

## Haka and School Waiata

Welcome - these are the words for the school waiata and song that are used at many of our school functions. We encourage parents and whanau to learn and sing with us.

### Karakia

Whakataka te hau ki te uru	Cease the winds from the West Cease the winds from the South
Whakataka te hau ki te tonga	Let the gentle breezes blow over the land Let the gentle breezes blow over the coast
Kia mākinakina ki uta	Let there be a red tip dawn
Kia mātaratara ki tai	Nip in the air, touch of frost, fragrance in the air
Kia hī ake ana te atakura	'Tis the breath of life
He tio, he huka, he hau hu	
Tihei Mauri ora	
Ki runga	Everything above
Ki raro	Everything below
Ki roto	Internally
Ki waho	and externally
Rirerire hau, Pai Marire	Good faith to all

## Te Haka O Whakāhurangi - Stratford High School Haka

Taranaki Maunga, e ngunguru nei I au, au, aue ha, Hi	<i>Taranaki Mountain rise up</i>
Aotea Waka, e ngunguru nei I au, au, aue ha, Hi	<i>Aotea Canoe rise up</i>
Te Kura Tuarua o Whakāhurangi, e ngunguru nei, I au, au, aue ha	<i>Stratford High School rise up</i>
Ka tū te ihi, ihi ka tū te wanawana, ki runga i te rangi e tū iho nei Aue tū iho nei, hi, aue e hi.	<i>Let the power and inspiration that resides here Rise up to the heavens Above us. Hi.</i>
<b><u>Takatū i a tātou mo te Haka</u></b>	<i>Ready ourselves for the haka</i>
<b><u>Ko te Amorangi ki mua</u></b>	<i>Leaders to the front</i>
<b><u>Ko te Hāpai ō ki muri</u></b>	<i>Supporters to the rear</i>
<b><u>Tēnei te Kura o Whakāhurangi e</u></b> ā hi, aue, aue, hi!	<i>This is the Whakāhurangi school</i>
Titiro ki a tātou kia tātou ngā tamariki o Taranaki Maunga Hanake i a matauranga ka hāere mai te mohiotanga i a matauranga me mohiotanga Hanake te whakakotahitanga Titiro kia kōutou ko wai kōutou Ko te kotahitanga mō te ao katoa i a Whakāhurangi e, ā hi, aue, hi!	<i>Look at us. Let us the children of Taranaki mountain Grow in his splendour and you will be enlightened In his knowledge and understanding Grow together Let's look at them. Who are they Tis unity for the world and indeed Whakāhurangi</i>

Written in 2010 | 2011 by Te Reo Māori students from SHS and Matua Clive Tonga Awhikau

## **Stand Tall and Proud**

### **Stratford High School Song**

*Written by Tyler Stachurski in 2012 for Stratford High School as part of his Year 13 Music course.*

#### Verse 1

Nga Tangata, Bound together as one  
Ka tu mo te maunga, There for everyone  
(harmony) Kia haere mai, Come and see for yourselves  
Ko tenei kura, take pride in ourselves

#### Chorus

In the heart of Taranaki (Whakaahurangi)  
We stand tall and proud (Stand tall and proud)  
Kia aroha atu(Aroha atu)  
(All) Aroha hoki mai

#### Verse 2

Nga akonga, the future of a nation  
Nga kaiako, leading the generation  
(harmony) Te mana, our pride is flowing on through  
Kia haere mai koutou, The choice is up to you

#### Chorus

In the heart of Taranaki (Whakaahurangi)  
We stand tall and proud (Stand tall and proud)  
Kia aroha atu(Aroha atu)  
(all) Aroha hoki mai

#### Instrumental

Kia aroha atu(Aroha atu)  
Aroha hoki mai  
In the heart of Taranaki (Whakaahurangi e)