



LINDISFARNE COLLEGE  
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# HAWKE'S BAY **NEW ZEALAND**

LINDISFARNE COLLEGE | INTERNATIONAL STUDENT PROSPECTUS



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## A MESSAGE FROM THE RECTOR

Lindisfarne College is a boys-only, day and boarding College of 500 students from Year 7-13 offering a unique opportunity to a limited number of International students each year. Boys come to learn English, build friendships, explore new experiences and gain a highly regarded New Zealand education in the beautiful region of Hawke's Bay.

Our students come from a variety of countries including New Caledonia, China, Thailand, Japan, South Korea, Futuna, USA, UK, Hong Kong, Taiwan and India. In many cases, their sisters also come to Hawke's Bay, to study at Iona College or Woodford House, two of New Zealand's leading girls' schools just fifteen minutes away in Havelock North.

All our International students live and learn on campus, where they are immersed in everyday life of our boarding community supported by well-qualified Boarding Masters and staff. This allows them to gain the lifelong advantage of understanding and speaking English. During the holidays, boys can be placed in homestays with families within the College community giving them the opportunity to experience the New Zealand way of life.

As one of New Zealand's leading boys' boarding and day schools, we pride ourselves on growing outstanding young men who go on to lead successful and significant lives.

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Ken MacLeod  
MA (Hons), Dip Ed Man, Dip Tchg  
**RECTOR**



## AN ALL-ROUND EDUCATION

Lindisfarne College is rated academically in the top 5 boys' schools in New Zealand with an average pass rate over 90% in NCEA.

However, our approach is to not just focused on academic study – we expect and encourage all our students to be actively engaged in all aspects of College life, our Christian faith, Sport and Culture.

Students participate in normal classes alongside students from New Zealand and overseas. We also provide additional English tuition, ESOL and evening prep support.

Our class sizes are small so each boy gets individual attention through his educational journey.

Senior students choose from a wide range of subject options towards New Zealand's National diploma – National Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA). They also have the opportunity to take a multi-level approach to their study and sit Cambridge examinations, Scholarship and extramural university papers.

We have specialist teachers in all subject areas who promote a culture of excellence in all our students, with a focus on inspiring them to become the best that they can be.

Our International students are encouraged to participate in the wide variety of extra-curricular activities on offer, including the very popular Duke of Edinburgh's Hillary Award programme.

All students must participate in a summer and winter sport. This fosters qualities of loyalty, sportsmanship and fair play to prepare them for a rewarding, healthy and active life.

We offer music tuition and the opportunity to be involved in many cultural experiences at the College including speech, drama, debating, symphonic, jazz, rock and pipe music bands.

An integral part of College life is our Christian dimension which is key to their personal and spiritual development. All boys participate in weekly chapel services, religious education and service programmes.





## BOARDING LIFE AT LINDISFARNE

Lindisfarne College is fortunate to have some of the best boarding school facilities in New Zealand. Our extensive campus, vast playing fields and state-of-the-art facilities are key attractions and a new experience for many of our International boys.

Boarding life is at the heart of Lindisfarne College, with up to 250 students choosing to live and learn onsite. They are fully immersed in this experience where their English improves rapidly. They gain the full benefits of the positive spirit and culture of the College.

All our International students live alongside their year group peers in well-appointed hostels supported by a dedicated Hostel Manager who is also a teacher at the College.

It is a home away from home. Our International boys quickly respond to the structure and routine, and establish key friendships. Within clear rules, expectations, practices and procedures there is plenty of room for boys to grow.

With our support network and the extensive opportunities of boarding, boys make the most of all aspects of College life. Along our well-travelled pathways, all boys gain a number of life skills. They develop greater independence and maturity and better organisational skills, leadership, and a strong sense of self and identity.

