

# University of Canterbury - 2018 Great Kiwi English, Science, and Mathematics Competitions at Greenpark School.



Dear Parents and Caregivers

Greenpark School has previously invited those students who demonstrate a strength in some of the areas outlined below to participate in the ICAS testing. This year we are replacing this with a New Zealand designed competition through the University of Canterbury. The University is offering your child the opportunity to participate in the Great KIWI English, Mathematics and Science competitions. These competitions take place annually and are designed by New Zealand teachers for New Zealand students based on the New Zealand curriculum.

The competitions are administered by the Centre for Evaluation and Monitoring (CEM) at the University of Canterbury. The competitions are open to all Year 5–10 students in English, Mathematics and Science. Students can enter in one or more subjects. The competition can provide teachers, parents and students with an independent, comprehensive record of a student’s performance in key school subjects. The supervised online tests will take place in the last 3 weeks of Term 2. As you pay for this competition, please consider carefully if your child has the skills and knowledge to confidently attempt this formal testing online. Certificates will be sent to all participating students and prizes will be awarded to top students.

Entries are administered by the school. For further information, please consult the CEM website [www.canterbury.ac.nz/cem](http://www.canterbury.ac.nz/cem)

Please go to Kindo on the school website or return this completed form to the school office by Wed 11<sup>th</sup> April, No late entries will be accepted.

I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_

DOB \_\_\_\_\_ Room \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

to participate in the 2018 KIWI competitions.

Please select the subjects you would like your child to enter.

Subject	Entry (Inc GST)	Fees enclosed
English	\$8.50	
Mathematics	\$8.50	
Science	\$8.50	
Total		\$

Name of parent /caregiver \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_