

NORTHERN SOUTHLAND COLLEGE

Community Consultation Policy



Rationale:	To include our Community in developing and implementing plans and targets for improving the achievement and well-being of all students.
Reference:	This is not specifically covered in the National Administration Guidelines but the NSC BOT deem involving our community as important.
Procedures:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. College community consultation <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. The Board of Trustees will consult with the College Community by <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Using digital survey tools ii. Holding meetings at school iii. Informal contacts and holding discussions throughout the community or a sub-group of the community b. The Principal will represent the College c. Issues arising in consultations will be noted and may be acted on by the Board of Trustees d. Consultation will cover any College issue of concern to the community including but not limited to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Maori Achievement (biannually) ii. Health Education (biannually) iii. Uniform iv. Any potential significant change e. Consultation outcomes will be reported on to the Board of Trustees, Staff and Community f. Names of parents who raise issues will be kept confidential unless action is required, in which case names may be made known through a managed process 2. Maori Community Consultation <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. The hui will <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Take place at a venue meeting the needs of the Maori community ii. Take place at a suitable time, on a suitable date iii. Follow correct protocols iv. Be kanohi ki te kanohi (face to face), as a preference b. Consultation will cover any issue of concern to the community, including: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Student achievement ii. Delivery of the curriculum iii. Cultural performance iv. Raising the profile of tikanga v. Community involvement in the life of the school vi. Student behaviour vii. Parent engagement with staff

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ADOPTION OF POLICY

The Adoption of Northern Southland College **Community Consultation Policy** was minuted during the Board Meeting held on **24 September 2018**.

Signed: _____



BOT Chair



Principal

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