

# REQUESTS FOR WHĀNAU ENGAGEMENT FUNDING

Applicant Surname:

First Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Office Use Only	
Date form received: Supporting Document Attached: Approved/ Declined:	
Amount:	

## REQUEST FOR WHĀNAU ENGAGEMENT FUNDS

The Whānau Engagement Fund was sourced from the Ministry of Education to support whānau who are facing financial shortfalls. It is a one-off fund that is available for a short period of time for school related finances such as fees, field trips, gym gear, hearing aids etc. This fund is not for on-going support.

#### **PURPOSE:**

Kāti Huirapa Rūnaka ki Puketeraki may provide financial support for Rūnaka members and Māori whānau living within our takiwā.

An applicant can submit only one application per child, per financial year (1 July to 30 June). The costs must have occurred within the financial year the application is being made.

The amount awarded for any one application will be a maximum of \$450.00

To be eligible the applicant does not have to request the full amount.

The Distribution Team can award a higher amount in exceptional circumstances.

## ASSESSING APPLICATIONS

The Distribution Team will assess applications for the Whānau Engagement Fund using the following criteria:

- Applications must be to support whānau with school related assistance e.g., fees, field trips, gym gear, hearing aids etc.
- Each application will be considered on its merits.
- Each application will be treated impartially and without preference or prejudice due to relationship or friend.
- Additional information or supporting documentation can be requested from the applicant.
- Consider requests as they are received and report to the Rūnaka Manager.
- Give reason(s) for approving or not approving the application.
- The Office Manager and Office Account will be advised, and payment will be made to the successful applicant. Payments can take up to a week to be paid to your bank account.

The decision made by the Distribution Team in consultation with the Rūnaka Manager will be final.

### APPLICANT RESPONSIBILITIES

- Complete a Request for Whānau Engagement Fund Application Form which is available from the Rūnaka Office and online <u>http://www.puketeraki.nz/Wellbeing/</u>
- Attach all supporting documents e.g., quote, invoice, receipt, etc.
- Application must include a bank deposit slip or screenshot of bank account number.

Application for Whānau Engagement Funding from Kāti Huirapa Rūnaka ki Puketeraki				
Sections marked with an * must be completed.				
*Section 1 – Rūnaka Information				
Are you a registered member of Kāti Huirapa Rūnaka ki Puketeraki?				
Yes No				
If yes, by what whānau name ( <i>if different from below</i> ):				
If 'No', is the Recipient a registered member of Kāti Huirapa Rūnaka ki Puketeraki?				
Yes No				
If 'Yes', by what whānau name <i>(if different from below):</i>				
Are you or the Recipient Māori?				
If 'Yes', what is your iwi (tribe)?				
*Section 2 – Personal Identification Details				
Applicant Details: The person who is applying for the funding, usually a parent or caregiver, and must be over the age of 18.				
Surname:				
First Names:				
Date of Birth:				
Male Female				
Postal Address:				
Post Code:				
Home Phone: Mobile:				
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Email Address:	
Bank Account Details:	
(Please inc	clude a bank deposit slip or screen shot of bank account number)
If you are not the	Recipient, what is your relationship to the Recipient?
Recipient Details	: The recipient is the person the funds are for, usually the child or grandchild etc, of the applicant.
Surname:	
First Names:	
Date of Birth:	
	Male Female
Postal Address:	
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Post Code:	
Home Phone:	
Mobile:	
Email Address:	
Bank Account De	etails:
*Section 3 – Ap	plication Information
Is this the Recipie Huirapa Rūnaka	ent's first application for Whānau Engagement Funding from Kāti ki Puketeraki?
	Yes No
If you tick NO ple	ease detail funding assistance previously received and in what year
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	n that you are applying for a Whānau Engagement grant?
What is the reaso	on that you are applying for a Whānau Engagement grant? ny relative supporting evidence)

e.g. school shoes for m	y daughter; schoolbooks fo	or my son; swimming	lessons for child

\*Section 4 – Signatures

I certify that all information supplied in this application is true and correct.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Recipient's Signature (if not the Applicant)

Date