



Tumuaki Update



COVID-19 update - Face coverings (ONLY age 12+)
These are only mandatory when using public transport.
They are NOT required in schools at any alert level.
Any student or adult who wishes to wear one may do so.
If this changes we will let you know.

Learning Assistants / Teacher Aides

For a long time in education learning assistants have been poorly paid.

NZEI, New Zealand Education Institute, our union has been working hard behind the scenes for some time to put together and successfully obtain a pay equity settlement.

All Learning Assistants recently agreed to the settlement. As a result a completely new pay rate structure has been created, aligning it to a job matrices with a scale A - D across three areas;

1. General Support
2. Additional Support
3. Te ao Māori

On Friday 28th August all employees came together to learn, understand and forward plan for the tamariki our Learning Assistants work with.

Deanwell is a fully inclusive school where all employees are treated equitably.

FAIR'S
FAIR
MANA TAURITE
PAY EQUITY

TEACHER AIDE
PAY EQUITY
SETTLEMENT

100%



... for the mahi our Learning Assistants do for all our tamariki.



At Deanwell, leadership, teaching and learning is not about a position or a title. It is about connection and influence. It is all about adding value to the world and making a positive difference to the lives of our tamariki and their whānau.