



St Matthew's Primary School

Part of the Anglican School Network

Member of Nga Hau E Wha | Kahui Ako

Just about to celebrate 25 years, St Matthew's Anglican Primary School is right in the heart of Hastings City.

We are a U3 Full Primary with children from fourteen nationalities and all socio-economic backgrounds.

We draw from all over Hawke's Bay and currently our main ethnicities are:

- Indian 31%
- Pakeha 27%
- Maori 18%
- Pasifika 13%

We share our site with

Waiapu Kids an Independent Early Childhood Centre and the **Anglican Parish of St Matthew**

This includes the parish church which doubles as the best school chapel in the country !



With six classrooms currently, we offer small classes and a dedicated staff who work very hard removing barriers to learning. This includes our work within the Kahui Ako.

As a school, we utilize the resources of the city and the local region, firmly working ways of educating within this awesome district. As an example, we do not have a school library. Every class visits the city library weekly, sharing 'our' library with the city of Hastings.

St Matthew's School community is part of Waiapu Diocese of the Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia: Te Hahi Mihinare ki Aotearoa ki Niu Tirenī, ki Nga Moutere o Te Moana Nui a Kiwa.



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