# Resource Teachers: Learning and Behaviour

#### 5 September 2011

Two ways for you to keep up-to-date with the steps to February 2012 are via this newsletter and Te Kete Ipurangi <u>http://rtlb.tki.org.nz/Transforming-RTLB-service</u>

### Update

- The lead school application process is now underway. Applications close at 4pm on Monday 19 September.
- You can find formal lead school requirements and application documents online. Following feedback there have been some changes to the draft versions previously published.
- There has been a delay in finalising the employment transition process while we consult with the unions. We hope to have a clearer picture by the time lead schools are appointed.

### Details on cluster operational resourcing

Information on cash resourcing for the new clusters will be available when we have completed consultation with the unions. We will clarify the specific details before agreements are signed. A successful lead school can advise the Ministry at that stage if it no longer wishes to proceed to signing.

## Changes to lead school application documents

Minor changes have been made to the Application document and Draft Funding and Service Agreement on TKI. Please take time to review these documents to ensure you are up to date.

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Cash resourcing information is not yet confirmed

### Lead school applications

The lead school application process is now underway. If your school board is interested in applying for this role, please visit our website to download the application form.

Lead schools will play a vital role in strengthening and enhancing the success of this service. One lead school per cluster is being appointed. It is intended that the lead school will become the sole fund holder and employer for the RTLB service within the cluster in some cases this may be a progressive process.

The role is open to all state and state-integrated school boards. Applications need to be received by **4pm on Monday 19 September** to:

Ministry of Education Level 3 Reception, St Pauls Square 45–47 Pipitea Street PO Box 1666 Thorndon WELLINGTON

Attention: Indira Parmar, Special Education

Application forms can be downloaded at <u>http://rtlb.tki.org.nz/Transforming-RTLB-</u>service/Lead-School-Applications

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