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| Job Title | **YC Tuakana – College Youth Minister** |
| Responsible to | **DRS and Principal** |
| Objective | **To facilitate student engagement in the Catholic Special Character life of the College and the wider Community.** |

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| **Key Tasks** |
| **● Support the Special Character of the College**   1. Be actively supportive of the Special Character of the College and the values of Jesus Christ on which it is based. 2. Participate in and, where appropriate, help facilitate the events and practices of the College which relate to its Special Character. 3. Create an environment of respectful relationships, love, positivity and collaboration which facilitates the daily encounter of staff and students with Christ. 4. Act as a positive role model at all times. 5. Be actively involved in the extra-curricular student programmes. 6. Adopt behaviour management strategies in accordance with the school’s values. 7. Be aware and supportive of staff health and safety, physical, emotional and spiritual wellbeing.   **● Facilitate engagement of College students with the wider Catholic Community**   1. Seek advice, support and professional development where necessary and possible. 2. Lead and grow an active outreach program whereby students of this College support the Special Character activities of our local Primary and Secondary schools. 3. Facilitate engagement of our students with local Parish and church Faith communities – including, but not limited to, planning and facilitating regular liturgical practice led by our students. 4. Assist in strengthening an active Social Justice program within the Student community that seeks to realize the words of Jesus Christ:   *“I was hungry, I was thirsty, I was in prison, I was sick, I was naked and you helped me, clothed me, visited me, took care of me”*  **● Support the day-to-day well-being of students within this College**   1. Assist in facilitating and growing an effective mentoring program within the College. 2. Share with colleagues the pastoral duties of care and supervision. 3. Support on a daily basis, where appropriate and under direction and supervision of the Counsellor and Deputy Principal (Pastoral), individual students or groups who require specific interventions. 4. Assist, where appropriate, the delivery of aspects of the curriculum that relate directly to our Special Character.   **● Archdiocesan Young Church Team**   1. Maintain strong links to the Archdiocesan Young Church Team by regularly communicating and meeting with the team and other youth ministers for support, formation and collaboration. 2. Collaborating with other YC Tuakana and the ADW Young Church Team in joint projects for students in the local area (e.g. YAFA)   **● General**   1. Maintain effective, collegial and respectful working relationships with the staff of the school. 2. Contribute positively towards staff morale and school ethos and climate. 3. Undertake supervision duties as required. |

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