

International Students

St Thomas's School hosts international students and is a signatory to the Education (Pastoral Care of Tertiary and International Learners) Code of Practice 2021 (the Code).

As a signatory to the Code, we strive to protect international students and provide them with a positive experience that supports their educational achievement. The pastoral care we provide includes:

- supporting students in a new cultural environment
- identifying and addressing the needs of students, including their safety and well-being
- helping international students participate in New Zealand culture by enabling them to develop relationships and networks
- supporting international students to achieve their goals.

The Code of Practice for the Pastoral Care of International Students

In accordance with the Code of Practice, St Thomas's School:

- maintains high professional standards
- recruits international students ethically and responsibly
- provides students with comprehensive, up to date, and accurate information
- provides students with information before they enter into any commitments
- conducts contractual dealings ethically and responsibly
- recognises the particular needs of international students
- ensures that students are in safe accommodation
- has fair and equitable processes for addressing problems and grievances.

Legislation

- Education (Pastoral Care of Tertiary and International Learners) Code of Practice 2021
- Education and Training Act 2020

Ratified by Board

Signed

Date


21 June 22