



Taupo-nui-a-Tia College Enrolment Scheme

Effective from 10 November 2017

The Ministry of Education has directed Taupo-nui-a-Tia College Board of Trustees to adopt an enrolment scheme. The enrolment scheme, which includes a precise description of the zone (home zone), is described in the following pages. Additionally, this information may be viewed on our website or at the school office, where copies of the scheme are also available.

The guidelines for development and operating of enrolment schemes are issued under section 11G (3) of the Education Act 1989 for the purpose of describing the basis on which the Secretary's powers in relation to enrolment schemes will be exercised.

Despite there being a zone in place, we encourage all students wishing to attend Taupo-nui-a-Tia College to fill in an enrolment form.

An initial ballot will take place for those students who do not live in the Taupo-nui-a-Tia College zone. This ballot will take place in September 2024. (Date to be advised)

To be considered for the ballot, a completed enrolment form along with your child's birth certificate or passport, needs to be submitted to our school office by to 4pm, three working days prior to the ballot date. You will be notified of the outcome within **three** working days after the ballot has taken place.

It should be noted that anybody within the Taupo-nui-a-Tia zone is eligible to enrol at any other college.

If you have any feedback or questions regarding the zone, please contact our school office or email enrolments@taupocollege.ac.nz.

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TAUPO-NUI-A-TIA COLLEGE (167) ENROLMENT SCHEME

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Home Zone

All students who live within the home zone described below (shown on the map included) shall be entitled to enrol at the school.

Starting from number **4 Lowell Place** travel north along the lake shore line to reach **Whakatonga Point** (at the mouth of the **Waihaha River**).

From here, travel north-west, including all address on **Waihaha Road**, crossing **State Highway 32 (Western Bay Road)** at number **3985**, and continuing north-west to reach the edge of the **Pureora Forest Park**.

Travel north along the length of the eastern boundary of the **Pureora Forest Park**. At the northern boundary of the Forest Park, head east to the intersection of **Arataki and Henderson Roads**. Addresses on **Henderson Road** are excluded from the zone. Travel north along **Arataki Road** to the intersection of **Tihoi Road (SH32)**, capturing odd-numbered addresses on **Arataki Road** only.

Travel south along **Tihoi Road (SH32)**, capturing addresses on both sides of the road, and all addresses on **Waikino Road** and **Pakonui Road**.

At the intersection of **Tihoi** and **Poihipi Roads**, travel along **Poihipi Road**, capturing addresses on both sides of this road, and including even numbered addresses on **Kaahu Road** to number **838** and **odd numbered addresses to number 851 Kaahu Road**.

Continue along **Poihipi Road** to the intersection with **Tirohanga Road**. Travel north along **Tirohanga Road**, capturing addresses on both sides of the road, and including all addresses on **Pokuru Road, Spencer Road, Okama Road** and **Paerata Road**. Continue along **Tirohanga Road** to **1687 Tirohanga Road**.

Just south-west of **1687 Tirohanga Road** is the intersection with **Tram Road**. Travel south along **Tram Road**, capturing addresses on both sides of the road.

At the intersection of **Tram Road** and **SH1**, capturing addresses on both sides of **State Highway One** to **2177 State Highway One**. All addresses on **Maroa Road** are also included in the zone.

Continue along **Tram Road** to **Tutukau Road**. Travel east along **Tutukau Road** to **1943 Tutukau Road**.

From **1943 Tutukau Road**, travel south to the eastern boundary of **351 Tram Road**. From this point travel in a straight line to the intersection of **State Highway 5** and **Te Toke Road**.

Travel along **Te Toke Road**, capturing odd-numbered addresses only to **507 Te Toke Road**.

At **507 Te Toke Road**, travel south, crossing the **Waikato River**, to **1609 Broadlands Road**.

Travel back toward Taupo along **Broadlands Road**, capturing odd-numbered addresses only, to the intersection of **Broadlands Road** and **Centennial Drive**. Addresses **263, 291** and **315 Broadlands Road** are included in the zone.

Travel along **Centennial Drive**, and continue along **Spa Road** to the intersection with **Tauhara Road**, capturing all odd-numbered addresses and even numbered addresses **334 – 478 on Centennial Drive**, and odd-numbered addresses on **Spa Road only**.

Travel along **Tauhara Road**, capturing odd-numbered addresses, to the intersection with **Taharepa Road**.

Travel along **Taharepa Road** capturing even-numbered addresses only, to the intersection with **Rifle Range Road**.

Travel south-west along **Rifle Range Road** to the intersection with **Tamamutu Street**, capturing addresses on both sides of **Rifle Range Road**.

Travel south-east along **Tamamutu Street** to the intersection with **Gillies Avenue**, capturing addresses on both sides of **Tamamutu Street**.

Travel south-west along **Gillies Avenue** to the intersection with **Ngamotu Road**, capturing even-numbered addresses on **Gillies Avenue only**.

Travel along **Ngamotu Road** to the intersection with **Taharepa Road**, capturing addresses on both sides of **Ngamotu Road**.

Travel north-east along **Taharepa Road** to the intersection with **Puriri Street**, capturing addresses on both sides of **Taharepa Road**.

Travel south-east along **Puriri Street**, capturing addresses on both sides of the road, to reach the pedestrian walkway on the western boundary of **Liston Avenue Reserve**. Addresses on **Liston Avenue** are excluded from the zone.

