



KAIAPOI  
High School

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## GOVERNANCE POLICY

The Board emphasises strategic leadership rather than administrative detail, has a clear distinction of Board and staff roles, concentrates on the future rather than past or present, and is pro-active rather than reactive.

All elected, appointed and co-opted trustees, whether they are parent, staff or student representatives, come to the Board table entrusted to ensure effective governance, despite the different perspectives they bring to Board discussions. Individuals are neither advocates nor delegates with sectional interests but work for positive outcomes for all concerned.

The Kaiapoi High School Board of Trustees to be made up of the following positions:

- Principal.
- One staff representative.
- One student representative.
- Six elected parent representatives (three elected in the same year as local government elections and three in the following year).
- The School will endeavour to have at least one Maori representative on the Board.