

## HIGHLANDS INTERMEDIATE - TE KURA TAKAWAENGA O PUKEKURA

### Nga Maunga Nga Awa Badge

#### The four great walks of HIGHLANDS INTERMEDIATE - TE KURA TAKAWAENGA O PUKEKURA

Your challenge is to complete the four great walks connected to our kura

1. Climbing the Pouakai track to the hut and tarns
2. Climbing the Kaitake Peak to the trig
3. Walking the Te Hēnui walkway.
4. Walking the Huatoki walk way

You can complete these challenges over time then hand in the evidence together. Once completed hand your work into the Deputy Principals. When completed 2 points can be added to your section of your CV in the area of your choice. This can be presented: On paper, digitally or using mixed media (Slideshow/Video)

**Pouakai** - Walk the Pouakai Track from the top of Mangorei Road.

- Take a selfie with the Mangorei Roadhead Sign in the background (This is at the start of the track).
- Take a selfie with the Pouakai Tarns in the background. Explain in your words what the term Ruahumoko mean.
- Answer the following questions linked to the Pouakai Hut; How many toilets are there? How many Bunk rooms are there? How many sinks are in the kitchen area? What member of the New Plymouth Tramping club is the hut dedicated to?



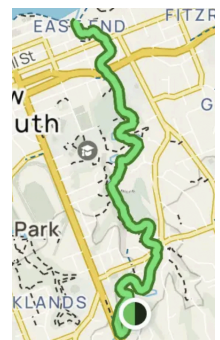
**Kaitake** - Walk the Kaitake Track from Surrey Hill Road or Lucy's Gully.

- Take a selfie with the Patahu Trig in the Background.
- Take a photo of the Ammo Box by the trig and record the contents inside.
- Take a photo of one of the coloured triangles on the edge of the track and find out what their purpose is.



**Te Hēnui** - Walk the Te Hēnui walkway from Durham Ave to East End Reserve.

- Record and present the information from the original Te Hēnui Bridge plaque (the one by the croquet club).
- Take a selfie with the Durham Ave Entrance sign in the background.
- Take a selfie with the East End Entrance Sign in the background.
- Find 10 facts about the 3 Pa sites adjacent to the walkway from the signs on the walkway.
- Research and present 5 facts about 1 tree, 1 insect, 1 bird and one water creature that calls the Te Hēnui home.



**Huatoki** - Walk the Huatoki Walkway from the Huatoki Street single lane bridge to Pukeariki Landing.

- Take a selfie with the old weir in the river (near the tennis courts) - what do you think this was used for?
- Take a selfie with the bridge at the bottom of Sycamore Grove in the back ground.
- Take a selfie with the grindstones in the background ( near Red Coat Lane) - record information from the information signs about the stones origins and uses.
- Research and present information on how the Pukeariki Landing area has changed over the years.
- Research and present 5 facts about 1 tree, 1 insect, 1 bird and one water creature that calls the Huatoki home. (these need to be different from the ones selected for the Te Hēnui).



Research and present information on the english translation/meaning of each of our whanau names.

\* When researching information please remember to include the name of the book or website you used. Please do not cut and paste information off the internet. You need to re-write information.