

Nāku rourou, Nau rourou, ka
ora ai te mātauranga ngā
ākonga

*'With my basket of knowledge
and your basket of knowledge
we will empower the learners'*



Who are we?

Experienced classroom teachers
who have completed or are in the
process of undergoing specialised
university training.

RTLTB work with schools/teachers to
support Year 0-10 students with
learning and behaviour differences
in a culturally responsive way.



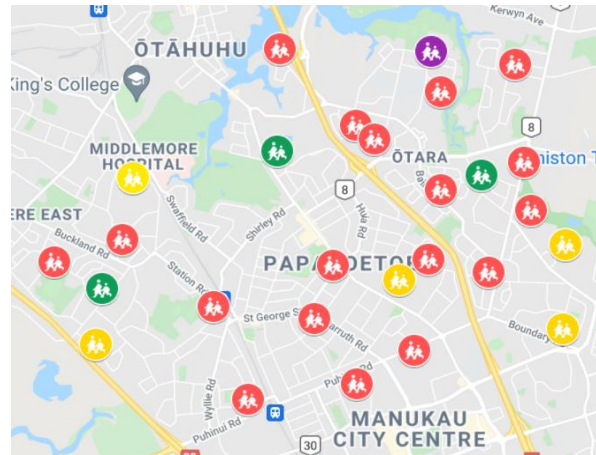
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Where do we service?

Manawanui Cluster has 4 teams consisting of 29 RTLB, who work in 29 Otara and Papatoetoe schools with a student population of approximately 16,500.



RTLB undertake to:

Work collaboratively

Improve student academic achievement and behaviour by assisting teachers to develop inclusive classroom environments

Promote parent/caregiver and community involvement

Collaborate with other professionals and support services

Support Learning Support initiatives within schools

Provide Professional Development for teachers as needed

How we work

We follow the 7 phases of **He Pikorua** for our casework:

Whakawhanaungatanga / Build Connections

Kohikohi / Gather Information

Āta Whakaaro / Sense Making

Tātai / Plan Collaboratively

Whakamahi / Take Action with Integrity

Whai Whakaaro / Reflect Together

Mana otuhake / Empower Others

RTLB Principles

- Inclusive teaching
- Culturally Responsive
- Ecological Approach
- Collaborative and seamless model of service
- Strengths-based
- Reflective
- Evidence-based
- Professional

Professional Initiatives

- **IYT** – Incredible Years For Teachers
- **IYA** – Incredible Years Autism
- **BAS** – Bilingual Assessment Services
- **Transition**
 - ECE – Primary,
 - Primary – Intermediate,
 - Intermediate – College
- **Inclusion**
- **Seasons for Growth** - change, loss and grief education programme

