



**WHAT MAKES A
GREAT TEACHER?**

What makes a great teacher?

Enthusiastic and Passionate about their job – smiling, they impart their passion onto you, greeting the kids into the classroom

Willingness to engage with the students – not just content delivery,

Helps out and gets along with students

**Won't reign hell from above – more measured in their response to behaviour/
clearer with management strategy**

Listens to and values student opinion

Cares and respects students

Is interactive with the students – tapping into student led teaching

Entertaining – not boring, fun

Keeps control controlled

**Can teach – being prepared to teach, a variety of teaching methods/outcomes/
avoiding repetition, extension work for faster workers**

Sense of humour

Ensure students understand stuff – catering to different learning styles

Treats everyone equally



WHEN IS ORARA HS
AT OUR BEST?

When is Orara HS at our best?

**Carnivals – Swimming, Aths, X Country
Football**

Having a laugh

CAPA Nights – something out of the ordinary

Elective Classes

Excursions & Camps – Coastal Walk

Last day of term

Rap Battles – Cake Stalls – Lunchtime stuff

Practical lessons PE, Woodwork, PASS, outdoor rec (active learning)



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GREAT IF...?

Wouldn't it be great if?

More sport – more rep sport and time for sport in general

More variety of food in canteen – healthier too

More elective classes per week

More lenient teachers

No bullying

Everyone was 'happy' at school

More excursions

More equipment/resources

More promoted opportunities – barista courses etc...

Better assignment schedule

More participation in sport/carnivals

Free food – breakfast club

Better toilets...



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WHAT ARE THE
BARRIERS TO THIS?

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Can't do anything about

Changing the curriculum

Can do something about

Cooperation

Educating our peers

Participation rates

Getting a school bus

Culture

Sourcing produce

Money

Resources

Time



SO...
WHAT WOULD YOU
LIKE TO DO?

What would you like to do?

Fundraising – cake stalls, bunnings, cadbury chocs, socials, local business

Garden Club – to grow produce for canteen – using the ag farm

Donate produce fundraiser

Bring cultures together through sport/learning

Excursions as rewards

Kids can bring stuff in