



## Kowhai Year 4 Knowledge'athon Test Questions 2021

1. What is the capital city of New Zealand?
2. What is the largest lake in New Zealand?
3. What is the highest mountain in New Zealand?
4. What is the longest river in New Zealand?
5. What is the stretch of water between the North and South Islands called?
6. Who is New Zealand's current Governor General?
7. Who was the first explorer to reach the South Pole?
8. What special festival takes place in Queenstown each June/July?
9. What city is the 'City of Sails'?
10. Which famous explorer sailed the Endeavour to New Zealand?
11. How did the early immigrants come to NZ in 1840?
12. What is the name of the famous movie trilogy filmed in New Zealand and based on J.R.R. Tolkien's books?
13. What is the name of the NZ cricket team?
14. A *kaka* is a brightly coloured \_\_\_\_\_
15. Which country is New Zealand's nearest neighbour?
16. What is another name for a killer whale?
17. What is the stretch of water between Australia and New Zealand called?
18. What is Auckland International Airport called?
19. In what sport would there be a goal attack position?
20. An albatross is a very large \_\_\_\_\_
21. What is the name of the NZ netball team?
22. Who is the Prime Minister of New Zealand?
23. How tall is Auckland's sky tower?
24. The surface of planet earth is covered mostly by ...
25. The prefix 'wai' is a Maori word meaning \_\_\_\_\_ .
26. Tangiwai is the site of \_\_\_\_\_ in 1953.
27. Who is Nanogirl?
28. What was signed at Waitangi in the Bay of Islands in 1840?
29. On what date do we remember ANZAC Day?
30. What are our Green Bay School expectations?