



## Can I visit other places in New Zealand?

Yes, you can – and the school will help you. The International Department at William Colenso College is happy to help facilitate holiday plans. However, in the interests of student safety and welfare, the school will support approved travel plans only.

It is important for you and your parents to understand that while you are in New Zealand under the provisions of a Student Visa, the school is responsible for your safety. With this in mind, whenever you wish to travel away from Napier – whether it be for one night or several weeks – ***you must discuss your plans with the International Director.*** This excludes organised school trips of course.

The following holiday travel plans are likely to be approved:

- Travel with host family or natural parents visiting New Zealand.
- Travel to other centres where accommodation is with friends of homestay family or with approved homestay providers.
- Special student holiday tours organised by one of the companies listed below. These companies specialise in tours for international high school students studying in New Zealand and comply with the 'Code of Practice ....' .

Flying Kiwi – [www.flyingkiwi.com](http://www.flyingkiwi.com)

New Zealand Educational Tours (NZET): [www.nzet.com](http://www.nzet.com)

International Student Tours: [www.studenttours.co.nz](http://www.studenttours.co.nz)

In.Tuition Travel: [www.intuition.net.nz](http://www.intuition.net.nz)

Active Planet Student Tours: [www.active-planet.com](http://www.active-planet.com)

School approval will not normally be given for:

Travel during the school term

Accommodation in backpackers – except on organised tours

Any travel not deemed appropriate

