**Student Achievement Conversations**

**Appointment Reminder**

**Date/s:**

Have you replied to the school to confirm your appointment?

To confirm:

By Phone:

By Email:

By Text Message: Text: **CONFIRM** followed by your child’s full name to:

By Post: Return the slip posted home to your child’s form teacher.

The focus of the student achievement conference is:

1. For your child to develop a **Personal Education Plan** (PEP) in consultation with their significant adult at the school (their form teacher). This plan will contain goals, course plans and academic targets.
2. To understand how your child is progressing at school.
3. To become a partner in your child’s learning.

Educational research strongly supports the involvement of parents and families/whānau in a student’s education as a major factor in educational achievement. In fact the Ministry of Education’s “Best Evidence Synthesis” research says that this can account for 40% to 65% of achievement.

This is a reminder to please come to the school for the conference with your child’s Form Teacher at the time specified in a letter sent home towards the end of Term 1. It is compulsory that students also attend this conference and their attendance will be recorded.

Throughout the two days a number of workshops/presentations and performances for parents will be running in various locations around the school:

**NCEA Basics:** Learn and understand the NCEA and what it means for your child.

**Careers:** Talk to the experts about the post-school options available for your child.

**RewaNET:** Learn how to use the parent portal of the school learning management system.

**School Hall - Cultural and Musical Performances throughout the two days**

* Child Minding Facilities available
* Refreshments (including a free sausage sizzle) available
* Additional parking will be available

At ­­­­­­­­­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ our core business is **student learning and achievement**. We are looking forward to meeting you and working together to help your child achieve.

Yours sincerely

Principal