

26 October 2022

Dear Applicant

Thank you for taking the opportunity to apply for the position of U2 Principal of Tomarata School.

The new principal will enjoy working in Tomarata, which is a fantastic peaceful rural area to work and just 15-20 minutes from Wellsford and Mangawhai. We're also spoiled with the pristine surf beaches, Te Arai and Pakiri, as well as the beautiful Tomarata Lakes, on our doorstep.

The Tomarata School community is a great mix of farming, lifestyle and local town families. Being a rural area our community is keen on the outdoor environment.

We have a Board who are willing to give the new Principal 100% support. Our staff members are wonderful professionals and our young learners are real country kids - climbing trees, building huts and chasing butterflies.

You can be assured that our Board will support the Principal with professional development. We all look forward to working with our new Principal.

We are very proud of our school and the education we provide our children. Our recent ERO report was very well deserved and shows our school has been working hard over the last 3 years to develop and improve our curriculum delivery to a high standard. We have great grounds and infrastructure, with room to grow in roll numbers.

We invite applicants to send in their application material and to be assured that the Board is going to appoint according to the State Sector Act – the “best person for the job”. All applicants will be notified as to their progress very soon after decisions have been made.

Yours faithfully

Jason Kerrisk - Board Chair/ Presiding Member