



MEET THE FLEET

HMNZS Canterbury

Pennant number: L421

Type: Multi Role Vessel (MRV)

Homeport:
Ōhinehou - Lyttelton

Role: Providing help and support after a disaster, and transporting personnel, vehicles, and supplies.



See the red background where the name is on the badge? All the other ships have white. Red was chosen because it's the sporting colour of Canterbury.



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HMNZS Canterbury helped evacuate people after the Kaikoura earthquake in 2016.

It wasn't just humans, also people's pets, including cats, dogs, and a beehive with around 30,000 bees (they couldn't count them all!).

OUR MOTTO

Kotahitanga –
Unity

FAST FACTS!



LENGTH

131 metres



SPEED

20 knots



DISPLACEMENT

9,000 tonnes



SHIP'S COMPANY (CREW)

Core crew of 78, but can carry up to 366 personnel

(this could include soldiers or other government agency staff)



CALL SIGN: ZMCR

