

Many sports & activities

Outdoor education



Design and drama



Sports



Tramping



Productions



Kapa Haka



Wellington High School

Wellington High School is a state, co-educational secondary school with 1050 students in the heart of Wellington, the capital city of New Zealand. Established in 1886, it has a proud tradition of innovation and provides a stimulating academic environment for all its students.



"Since 1886 Wellington High has been known for its innovative curriculum and student management practices"

The school day starts at 8.45 pm with a meeting with the roopu teacher for 15 minutes. Then there are five one hour periods with lunchtime at 12.20pm for an hour.

School starts at the beginning of February. There are four ten weeks terms with two weeks holiday between the first three terms and eight weeks summer holidays after the last term.

Many courses to study

Students choose any five or six courses

Learning Area	National Certificate of Education Achievement Levels 1, 2 and 3
Arts	Art Art History Painting Sculpture Design Photography Drama Music Studies Film & Television
Languages	English Contemporary Text Journalism Classical Studies French Japanese Maori
Mathematics	Mathematics Calculus Statistics Applied Mathematics Accounting
Physical Education	Physical Education Health Recreation Sport Studies Sports Leadership Outdoor Ed
Science	Biology Chemistry Physics Science Agriculture
Social Sciences	Social Studies Economics Employment Studies Tourism Geography History
Technology	Graphics Carpentry Design Technology Workshop Practical Workshop Electronics Food Technology Hospitality Fabrics Technology Information Science Digital Media Practical Computing CISCO

Students are aged 13—18 years old and study in Yr 9 to Yr 13. Yr 13 study for university entrance. The school has excellent academic results and in 2005 had the Top Drama Scholar in New Zealand

Wellington High School

- 2004 New Zealand Education Exporter
- state public co-educational city school
- uniform free
- high quality teaching by experienced qualified teachers
- quality English language tuition
- broad selection of academic courses
- preparation for university entrance
- internationally recognised qualifications
- full home stay and orientation provided
- sports, music and drama included
- many creative courses
- individual internet accounts provided
- promotes individual achievement and academic excellence
- signatory to the Code of Practice

International programme

The school accepts students from all over the world into its international programme. Up to sixty students join the school every year. Some stay for one year many for several years as they study for university entrance.

Starting dates and course lengths are flexible and home stay with New Zealand families are organised.

The international pages on the website explain the programme fully and online enrolments are accepted. School and home stay costs are approximately NZ\$23,500.

Wellington City Capital of New Zealand

- beautiful harbour city
- seat of government
- national museum, library and archives
- embassies and consulates for other countries
- two universities and four polytechnics
- cultural capital of New Zealand
- known for its nightlife
- wonderful sports stadium
- small (300,000 people) safe city in a safe green country



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