Travel through **Hilltop Reserve to Kurupae Avenue**. Travel south along **Kurupae Avenue**, capturing addresses on both sides of **Kurupae Avenue**, to **Birch Street**.

Travel north-east along **Birch Street** to the intersection with **Kiddle Drive**, capturing all addresses on **Birch Street**, **Armstrong Grove** and **Birchwood Lane**.

Travel south along **Kiddle Drive**, to the intersection with **Napier Road (SH5)**.

Travel west along **Napier Road** to the intersection with **Lake Terrace**, capturing even numbered addresses on **Napier Road only**.

Cross **Lake Terrace to Lowell Place**. The zone includes even numbered addresses on **Lowell Terrace only**.

Ends description.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Despite there being a zone in place, we encourage all students wishing to attend Taupo-nui-a-Tia College to fill in an enrolment form.

A ballot will take place for those students who are not in the Ministry of Education approved Taupo-nui-a-Tia zone.

A ballot will take place for those students who do not live in the Taupo-nui-a-Tia College zone. This ballot will take place on 13th September, Week 9 of Term 3, 2023.

To be considered for the ballot a completed enrolment form needs to be submitted to our school office prior to 4pm on the 11th September 2023. You will be notified of the outcome within 3 working days after the ballot has taken place.

It should be noted that anybody within the proposed Taupo-nui-a-Tia zone is eligible to enrol at any other college.

If you have any feedback or questions regarding the zone, please contact our school office or email enrolments@taupocollege.ac.nz.

TIMELINE/PROCESS *(subject to Ministry of Education approval)*

1. Enrolments for 2024 are open. To be considered for the ballot a completed enrolment form needs to be submitted to our school office prior to 4pm on the 11th of September 2023.
2. This ballot will take place on 13th September, Week 9 of Term 3 in 2023.
3. You will be notified of the outcome within 3 working days after the ballot has taken place.

BALLOT INFORMATION

Applications for out of Taupo-nui-a-Tia zone enrolments will be processed in the following order of priority:

- **First priority** must be given to applicants who are siblings of current students.
- **Second priority** must be given to applicants who are siblings of former students.
- **Third priority** must be given to any applicant who is a child of a former student of the school.
- **Fourth priority** must be given to any applicant who is either a child of an employee of the board of the school or a child of a member of the board of the school.
- **Fifth priority** must be given to all other applicants.

If there are more applicants than there are places available, selection within the priority group will be by ballot conducted in accordance with instructions by the Secretary. Under Section 11G (1) of the Education Act 1989. Parents will be informed of the date of any ballot by notice in a relevant community forum in this case our website www.taupocollege.ac.nz

Applicants seeking first or second priority status may be required to give proof of a sibling relationship.

The ballot is drawn by a Justice of the Peace and students are given a priority number. Families have 14 days to accept a place.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

If you have any feedback or questions regarding the zone please contact:

- Ministry of Education, Rotorua Office – Margot Nielsen – Senior Advisor Ph 07 343 1362
- Our school office – phone 376 1100 or email enrolments@taupocollege.ac.nz.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Why does Taupo-nui-a-Tia College have a school zone and why?

The Ministry of Education has directed Taupo-nui-a-Tia College Board of Trustees to adopt an enrolment scheme to manage school enrolment to prevent overcrowding.

How can I apply for an in zone place?

Complete the enrolment form.

What evidence is required for in zone enrolment?

Proof that this is the permanent residential address. If renting, a long term rental agreement and statutory agreement that it is the intention of the family to be in the zone longer than 6 months. Otherwise, a utility bill or rates notice that identifies the address and name of occupier should be attached to the pre-enrolment form that includes a statutory declaration.

What if I've already pre enrolled?

All current year 8 students are required to follow the same enrolment scheme process.

How do I apply if I am out of zone?

Complete the enrolment form and tick out of zone. Taupo-nui-a-Tia College will post a letter outlining the ballot outcome within 3 working days of the draw.

What are the different priority levels of the out of zone ballot?

- First priority must be given to applicants who are siblings of current students.
- Second priority must be given to applicants who are siblings of former students.
- Third priority must be given to any applicant who is a child of a former student of the school.
- Fourth priority must be given to any applicant who is either a child of an employee of the board of the school or a child of a member of the board of the school.
- Fifth priority must be given to all other applicants.

How is the ballot set and drawn?

Each year the Board has one ballot. The Board does have the ability to add ballots if places become available. These would be advertised on the college website and facebook page.

The ballot is drawn by a Justice of the Peace and students are given a priority number. Families have 14 days to accept a place.

Does Tauhara College have a zone?

No – any secondary aged student is able to enrol at Tauhara College or any other secondary school in the district.

How long do we need to have lived in zone before making an application to enrol?

There is no minimum time. However, we do need evidence that you are living at the address i.e. the latest electricity and phone accounts. These are not usually available until at least a month after moving in to a new property so it is best to allow a minimum of a month.

Can my child live with his aunt / my friend / a homestay family in zone?

A student is considered to be living in the home zone when the student currently (at those times when the school is open for instruction) has his or her place of residence at an address within the home zone and intends to remain within the zone.

What year levels will the 2024 ballot be open to?

The ballot is open to specific year levels decided by the Board of Trustees and depending on the spaces available at the College. The number of places the Board can offer will depend on the number of in zone applications we receive.

How many students will be drawn from the ballot?

This is dependent on the number of in zone enrolments.

Still have an unanswered question? Call your local Ministry of Education Rotorua Office – Margot Nielsen – Senior Advisor Ph 07 343 1362