

NGĀKŌROA SCHOOL

2025 Cohort Entry and Transition Visit Dates



New entrants (5 Year olds) will start on the cohort entry date AFTER their 5th Birthday (or later by agreement with parents).

There are **THREE** visits for new entrant ākonga prior to them starting fulltime to help support them in their transition to school:

- **Stay & Play** (3 weeks before start): **8:30 - 9:30**. Parents stay & play - basic class routines, play type activities.
- **Ngākōroa 101** (2 weeks before start): **8:30 - 10:30**. Parents join a workshop about learning at Ngākōroa & morning tea.
- **Kiss & Go** (1 week before start): **8:30 - 12:00**. Immersion in learning programmes. Parents drop off and pick up.

TERM 1	Pre-Visit Dates	Start Date
Cohort 1	These visit will have occurred in Term 4 of 2024	3rd February Week 1
Cohort 2	19 February - Stay & Play 26th February - Ngākōroa 101 5th March - Kiss & Go	10th March Week 6
TERM 2	Pre-Visit Dates	Start Date
Cohort 3	26th March - Stay & Play 2nd April - Ngākōroa 101 9th April - Kiss & Go	28th April Week 1
Cohort 4	7th May - Stay & Play 14th May - Ngākōroa 101 21st May - Kiss & Go	26th May Week 5
TERM 3	Pre-Visit Dates	Start Date
Cohort 5	11th June - Stay & Play 18th June - Ngākōroa 101 25th June - Kiss & Go	14th July Week 1
Cohort 6	30th July - Stay & Play 6th August - Ngākōroa 101 13th August - Kiss & Go	18th August Week 6
TERM 4	Pre-Visit Dates	Start Date
Cohort 7	3rd September - Stay & Play 10th September - Ngākōroa 101 17th September - Kiss & Go	6th October Week 1
Cohort 8	22nd October - Stay & Play 29th October - Ngākōroa 101 5th November - Kiss & Go	10th November Week 6
TERM 1 2026	Pre-Visit Dates	Start Date
Cohort 1	26th November - Stay & Play 3rd December - Ngākōroa 101 10th December - Kiss & Go	TBC