



# KERIKERI HIGH SCHOOL

KERIKERI, NORTH ISLAND  
STUDENTS: 1600



Kerikeri High School is a co-educational school with a strong academic record. The school is very proud of the achievements of their students. Students are encouraged through individual counseling to take courses appropriate to their abilities and their educational pathway.



The school is located on a 9 hectare site with approximately half of this area devoted to sports fields. The sports that are offered at Kerikeri High School include Athletics, Badminton, Basketball, Cricket, Cross Country, Equestrian ODE, Dressage and Show Jumping, Football, Futsul, Golf, Hockey, Mountain Biking, Netball, Rugby, Softball, Surfing, Swimming, Tennis, Table Tennis, Triathlon, Volleyball, and Yachting. They encourage their students to get involved in the wider life of the school.

## KERIKERI

Kerikeri is a vibrant, bustling town of about 10,000 people located in the beautiful Bay of Islands in northern New Zealand, approximately 45 minutes by plane or 3 hours by car north of Auckland.

The warm sub-tropical climate is ideal for fruit growing. World-class sailing, fishing, and diving are available in the Bay of Islands. Kerikeri has a unique lifestyle with numerous cafes, boutique shops, artists, and galleries.



### PROGRAMME FEE INCLUDES:

- School uniform
- Stationery
- Subject fees

### SPECIAL PROGRAMMES:

- Sailing Academy
- Horse Riding Academy
- Surfing Academy

# KERIKERI HIGH SCHOOL SAILING ACADEMY



Kerikeri High School has a proud sailing tradition with a history of national and international titles. Many of their students have gone on to distinguished sailing careers and competed at the highest levels of the sport. Their tutors have considerable experience in a wide range of boats, regattas, and sailing conditions. They have spent many years teaching and passing on their knowledge and expertise.

Students attend regular school classes from Monday to Thursday then spend Friday with the Sailing Academy tutors. Usually the time is spent on the water, although some time is used in class on navigation, racing tactics, and rope work. Students can also participate in the school's wider after-school sailing programme and gain valuable experience as instructors. Students learn at facilities at Lake Manuwai and Doves Bay Marina with Sailing Academy staff transporting students to and from these locations. In term four, students take part in a two-day open water sailing experience and assessment in the Bay of Islands.

Kerikeri High School has a fleet of 30 boats ranging from single training dinghies to small keelboats. Classes include Optimists, Sunbursts, Mistrals, Phase IIs, and 420s. Because of the close association with the Cruising Club, many students crew for local skippers on 30 foot keelboats in club races.

Students must have good English and basic boat handling skills - they must be able to skipper a dinghy.

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# KERIKERI HIGH SCHOOL SURFING ACADEMY

Kerikeri High School's Academic Plus Surfing programme provides an exciting course for all international students wanting to get in the water to surf in a fun group environment with expert instructors at some of the most beautiful beaches in Northland. They combine skilled coaches, love for the ocean, and Northland's stunning locations to offer a unique opportunity. The coaches' enthusiasm, passion, and love for the sport is totally infectious - they have got the surfing bug and are keen to pass it on. The Surf Academy can cater for any level of surfer, if you have never tried surfing before, no problem, you can go from zero to hero over the term. All equipment is provided, so all you need to bring is energy and a willingness to give it a go.



A term of surfing will consist of a minimum of 8 full days (Fridays) surfing, the location of each day will vary with weather and surf conditions. The Surf Academy will teach you surf/beach safety, reading the conditions, surf etiquette, and obviously how to ride the wave, with the main emphasis on having heaps of fun. The Surf Coaches are dedicated to continually improve your surfing in a safe positive environment, ensuring you have the best experience possible. Throughout your lesson the coaches will be right there with you, giving you lots of encouragement and tips.