Ōpāwa School - Give Me 5

Our school values the contribution of parents, whānau and family to our children's learning and the life of the school. We understand that your time is valuable and want to make it easy for you to help your child and the school in a way that is right for you. We are using the Give Me 5 programme, developed by the NZ Parent Teacher Association (NZPTA), to help us do this in 2021.



Why Volunteer?

Actions always speak louder than words. When children see you showing that you care about education, they care too. They also learn the value of helping others.

When you sign up for Give Me 5....

- You offer to give at least 5 hours of your time to help our school during the year.
- We give you a choice of many ways to volunteer for our school.
- You tell us how you'd like to be involved and how you can be contacted.
- You enjoy seeing the smile on your child's face when they see you helping out at school.

What counts as volunteering?

Doing anything that helps your child and our school counts towards your Give Me 5 hours. Some activities can be done at home, or outside of school hours, if you are not able to come into school. Some examples are:

- Helping get children to and from school safely by supervising road patrol
- Supporting our Band Programme (music) by assisting with setting up or packing away practise areas
- Becoming a Book Buddy
- Coaching a sports team
- Lending a hand at a school event or working bee
- Being parent help for a class trip

How do I get involved?

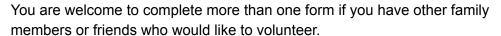
To express your interest in volunteering at Ōpāwa School this year, please complete the attached form and return it to the red box in the office or give it to your child's teacher.

If you have any questions please email robyn@opawa.school.nz

Thanks in advance for your support and best wishes for a fantastic 2021! Robyn and the team at Ōpāwa School

Give Me 5 Volunteer Sign-up Form

Thank you for offering to volunteer 5 hours of your time to support our school this year. To help us make this a rewarding experience for you, please complete this form and return it to school.





Your Name:			
l pre	efer to be contacted via: email phone		
Email address:		Phone Number:	
Chil	d's Name/s and Class/es: (or teacher name):		
l am	n interested in learning more about the follo	wing opp	ortunities (tick all that apply) :
	Whānau Group		Home and School Committee (HAS)
	Kapa haka		HAS Helpers
	Road Patrol supervision (before/after		Sausage sizzle (school hours, term 2)
sc	hool)		Baking for fundraising or community
	Supporting the verandah classes with the		events
ve	getable garden		Community event support e.g. picnics,
	Sports coaching or support		Matariki
	Supporting the Band Programme		Gardening
	Parent help for class trips		Working Bee to tidy the school grounds
	Book Buddy reading programme		Other
	Other		
	ecting these options does not commit you to any		
	gisters your interest and allows us to contact you w you, or someone you know, have any skills, expe		
•	villing to volunteer/donate to support the school		ccess to goods of services that you would
	~ Builders ~ Graphic des		~ Landscapers
	~ IT specialists ~ Painters		~ Dressmakers
	~ Publishers ~ Plumbers		~ Musicians
Or p	erhaps you may have access to prizes for fundraise	ers	
We	would appreciate any comments or feedback.		