



Share Nature. Share Life.

Teaching children about growing good food and looking after the soil and our planet is an important next step for Paengaroa Pupils who have been experimenting with small class gardens over the last few years. The community garden is a natural next step. It will involve some fun and some work.

Comvita New Zealand have donated a new Community Garden Development to the families of Paengaroa. Situated on the corner of the school grounds, on both sides of the school house driveway. The gardens consist of 8 raised beds and 4 large planting beds. 2 compost bins, a shipping container equipment shed and a new shade house / seed raising shelter. Heritage fruit trees will be planted around the site as well.

This is a very exciting development and we look forward to opening the garden formally before the end of the year and then getting the pupils and their families to help look after the food that will grow for all to enjoy through Christmas and the new year.



Pictures of the opening in December 2015:





