



One Tree Hill
COLLEGE

NEWSLETTER

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Principal's Message



Dear Parents and Caregivers

Recently, I have had the privilege recently to preview the 2020 One Tree Hill College Yearbook. It is a fabulous publication which collates the highlights and happenings of the year – a year which we will never forget! It is packed full of photos and memories of student events and achievements which have been compiled by editor, Mr Langdon. Can I please remind families, that only students who have fully paid all outstanding fees are eligible to receive a yearbook. This wonderful publication will be available and be distributed during the last week of the school year. If you have not paid all charges on your school account and wish to purchase a yearbook, you can do this by paying \$10 to the Student Services Centre.

I would like to acknowledge our senior students who have been completing their NCEA Examinations over the past 2 weeks. I know that considerable study and revision time has been spent trying to get the best results possible. There are still many examinations to go, so I encourage all senior students to continue working hard on their study programmes and wish them good luck with their remaining examinations.

Finally, I would like to inform you all that Deputy Principal, Mr Middleton, will be leaving One Tree Hill College at the end of the year. Mr Middleton has been an integral member of the Senior Leadership Team over many years. On behalf of the entire community, I wish to thank him for his service to the college, and wish him and his family well as they move out of Auckland.

Best wishes

N Coughlan
Principal

JUNIOR PRIZE GIVING - Thursday 3 December, 10am

Please join us for a morning of celebrating student success.
Please be seated by 9:45am

Marilyn Wales Auditorium
Junior students finish school at 11:30am at the conclusion of prize giving.
Buses have been arranged to operate at this earlier time.
School reports will be issued to all students.

ONE TREE HILL COLLEGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SCHOLARSHIPS

The Board of Trustees have scholarships to support students at One Tree Hill College. Attached to this newsletter are the details about these scholarships and the application process.

These scholarships are eligible to all students and are to be applied for if students believe that gaining a scholarship would support their academic learning, or other school endeavours.

Applications will be considered on an individual basis. Any applications for the first half of 2021 should be sent directly to the Principal (ncoughlan@onetreehillcollege.school.nz) by 1 March 2021.

NEW OTHC PE UNIFORM

In 2021 students in PE will be required to wear a new PE uniform. The new uniform will be in our traditional school colours, as well as reflect our other sports uniforms. The uniform will also be able to be used by students when competing in many other sporting codes. The feedback from students who have been trialling the new clothing is that it is more comfortable, fits better for both boys and girls, can be worn for other activities, and looks awesome! The new PE uniform will be ordered through the school at a price similar to our current PE uniform – more details to follow.



START OF YEAR 2021

Students are required back at school in 2021 as detailed below. Students must be in full school uniform. The college reception is open from Wednesday 20 January, 8am – 3pm.

Thursday 28 January

11:00am All Year 10-13 students new to One Tree Hill College are to meet in the reception for orientation.

12noon Any Year 11-13 students with gaps in their timetables to meet in the Knowledge Centre.

Friday 5 February

9:00am Year 9 Orientation Day - Powhiri

Monday 8 February

Waitangi Day Observed – no school

Tuesday 9 February

8:45am All students are required at school at the usual time of 8.45am.
Students are on full timetabled classes from this day.

Normal bell times run from Wednesday 10 February on full timetable



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