

We are Northland CHAMPs!

We are excited to continue on our Positive Behaviour for Learning (PB4L) journey and make it visual around the school. Our values are a key part of what PB4L will look like at Northland School and will underpin decisions we make. To keep them front of mind, we have been able to make the perfect acronym to describe what we want to be.

C - confident (whakamanawa)

H - hikohiko (active)

A - auahatanga (creative)

M - manaaki (kind)

P - pataitai (curious)

As part of our PB4L journey, we have been starting to talk about expected behaviour in different areas in the school. We have started with the playground, office and library, as well as talked about expected behaviour during eating time. We have made matrices of expected behaviour using CHAMP which will start to appear around the school.

We want CHAMP to become part of our everyday school language as a way of acknowledging students. For example, being a classroom CHAMP, a library CHAMP, an athletics CHAMP or a friendship CHAMP. We look forward to encouraging many different types of Northland CHAMPs. Keep a lookout for our community workshop.

We have worked with students, staff and parents to inform our expectations when we are in the playground. The playground matrix is visible around the school, helping us to show how we can be Northland Champs in all spaces. Our school values are at the heart of our positive behaviour for learning frameworks that we are developing together. You may like to talk about this at home.