



## Education Report: Māori Education: Briefing to the Incoming Minister

<b>To:</b>	Hon Chris Hipkins. Minister of Education		
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### Purpose of report

This paper provides you with a Briefing as Incoming Minister of Education, covering Māori education. The briefing is intended for your information and forwarding to relevant Associate Ministers, if you agree, once delegations have been confirmed.

### Comment

1. The attached briefing on Māori Education (Annex 1) provides background information including a description of:
  - a. the Māori population
  - b. the Māori education strategies and how these have been implemented and supported
  - c. the success of Māori children, young people and students in education, noting that significant gains are needed.
2. A more in-depth briefing is being prepared to provide information on the tertiary education system and how it is performing for Māori.

## Recommended Actions

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The Ministry of Education recommends you:

- a. **note** the content of the Māori Education Briefing to the Incoming Minister **Noted**
- b. **agree** to refer the Māori Education Briefing to the Incoming Minister, to the relevant Associate Ministers of Education **Agree / Disagree**



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## Annex

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Annex 1: Māori Education: Briefing to the Incoming Minister