

## Our Vision

To be an outstanding provider of alternative education and social development for youth at risk

## Our Pledge

Provide a safe, holistic, structured environment that is innovative, helps develop mutual respect, trust, responsibility, self-worth and a sense of community

## The School Timetable

- 9:00am to 3:00pm (half days on Fridays)
- A four-term year, with a week of adventure based learning
- Supervised, structured, academic work in the mornings
- Social development, life-skills training, arts and creative education in the afternoons

## What Does It Cost ?

For most students, Mission for Youth charges \$50 per term per student – this covers student ID, classroom stationery and external activities

Daily lunch is provided to all students

Parents/caregivers are responsible for travel costs to and from the school

## How Do I Enrol?

Referrals can be made by the principal and/or students' guidance counsellor, a parent, a representative agency.

The process involves an enrolment interview between the student, parent/caregiver and/or referring agency and school.



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**Mission For Youth**



## Mission For Youth

The aim of the programme is to support at-risk youth and assist them to achieve positive direction in their lives

### We do this by:

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- For students struggling with mainstream education
- Students that have a history of truancy
- Those lacking self-esteem and direction in their lives
- In need of guidance and advocacy
- Between 14 – 16 years of age
- Need to improve their academic and working life

- Providing opportunities for students to:
  - become motivated
  - learn new skills
  - set realistic goals for the future
  - enjoy positive learning in a safe environment
  - gain recognised qualifications
- Working one-to-one with students helping them to overcome their problems, re-establish and develop their learning styles
- Helping students re-build their self esteem and confidence through life skills health and self awareness education
- Helping students to make the transition to tertiary training or paid employment through vocational skills development and post programme support
- Offering creative arts, drama, sports, recreation and music
- One-to-one coaching in NZQA unit standards



## Mission For Youth

The Wellington City Mission has been assisting people for over 100 years. It is a Charitable Trust affiliated to the Anglican Church. The programmes are available to everyone needing help, regardless of religious belief, ethnicity or social background.

