



HOOKED UP

Young People Healthy Relationship Panui

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Hooked up: Our aim is to co- create with taitamariki (young people) a healthy relationship App, that will support the development of healthy and safe taitamariki intimate partner relationships, and to support good decisions making within these relationships. We endeavour to develop, test, implement and disseminate the App across secondary schools in Aotearoa New Zealand. The App will include pathways to enable friends and whanau to help support taitamariki.
This project is funded by the Ministry of Business Innovation and Employment

MEET OUR TAITAMARIKI ADVISORY GROUP (TAG)

Role: To advise regarding planning and development, implementation, analysis and dissemination of the App.



Mia



Mauriora



Rawiri



George



Jack



Jordan



Zaniah

HOOKED UP'S TAITAMARIKI ADVISORY GROUP (TAG)

These talented and inspirational taitamariki, who are aged between 15-18 years old, are crucial to the App's development and the project's success. We feel very privileged to have them on the Research Team. This is what they had to say about what inspired them to be in TAG and what they like about the APP.

"Being immersed in this generations use of social media; the TAG team is ideal for making sure this app is usable for youth. I firmly believe this app will be a stepping stone for those in rocky situations. Ka pū te ruha, ka hao te rangatahi -The old net is cast aside, while the new net goes a-catching" (Rawiri)

"I am in the TAG group because I want to make a difference to people in our community. I think that this app will make a positive difference to taitamariki around New Zealand, and holds the potential to change attitudes towards taboo subjects - primarily domestic violence in New Zealand" (Jack)

"I feel very passionate about this issue [healthy relationships] and I want to help make Aotearoa a safer place. I believe this app is going to be important for our taitamariki, as it will allow easy access for anyone to get advice or help, confidentially and privately. It will hopefully help to lower the violence rate in Aotearoa" (Mia)

"There are lots of issues occurring in taitamariki lives. This app is more than a relationship app it is the perfect gateway for helping our generation in many ways" (Mauriora)

"I'm in the TAG because this app is really important for our taitamariki. I feel this app can help many people because abusive relationships are something we really need to talk about more, as it happens so often" (Jordan)

"Working in the TAG group has opened my eyes to some fundamental differences between guys and girls on relationships. TAG can assist to provide crucial care for teens who are in distress, around sensitive topics involving their relationships within the App, it will provide help" (George)

"I am thrilled to be apart of the TAG team as we develop a platform that can aid young people in difficult situations" (Zaniah)