



Welcome to Puahue School and thank you for your expression of interest in enrolling your child at our school in 2026.

We are proud of who we are and the opportunities we offer students.

Our focus is learning and the School motto: "Learning for Life" reflects a philosophy of continually striving to be better than before in all we do.

Attached is an Expression of Interest form for children wishing to start at Puahue School. Please carefully read the dates on the reverse of this letter, and indicate which enrolment period you are applying for.

We have limited places available. The Board invites your application for an out-of-zone placement. The deadlines for receipt of applications are listed.

In accordance with Ministry regulations, the order of priority will be:

1. Siblings of current students
2. Siblings of former students
3. Children of board employees
4. All other students

If a ballot is required it will be held on the Thursday following the close of each deadline.

Parents will be informed of the outcome of the ballot by the Friday following the close of each deadline.

Puahue School looks forward to the possibility of starting a partnership with you and your child.

Please feel free to contact us for more information or with any questions.

Yours sincerely

Scott Wilson
PRINCIPAL

Enrolment period Number	Enrolment period (The period in which you wish your child to start at our school)	Applications close
#1	Thursday 1 st January To Sunday 22 nd February 2026	3pm, Friday 31 st October 2025
#2	Monday 23 rd February To Sunday 22 nd March 2026	3pm, Friday 5 th December 2025
#3	Monday 23 rd March To Sunday 17 th May 2026	3pm, Friday 13 th February 2026
#4	Monday 18 th May To Sunday 28 th June 2026	3pm, Friday 20 th March 2026
#5	Monday 29 th June To Sunday 16 th August 2026	3pm, Friday 8 th May 2026
#6	Monday 17 th August To Sunday 27 th September 2026	3pm, Friday 12 th June 2026
#7	Monday 28 th September To Sunday 25 th October 2026	3pm, Friday 7 th August 2026
#8	Monday 26 th October To Thursday 31 st December 2026	3pm, Friday 18 th September 2026



PUAHUE SCHOOL ENROLMENT
EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR 2026

CHILDS NAME: _____

CHILDS DATE OF BIRTH: _____

ENROLMENT PERIOD #: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 (The period in which I wish my child to start at Puahue School in 2026)

PARENTS / CAREGIVERS CONTACT DETAILS:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

Younger siblings. Please provide name and date of birth: _____

**Is your child currently enrolled with an Early Education Centre?
If so, please state:** _____

Order of Priority as set down by Ministry of Education:

Please circle which criteria applies to this application.

1. Siblings of current student/s
2. Siblings of former student/s
3. Children of board employee/s
4. All other students

Signed:.....

Please POST or DELIVER this to:

PUAHUE SCHOOL, 573 Puahue Road, RD1, Te Awamutu
To arrive at Puahue School by the relevant application closing date
(refer to dates listed)