

# PUNA WĀNANGA

Walking strong in the world to build and better our community

Projects • Pathways • Passions

These choices are for your Wednesday Puna Wānanga (Projects, Passions + Pathways).

You will **select three different choices** you are interested in and you will be put in ONE of your choices.

[Google Selection Form](#)

	NAME	KAMAR CODE	HOW MIGHT WE STATEMENT	WHAT IS ABOUT?
	RESOURCE REVIVAL	RESREV	<b>How might we</b> create a sustainable future where resources are used responsibly?	Our planet's a giant treasure chest, filled with amazing resources. But we're spending them like crazy! If we keep going, we'll run out. That's where revival comes in. It's like a superhero mission to save our planet! We can clean up messes, use things wisely, and discover new, cool ways to get energy.
	CITY SQUEEZE	CITYSQ	<b>How might we</b> address the challenges of growing cities?	Our cities, like bustling hubs of activity, can sometimes feel overwhelmed. By improving transportation, creating robust infrastructure, and sustainable resource management, we can create vibrant, livable spaces where everyone can thrive.

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	<b>ENVIRONMENTAL RECOVERY</b>	ENRECV	<b>How might we</b> create a future where we can enjoy a healthy planet and a good quality of life?	Our planet is facing challenges, but together, we can create a brighter future. By reducing pollution, protecting our forests, and using resources wisely, we can nurture a healthier, happier Earth for all living things.
	<b>SUSTAINABLE FUTURES</b>	SUSTFU	<b>How might we</b> promote sustainable living?	Are you ready to help shape the future? As our world continues to grow and change, we face increasing challenges. It's up to us to create sustainable ways of living. Help create a brighter future for yourself and generations to come.
	<b>INNOVATE X</b>	INNX	<b>How might we</b> support conscious decision-making when it comes to consumption?	Our world is a giant shopping mall, and it's like a never-ending cycle of buying, using, and throwing away. We're constantly bombarded with ads and shiny new gadgets, and we're always wanting more.
	<b>GEN-TOGETHER</b>	GENTOG	<b>How might we</b> think outside the box and spark innovative ideas?	Are you ready to be an innovator? In today's rapidly changing world, innovation is essential for solving complex problems and creating a better future. In the words of Bigweld from the movie Robots: "See a need, fill a need."
	<b>PROMOTING DIVERSITY</b>	PRODIV	<b>How might we</b> challenge stereotypes and promote understanding and respect for diversity?	A world where everyone feels valued and respected is a world filled with opportunity, prosperity, and happiness. Let's embrace diversity and celebrate our unique qualities. By challenging stereotypes and fostering inclusivity, we can create a brighter future for all. Together, we can make a positive impact on our communities.

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	<b>GAP BUSTER</b>	GAPBUS	<b>How might we</b> promote equal opportunities for all?	Imagine a world where everyone feels safe, seen, and heard. A world where opportunity isn't limited by background, but by potential. Together, we can break down barriers and create a more just and fair society. Let's inspire change and show the world that we believe in a future where everyone belongs.
	<b>FUTURE-READY</b>	FUTRED	<b>How might we</b> develop tools and resources that help people bounce back from setbacks and adapt to new circumstances?	Are you ready to thrive in the future? In today's fast-paced world, adaptability is key. Let's work together to equip people with the knowledge they need to succeed in all areas of life. By addressing challenges like job displacement and life's ups and downs, we can build a more resilient and prosperous workforce for everyone.
	<b>TECH TRAP</b>	TECTRA	<b>How might we</b> balance the benefits of technology with the importance of connecting with the world?	Are you or someone you know a digital zombie mindlessly swiping and scrolling? In today's digital world, it's easy to get lost. But there's so much more to life! It's time to reconnect with the world around us.
	<b>SUPPORT SQUAD</b>	SUPSQU	<b>How might we</b> create a more compassionate community where everyone feels supported?	Want to make a positive impact? Let's help those in need and build a stronger, more compassionate community. Together, we can make a difference.
	<b>EQUAL BYTES</b>	EQUBYT	<b>How might we</b> create a digital world where everyone has equal access to opportunities and resources?	Tech is changing everything, but is everyone getting a fair shot? Some people have way more access to cool tech than others. That's not cool! Let's make sure everyone can use tech to learn, have fun, and reach their goals.

