



How connected and committed are your students to their learning? How do you know?

Me and My School is a unique, research-based student engagement survey designed for New Zealand students Years 4 to 10. It offers a snapshot of the learning culture in your school, standardised data to track progress over time and a nationally referenced gender, ethnicity, and year level comparison.

## Me & My School offers:

There are two versions of the Me and My School survey; one designed for students in Years 7 to 10, and a junior version for Years 4 to 6. The survey is easy to administer, completely anonymous, and asks students to report their level of agreement to a series of statements regarding affective, behavioural and cognitive aspects of engagement. It provides:

- · anonymous data through whole school, class, year level, gender, and ethnic filters
- rich reporting information that tells your school's story
- · a statistical framework for tracking aspects of engagement over time
- · a separate report showing student engagement with reading

## **Benefits**

- · Starting point for Community of Learning (CoL) Achievement Challenges and school cluster-wide sharing of trends and patterns through ethnic, gender and year level standardised data.
- The student engagement scale offers both position and tracking of student progress over time.
- Improved knowledge of how your students behave as learners, whether they like learning and feel they are learning.

NZCER's Education Advisor, Cathie Johnson, can provide support and challenge for how to use the survey results to define or address the problem for improvement. Contact Cathie Johnson at cathie.johnson@nzcer.org.nz for more information.

## Surveys available online or on paper

When registering for the Me and My School survey, you can choose.

- To register or to find out more http://www.nzcer.org.nz/tests/meand-my-school
- **Completing the survey online** You will receive a password for access into the NZCER survey site and instructions for your administrator.
- Completing the survey on paper You will receive a survey pack which includes instructions for your administrator, survey forms, and envelopes for each class doing the survey.
- For questions or advice on registering assessmentservices@nzcer.org.nz or call Assessment Services on (04) 802 1630

"It is affirming, challenging and enlightening to have clear feedback on specific factors that impact on student learning."

Allan Robertson, Yaldhurst School







