



Nau mai ki te pānui o Mātauranga Iwi Leaders Group (MILG), which is part of the National Iwi Chairs Forum.

A pānui to keep you in the loop with some of the kaupapa we're working on, and to provide insights and updates on MILG work programmes focussed on mātauranga for our iwi, hapū and whānau.

E ngā manu taikō, tēnā koutou.

NGĀ MIHI AROHA : Te Huripari o Kaperiere, te waipuke o te whenua

Kei te tihi o whakaaro ngā whānau, ngā marae me ngā kāinga kua anea e te hohoro o te taiao i ngā wiki kua taha ake. Ōtirā ki ngā aitūā, ki ngā whānau pani, kei te tangi.

How are your local kura, kohanga, wānanga and hapori?

With slips, flooding, power-cuts, road closures and clean up efforts happening, keeping our tamariki, whānau and kaiako safe and well is paramount. The resilience and manaakitanga of our people as first responders on the ground and from around the motu to gather resources and support is a testament to our kōrero tuku iho,

He waka kōtuia, kahore e tukutuka ngā mimira
A canoe that is interlaced will not become separated at the bow - in unity there is strength

Te Rūnanganui o Ngā Kura Kaupapa Māori, the Ministry of Education and Ministry of Social Development have shared contacts and resource lists that may support during this time, click on the entities above to follow the links. But if you have any concerns please get in touch with milg@ngatiraua.iwi.nz.

Nei hoki ngā mihi ki ngā tini mata i tū ki Te Matatini Herenga Waka Herenga Tangata, me ngā hāpai ō i ao ai te kaupapa rā.

WHĀNAU VOICE: Te Marautanga o Aotearoa & Curriculum Refresh

The curriculum refresh was announced in February 2021 and will continue until 2025 to update the curriculum delivered in kura and English medium schools.

MILG is part of the redesign advisory groups for both Te Marautanga o Aotearoa (marautanga for kura/kaupapa Māori education) and the Curriculum Refresh (curriculum for English-medium schools) and input into key considerations of their design and implementation, which includes MILG advocating for an iwi-localised curriculum.

Key themes for Te Marautanga are 'learning and teaching that can't be left to chance' and ākonga at the centre, based off the He Tamaiti Hei Raukura report, click here to read. MILG will be attending the next hui scheduled for the end of March 2023.

To learn more, click here or if you have any pātai, please contact milg@ngatiraua.iwi.nz.



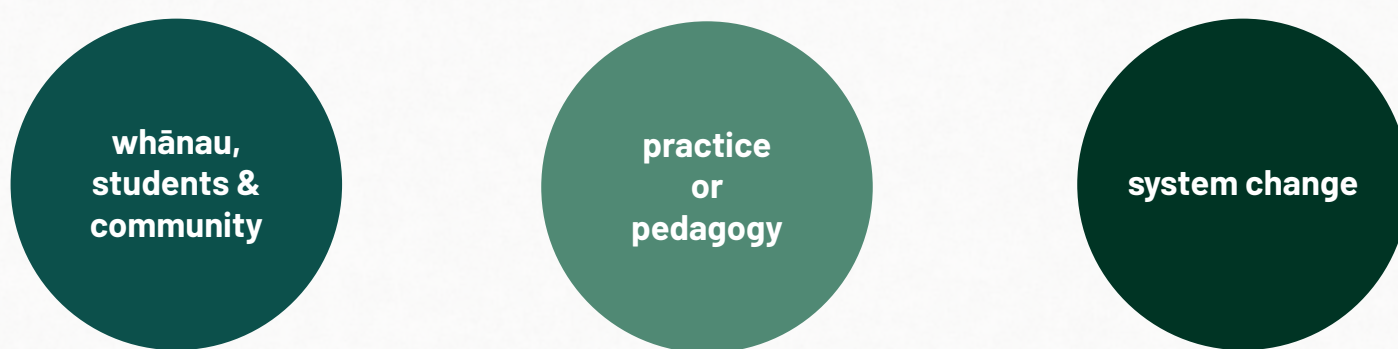
Timeline for curriculum redesign

I Mōhio Rānei Koe: Did You Know? Kōkirihiā Report on Ending Streaming

In each newsletter, we're going to highlight one of the kaupapa we're working on, for this edition, it's Ending Streaming in Schools.

In our first newsletter, we shared how according to government policy, schools shouldn't stream, however despite this, over 90 percent of schools in New Zealand continue to stream or ability-group students.

On Monday 20 February 2023, the Kōkirihiā Report was published by Tokona Te Raki and is a significant step on the journey towards creating a fair and equitable education system. The report uses the AAA framework (Awareness, Alternatives, and Actions) and identifies three key levers of change: Whānau, students & community; practice or pedagogy; and system.



Key levers for change

MILG advocate for 'te ora o te whānau' and the belief that every child deserves the opportunity to reach their full potential and we are committed to making this a reality for all students in Aotearoa. We fully support the call to action outlined in this report and the efforts of Tokona te Raki Māori Futures Collective in leading the charge to end streaming in Aotearoa.

For more information or to read the report, click here.

INFLUENCING THE SECTOR: Regional Skills Leadership Groups - Vacancies

Regional Skills Leadership Groups (RSLGs) are independent advisory groups who identify and support better ways of meeting future regional skills and workforce needs across Aotearoa. These groups directly influence which courses will be delivered by ITP's such as Te Pūkenga.

There are vacancies across the motu for membership into the 15 RSLGs. Applications close on Wednesday 15th March. Click here for more information.



2023 Census - Form Collection Closes Soon

Please encourage our whānau to complete and send their Census forms. The tāonga, the data collected from these forms will inform policy, funding allocations, the electoral rolls and so much more. Here are some taura we've been hearing about :

- A designated Whānau Māngai who will be responsible for making sure their household completes their forms. Tamaiti mai, pakeke mai.
- Iwi, hapū or marae days with an area for whānau to complete their Census forms.

He Puna Kōmanawa, He Puna Tāheke - Friday 14 April

Nau mai e te iwi ki te rā whakawhanake o MILG. We'd like to extend an invitation to our MILG iwi and hapū networks to join us for PLD focussed on; Te Akatea (Māori Principals' Association), Ending Streaming in Aotearoa and the Eduscape (an iwi-led mapping of the education landscape in Aotearoa).

Click here to RSVP. Spaces are limited.

That's our kohinga kōrero for this edition of our newsletter, please share it with your networks and reach out if you have any inquiries or pātai about Māori education and about how MILG might tautoko you, your iwi or hapū.

Ngā mihi manahau,

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