



## Te Pākanga o Ōhaeawai



Remember to share your thoughts and questions with friends, whanau and classmates.

What makes the land at Ohaeawai so fertile and sought after?

What were Ngati Rangi successful at for many years before the disruption of colonisation and the arrival of the colonial troops?

How many troops did Colonel
Despard have in his fighting force?

Who was Pene Taui and why do Ngati Rangi regard him as a tūpuna and leader of great mana?

What was so significant about the building of St Michael's church and who is buried there?

What day did Colonel Despard order his men to make the final attack on the pā? How many of them died or were injured – and why?

What do you think were the three most significant and innovative aspects of the design and construction of the pa?

What happened at Kororāreka (Russell) on 11 March 1845, and how did it relate to Te Pakanga o Ohaeawai?

How has what you have learned and felt during your visit here changed your understanding of history and your ideas about our future?

