The programme is challenging and engaging, with fantastic teachers, facilities and overall course content.
The best one-year preparation for teaching
Add a Graduate Diploma in Teaching to your existing bachelor’s degree

**Work in NZ or overseas**
Teachers with a strong commitment to social justice, fairness and equity are in high demand in New Zealand and overseas, especially in Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths (STEM) subjects and Te Reo Māori. As New Zealand’s leading university for employer reputation, we are also the country’s top provider of high-quality graduates who provide equitable learning opportunities for our young people.

**Practical learning to prepare for your career**
You’ll be based with other university students in schools or centres throughout the year of study and form close relationships with teachers who are experts in their fields. You’ll also network and connect with principals and prospective employers, so you can secure a job before you graduate. You may also be on a higher starting salary as you already hold an undergraduate degree.

**Supporting your success**
With faculty clubs, events and a community vibe, you’ll leave the Faculty of Education and Social Work with friends for life and a student experience to remember. Study at the Epsom Campus, with access to a wide range of support services, including student associations, a specialised speech-language therapist, Rainbow Network and dedicated support services for Māori and Pacific students.

**Fund your studies**
Student allowances are available through StudyLink for these programmes. TeachNZ also offers multiple scholarships worth up to $10,000 each year, to support your study to become an exceptional teacher.

**Education in Aotearoa New Zealand**
Shape the minds of young adults

**Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Primary)**

**Key facts**
- Age focus: 5 to 13 years old
- Start date: 18 January 2021

**Scholarships:**
TeachNZ Scholarships are available

**Practicum:**
Spends 19 weeks gaining practical experience in schools, learning how to teach diverse learners. Plus, reflect on top teaching practice through “Māte Tahi Days”, where you will engage with expert teachers through video conference.

**Location:**
Epsom Campus, with free parking and a short walk to the buses, cafés and shops of Mt Eden village.

**Inspire primary school children**

**Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Secondary)**

**Key facts**
- Age focus: 11 to 18 years old
- Start date: 2 February 2021

**Scholarships:**
TeachNZ Scholarships are available

**Practicum:**
Spends 16 weeks gaining practical experience in secondary school classrooms, developing your teaching skills in your subject area.

**Location:**
Epsom Campus, with free parking and a short walk to the buses, cafés and shops of Mt Eden village.

**Inspire secondary school children**

**Study areas snapshot**
- The ideas that inform education in Aotearoa New Zealand
- Teaching your subject (you will be taught by lecturers who are specialists in teaching your subject discipline)
- Professional practice
- Te Reo Māori, Māori culture and learning

**Make an impact in young children’s lives**

**Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Early Childhood Education)**

**Key facts**
- Age focus: From birth up to 5 years old
- Start date: 18 January 2021

**Scholarships:**
TeachNZ Scholarships are available

**Practicum:**
Spends 16 weeks gaining practical experience in a range of early childhood services to support your learning and development as a teacher.

**Location:**
Epsom Campus, with free parking and a short walk to the buses, cafés and shops of Mt Eden village.

**Support your success**

**Study areas snapshot**
- The ideas that inform education in Aotearoa New Zealand
- The early childhood context and teaching
- Children’s exploration in science, technology, engineering and mathematics
- Learning through the arts
- Literacies, languages and culture
- Professional practice
- Te Reo Māori, Māori culture and learning

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**Study areas snapshot**
- The ideas that inform education in Aotearoa New Zealand
- Effective learning and teaching
- The NZ Curriculum eight learning areas of English, the Arts, Health and Physical Education, Mathematics and Statistics, Science, Social Sciences, Technology, and Learning and Languages
- Professional practice
- Te Reo Māori, Māori culture and learning

**Email our Student Centre today with any questions you have about the programme or application process at education@auckland.ac.nz**

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**auckland.ac.nz/earlychildhood**

**“The course layout was extremely accessible, and I had the opportunity to complete a practicum at a specialist school.”**

Duncan Preston, Year 5/6 Teacher at Sylvia Park School

Prior study: Bachelor of Arts

**“I go to work not just to earn money, but to inspire, teach and guide young children.”**

Charity Fanno-Mulli, Early Childhood Graduate at Next Generation Childcare

Prior study: Bachelor of Commerce

**“The programme was really supportive, practical and honestly always kept me on my toes.”**

Manisha Rebekah David, Mathematics Teacher at Mount Albert Grammar School

Prior study: Bachelor of Science