

# Vacancy: Tumuaki/Principal

## Te Rā Waldorf School

### Kapiti Coast

U4, decile 8, state-integrated full primary school

#### He waka eke noa

We are extremely proud of the education we provide at Te Rā Waldorf School. We have a strong team of passionate and dedicated teachers delivering a rich, carefully chosen Waldorf curriculum.

Our special character places the child at the centre of everything we do. Surrounding the children is a collaborative, "Whole Village" of teachers, staff and whānau.

We are looking for an enthusiastic and collaborative school leader who has the energy, creativity and sensitivity to build upon a strong, positive culture and take Te Rā Waldorf School into the future.

Our tumuaki/principal will demonstrate strong pedagogical, strategic, organisational and communication skills, with the ability to weave together the different strands that make up our beautiful kura on the Kapiti Coast.

Our tumuaki/principal will have an understanding of, and passion for, Waldorf education, and uphold the school's special character as a condition of employment. New Zealand teacher registration (or the qualifications and experience to enable registration) is required.

Our ideal candidate will have proven experience in an educational leadership role and support our ongoing integration of authentic Tiriti o Waitangi partnership in policy and practice, which includes the integration of te reo Māori and tikanga Māori into school life.

If you are a strong and energetic strategic leader who relishes the opportunity to further grow Waldorf education on the Kāpiti Coast in Aotearoa New Zealand, we'd love to hear from you!

Please email [chair@tera.school.nz](mailto:chair@tera.school.nz) with your expression of interest and to obtain an application pack. Visits to the school are welcome.

Applications close at 5pm on Wednesday 23 October 2019.

The successful applicant would ideally start at the end of January, in time for the 2020 school year.

Further information is available at [www.tera.school.nz](http://www.tera.school.nz)

