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UNDERGRADUATE TARGETED ADMISSION SCHEMES (UTAS)
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The University of Auckland is committed to meeting its responsibilities under the Treaty of Waitangi and to being a safe, inclusive and equitable place to study. We have zero tolerance for discrimination.

As part of that commitment, our Undergraduate Targeted Admission Schemes are alternative pathways to undergraduate study for Māori students and students from UTAS groups who have the potential to succeed at New Zealand’s leading University.

Who is UTAS for?

UTAS is available to eligible Māori applicants and those from the following UTAS groups:

- Pacific applicants
- Applicants with disabilities
- Applicants from low socio-economic backgrounds (school leavers from decile 1-3 schools)
- Applicants from refugee backgrounds

UTAS is not available to international students.

To find out more visit www.auckland.ac.nz/utas

How does UTAS work?

UTAS reserves a number of places in our undergraduate programmes for applicants who have met the University Entrance (UE) standard but have not met the guaranteed entry score for the programme of their choice.

UTAS students are expected to meet the same high academic standards as all other undergraduate students at the University.
How do I apply for UTAS?

Applicants who wish to be considered under UTAS must tick the appropriate box on their online Application for Admission form. Additional information may be required by some programmes.

What support is available?

Our University provides a range of support for students who are admitted through UTAS including:

- Orientation
- Help with course selection
- One-to-one support
- Additional tutorials
- Tuākana Learning Community for Māori and Pacific students
- Student Disability Services for students with disabilities

Contacts

If you have an enquiry about UTAS please contact the relevant faculty:

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