Thames High School

Te Kura Tuarua o Te Kauaeranga



Kia kōtahi ai te piki ake, kia ikeike rawa ki te taumata We grow together to achieve one's true potential

Year 11 Stationery – 2021

General requirements

Pens – Black, Blue and Green or Red		
Pencils (HB)		
Eraser		
Ruler (30 cm)		
Gluestick		
Scientific Calculator, e.g. Casio FX82 or similar (for compulsory maths)		
Digital Device – BYOD - highly recommended (as below)		
Useful – felt pens and coloured pencils		

Compulsory Subject Requirements (English, Maths, Science)

English	English 101 or 102: Ringbinder, 1x14B8 lined refill
	English 103: 1x 14B8 lined refill, 1x 1B5
Science	Science 101: 1x A4 Ringbinder, 2x Highlighters, 1x Set of Dividers, 1x A4
	lined refill
	Science 102: 2 x 1B5, Scissors, 1 x A4 Plastic Document Wallet
	Science 103: 1 x 1B5, Black fine point Sharpie
Mathematics	Mathematics 101 or 103: 2 x 1E5, 1 x A4 Clearfile, Calculator (Scientific with
	trig functions and fraction button)
	Statistics 101: 1 x 1E5, 1 x A4 Plastic Document Wallet, Calculator (Scientific
	with trig and fraction button)

Optional subject requirements

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Art	1x A3 Wallet (18N9), A3 Spiral Bound Visual Diary, 1 x 6B Pencil, Eraser, 1 set of coloured pencils. Students may be required to purchase oil paint sets and other art materials during the year
Distance Learning	As required for individual courses
Drama	1x14B8 lined refill, 1x Clearfile, Plain black T-Shirt, Plain black long sleeved T-Shirt, Plain black long leggings (to the ankle).
Economics	1 x A4 Ringbinder, 1 x 14B8 Lined Refill, 1 set of 10 dividers (optional)
Fabric	1 x A3 Clearfile, 1 x good quality scrapbook, 1 x Filebox,
Technology	
Food & Hospitality	1 x 20 Pocket Clearfile, 1 x A4 Ringbinder, 14B8 Lined Refill, 1 x ice cream sized container (for food), 1 x Highlighter pen.
Furniture	1 x 2B Pencil, 1 x Blue or Black Pen
Geography	1 Pkt 12 Coloured Pencils, 1 x 2B5, 1 x Clearfile (20 pocket)
Graphics	1x A3 Wallet (18N9), 1x 17C9 Drawing Refill, 1 x Staedtler Compass, Pencil Sharpener, Clutch Pencil 0.5mm, 1 x Eraser
History	1x 2B5, Clearfile (40 pocket)

Te Reo Maori	2 x 1B5, Dictionary of Modern Maori - P M Ryan, 1 x clear file (40 pages), 1 x A3
	plastic envelope
HOP	1 x A4 Ringbinder, 1 x 14B8 Lined Refill
Mechanical	2B Pencil
Engineering	
Music	Not Required
Outdoor	Not Required
Education	
Physical	Not Required
Education	

BYOD – bring your own learning device

All taiohi/students are highly recommended to have and bring their own suitable device to support their learning. Suitable devices are devices with a keyboard and reasonable screen size (not a smart phone). This means taiohi/students can use the device for reasonable periods, with ease of typing and without undue eyestrain.

Taiohi/students can access the internet using the wireless network on campus, and access learning materials provided by the school.

Having their own device means taiohi/students can use the device that they prefer and increases the amount of time a device is accessible for learning, both at school and at home.

Note - The use of Smartphones is strictly controlled during class time – taihoi/students must have their phone in their school bag, unless it is specifically has been allowed for supporting learning (e.g. as a translator, calculator, for quick research, or as a camera for projects, etc.).

School recommendations

- A Laptop (or equivalent hybrid) Chromebooks, Windows laptops, Macbooks may be used.
- For Years 9-11 a Chromebook (ACER, HP, or Lenovo) or similar entry-level laptop is well suited
 they all allow cloud-based storage and that means files are secure and accessible anywhere.
- Should have at least 4GB RAM; at least 32GB eMMc storage is also an advantage.
- At least 11.6" (30 cm) screen size reduce eye strain and allows for a better reading experience. Many laptops have 14" screens and could be considered.
- Wireless Connectivity dual band, using 802.11n (or higher)
- 8-hour battery life from one charge (minimum); students are expected to bring fully charged devices to school.
- Light and robust (i.e., tough to take the everyday knocks)
- A protective carrying case (to help take the knocks)
- Operating System there is no preferred operating system, as applications are generally webbased. This means students can opt for the system they prefer Google Chrome, Microsoft Windows, Apple Mac OS v.10.10 or newer.
- Up-to-date Antivirus Software
- The ability to install and run the Microsoft Office Suite is an advantage (i.e., Windows device). Note that Office 365 is **free for Thames High School students** with the Microsoft Student Advantage. There is no need to buy a subscription.



- Laptops should last 3-5 years.
- NOTE for higher level courses (like digital design etc.) in the senior school a high-specification laptop may be an advantage. That is so it can run software like the Adobe suite.

Years 9-11 (examples only)

For years 9-11 some recommended suitable learning devices (at a reasonable price point) are listed below:

- a **Chromebook** e.g. Lenovo 11.6", HP 11.6" G8 EE, Acer 11.6"C733
- an entry-level Windows laptop, e.g. Lenovo 14" IdeaPad 1 or Acer 14" Aspire 1