**We observe and are bound by the Code of Pastoral Care of International Students. You can download this from the New Zealand Ministry of Education website at [www.minedu.govt.nz/goto/international](http://www.minedu.govt.nz/goto/international)**





THE LINDISFARNE HOMESTEAD

## PASTORAL CARE

### Structure and Routine

Lindisfarne is family friendly and provides a safe and caring environment for all students. It is supported by a comprehensive pastoral care programme that monitors each student's personal, academic and social life at the College.

The Boarding family gathers in the traditional College dining room three times a day. These are social times, and naturally a highlight for the boys, with excellent well-balanced meals, inspired by cuisine from many cultures and countries from around the world.

At the end of the busy school day, boys are free to make use of the wider College facilities, to relax with friends, practise sport or cultural activities.

### Communication with Home

Modern technology ensures boys can have regular contact with parents and families abroad. Boys can spend holidays and weekend breaks with local families, experiencing warm Kiwi hospitality, as they get to know the new culture and make new friends.

Our International Student Director works in close partnership with families. Staff, boys and families are always in contact, just a phone call, text or email away, wherever home is. The College's website and mobile app are very effective ways to find out the latest information and happenings.

### Extra-curricular Activities

We encourage all our International students to participate in our extra-curricular programme at the College. These include weekly activities and end-of-term excursions. The boys can go skiing, learn to surf, sail or even learn to fly.





## COLLEGE FACILITIES

The College is set on 4 hectares of park-like grounds. The facilities are a mix of modern and heritage buildings that house classrooms, administration, boarding, science laboratories, sporting and cultural facilities.

There is a purpose-built performing arts centre that has a fully rigged stage and supporting technology, soundproof practice rooms and staging facilities.

All classrooms and boarding houses are wirelessly connected on an ultra-fast network and students can have multiple device access to a managed and secure network.

The grounds have a 25m swimming pool, all-weather, multi-purpose courts and extensive playing fields where our summer and winter codes such as rugby, football, hockey and cricket are played.

In close proximity to the College is a large athletic stadium and an all-weather sports park.





# ABOUT HAWKE'S BAY

## HAWKE'S BAY IS BEST

New Zealand's Hawke's Bay region offers an outstanding, temperate climate, a stunning outdoor environment and easy access to exciting leisure activities. The twin cities of Hastings and Napier provide key infrastructure, with excellent transport links to Wellington and Auckland.

It is not only a great place to live and learn. Boys can experience a full range of exciting opportunities in their free time. Outdoor activities include golf, swimming, bush walks, skiing and many more. Equally cosmopolitan, the region is also famous for its outstanding tourism offerings of great food and wine, a quality business environment, and a vast range of cultural and sporting events. All this, but located away from the pressures of large city living.

VIEW FROM TE MATA PEAK 'THE SLEEPING GIANT' TOWARDS HAWKE BAY

## ENROLMENT

If you would like to find out more about our International student package, please contact the Rector at Lindisfarne College.

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## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Lindisfarne College has agreed to observe and be bound by the Code of Practice for the Pastoral Care of International Students published by the Minister of Education. Copies of the Code are available on request from the New Zealand Ministry of Education website at [www.minedu.govt.nz/goto/international](http://www.minedu.govt.nz/goto/international)

### Immigration

Full details of visa and permit requirements, advice on rights to employment in New Zealand while studying, and reporting requirements are available through the New Zealand Immigration Service, and can be viewed at their website [www.immigration.govt.nz](http://www.immigration.govt.nz)

### Eligibility for Health Services

Most International students are not entitled to publicly funded health services while in New Zealand. If you receive medical treatment during your visit you may be liable for the full costs of the treatment. Full details on entitlements are available through the Ministry of Health, and can be viewed on their website [www.moh.govt.nz](http://www.moh.govt.nz)

### Accident Insurance

The Accident Compensation Corporation (ACC) provides accident insurance for all New Zealand citizens, residents, and temporary visitors to New Zealand, but you still may be liable for all other medical and related costs. Further information can be viewed on the ACC website at [www.acc.govt.nz](http://www.acc.govt.nz)

### Medical Insurance

International students must have appropriate and current medical and travel insurance while studying in New Zealand.



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