read this information and for your ongoing support of Rangitoto College.

Kind regards

Patrick Gale Principal

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