### **TOKOMARU SCHOOL**

## PROCEDURE 1.1.6



# **AGRICULTURAL DAY PROCEDURE**

#### **RATIONALE:**

The school's Agricultural Day plays an important role in the life of the school community.

#### **PURPOSES:**

- To provide children with the opportunity to engage in healthy competition on a local and or district basis.
- To promote responsibility and education of caring for animals and plants.
- To provide the opportunity to participate in a range of activities.

## **GUIDELINES:**

- 1. To follow the rules and suggestions outlined in the Guides for Competitors from the Horowhenua Boys and Girls Agricultural Club.
- 2. New Entrants (5yrs+) must be enrolled and attending school by the commencement of Term Four.
- 3. Principal and staff, with the help of parents, to organise Agricultural Day activities.
- 4. Participating children shall receive recognition of their efforts (certificate/ribbon/rosette).
- 5. All children will have the opportunity to participate in a range of activities ie floral, mini-scene, gardening, animal care, and baking.
- 6. The Principal will advise parents/caregivers, prior to the day by way of a newsletter, the arrangements for the drop off for animals/competitions etc (baking etc). These arrangements may change from year to year due to the ground conditions etc leading up to the day.

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