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	<b>LOCAL GUARDIANS</b>	LOCGUUA	<b>How might we</b> use innovative ways to provide solutions for unexpected situations?	In tough times, every little bit counts. As a Local Guardian, you can be a beacon of hope for those in need. Think outside the box and find innovative ways to help your community.
	<b>GLOBAL HEALTH CRISIS</b>	GLOHEA	<b>How might we</b> address the causes of health inequalities to ensure that everyone can live healthy lives?	Can we create a world where everyone feels healthy and happy? Let's explore how we can tackle the root causes of health problems and make sure everyone has the resources they need to thrive. Together, we can build a healthier, happier future for everyone.
	<b>CULTURAL PRESERVATION</b>	CULPRE	<b>How might we</b> foster a sense of belonging and community among people from diverse backgrounds?	Let's build a community where everyone feels like they belong. Social cohesion is about celebrating our differences and working together. By understanding and appreciating different cultures, we can create a stronger, more vibrant community for everyone.
	<b>FOOD SECURITY</b>	FOODSE	<b>How might we</b> make sure everyone has access to nutritious food, no matter where they live or how much money they have?	Are you ready to join the food fight? Good food is a basic human right, but it's getting harder to come by. With a growing population and the cost of living increasing, we need to find new ways to make sure everyone has enough of the good stuff to eat.
	<b>INFORMED CITIZEN</b>	INFOCIT	<b>How might we</b> promote fact-based content and combat misinformation?	In today's interconnected world, it's more important than ever to be informed about current events, engage in civic participation, and contribute to positive social change. By being aware, engaged, and active, you can help solve problems and make the world a better place.

## WEDNESDAY PATHWAY OPTIONS\*

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NAME	KAMAR CODE	WHO CAN SELECT?	WHAT IT IS ABOUT?
MODEL UNITED NATIONS	MUN	Open to all students	A simulation of the United Nations where high school students represent different countries. They debate on global issues, negotiate with other delegates, and learn about international diplomacy. It's a great opportunity to develop critical thinking, public speaking, and leadership skills.
COACHING & EVENT MANAGEMENT	COACH	Year 12 and 13 Students Only	A coaching and event management course that will teach you how to plan, organise, and execute successful events. You'll learn about leadership, communication, problem-solving, and teamwork. You'll also explore coaching techniques to guide and support others, making you a valuable asset in various fields.
UNISTART	UNISTA	Year 13 Students Only	If you're a Year 13 school student, <u>Waikato's Unistart programme</u> gives you a head-start in education by letting you take university papers while you're still at school. You will need an NCEA Level 2 Certificate or above endorsed with merit or excellence. <u>Expression of Interest Form</u>
INTERNSHIP	INTERN	Year 13 Students Only	<b>Internships</b> are hands-on learning experiences that provide you with the opportunity to explore future career opportunities in an area of interest. You will need to have organised your own placement. <i>Note: these MUST NOT be with your current employer and legally have to be an unpaid experience.</i>

\*See Te Hinaki for more Pathway 2025 Options

# TIMETABLE BUILDER

# BUILD

**YOUR SELECTIONS FOR 2025:**  
Write out the selections you will enter into the course selection form. Check this with your parents/caregivers at home. Once you are happy, enter into the form. Once you have entered you WILL NOT be able to make changes.

COURSE SELECTION	OPTION 1 From Sem A	OPTION 2 From Sem A	OPTION 3 From Sem A	OPTION 1 From Sem B	OPTION 2 From Sem B	OPTION 3 From Sem B
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	E1	E2	E3			