



Looking ahead to 2024

Next year we have four terms.

- **Term One**
 - Wednesday 31st January - Friday 12th April
- **Term Two**
 - Monday 29th April - Friday 5th July
- **Term Three**
 - Monday 22nd July - Friday 27th September
- **Term Four**
 - Monday 14th October - Thursday 12th December

Daily Timetable:

Monday to Thursday		Friday	
8.50 - 9.00	Empower Whakamana	8.50 - 9.00	Empower Whakamana
9.00 - 10.00	Learning Block 1	9.00 - 10.00	Learning Block 1
10.00 - 11.00	Learning Block 2	10.00 - 10.35	Assembly House Meeting
11.00 - 11.30	Interval	10.35 - 11.10	Interval
11.30 - 12.30	Learning Block 3	11.10 - 12.10	Learning Block 2
12.30 - 1.30	Learning Block 4	12.10 - 1.10	Learning Block 3
1.30 - 2.00	Lunch	1.10 - 2.00	Lunch
2.00 - 3.00	Learning Block 5	2.00 - 3.00	Learning Block 4

Empower Whakamana

In 2024 students will meet for 10 minutes each day for Empower Whakamana in their House and Year Level.

During this time a roll will be taken as well as Daily Notices read.

Important Key Dates:

Tuesday 23rd January

College Office opens at 8.00am

Wednesday 24th January

College Office opens at 1.30pm.

Senior NCEA course changes for valid reasons is by appointment. Contact Deputy Principal, Mr Wilken at wilkens@otocoll.school.nz

Thursday 25th and Friday 26th January

The College Office is closed

Tuesday 30th January

The College Office opens at 8.00am

Wednesday 31st January

Year 9 students meet at the Hall at 8.50am to be welcomed with a pōwhiri

Thursday 1st February

Year 9 students at the College

Friday 2nd February

All students Years 9-13 at the College

Monday 5th February

All students Years 9-13 at the College

Tuesday 6th February

Waitangi Day

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Extra, Extra, Read All About It

Year 9 and Year 10 Modules

In addition to compulsory courses in English, Health And Physical Education, Mathematics, Science, Social Sciences and Te Reo Māori, this year we continue to offer Year 9 and Year 10 students a range of dynamic and engaging Modules.

Each student is unique and has different passions and interests. It is by tapping into these passions and interests that we believe each student's passion for learning can be ignited. The Modules students can choose from include:

Science:

- **Ag-Venture:** From paddock to plate and from sheep to jersey!
- **Let It Grow:** Growing plants from seed and practical gardening skills.
- **STEAMing Ahead:** mechanics, engineering, robotics and electronics.

Technology

- **Ōtomobiles:** How to change tyres and perform a service for a warrant.
- **Woodsy Wonders:** Make wooden creations while learning new skills.
- **Cutting Edge Creations:** Be creative using a range of different materials.
- **Kai Passport:** Travel around the world through your taste buds.
- **Whenua To Whānau:** Make deliciously balanced meals for your whānau.
- **Digi Design:** Use 3D modelling to become a creative problem solver and coding platforms such as Scratch and Gamefoot.

The Arts

- **The Art World Is Calling Me:** Drawing, painting, printmaking, carving and sculpture.
- **Photograph My World:** Take eye-catching photographs in the local environment.
- **Music Makers:** Learn how to play instruments, read music and play in a band.

Health and Physical Education

- **Train To Gain:** Train like a high performance athlete.
- **Box Fit:** Take your personal fitness to a higher level.
- **Net Fit:** Take netball knowledge and game to the next level.

Social Sciences

- **Tiki Tour:** Explore different countries, languages and cultures.
- **Events Planner:** Organise a College or community event.



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