The University of Auckland
Faculty of Education
Undergraduate Prospectus
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Faculty of Education welcomes you

Nau mai, haere mai ki Te Kura Akoranga o Te Whare Wānanga o Tāmaki-makau-rau.

Talofa lava, Malo lelei, Kia orana and a warm Pasifika welcome to you.

Education is fundamental to improving the well-being of individuals and communities, the expansion of opportunities and the achievement of potential. I welcome your interest in studying with us and contributing to this crucial aspect of modern society.

Here at the Faculty of Education we are committed to improving the quality and understanding of education and social services provision in New Zealand and internationally through quality teaching and research.

There has never been a better time to study teaching, social work and human services. There is a high demand for well-qualified graduates in these professions. You can also choose to major in Education in the Bachelor of Arts.

Our programmes are underpinned by research-informed evidence drawn from the work of our own staff and from national and international literature. Our qualifications are also informed by the experience of practitioners so that what you learn relates to real situations and examples. You will also find that all our undergraduate degrees lead into a wide range of advanced study options at postgraduate level.

We are committed to ensuring that you have a satisfying experience studying in this faculty. We know that you expect intellectual challenge, practical advice and personal support in achieving your goals. We also want to encourage a lifelong love of ideas, discovery and learning, and your ability to work independently and in collaboration with others. We are committed to intellectual integrity, openness and curiosity, and to fostering understanding of human and cultural diversity. Most of all we want to make a difference – and you can help us do that.

If these ideas excite you, I look forward to your working with us and wish you well on what I know will be a worthwhile and important journey.

Kia kaha, kia māia, kia manawanui rā hoki

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR GRAEME AITKEN
Dean, Faculty of Education
The University of Auckland
Why Education?

Education is a window to the world, to ourselves and the society we live in. It’s at the heart of an innovative, knowledgeable and caring society, and is fundamental to the development of individuals and the community. Making a difference for others through education (teaching or social services) is one of the most rewarding things you can ever do.

The University of Auckland

• New Zealand’s highest-ranking university and in the top 1% of the world’s universities.*
• Highly regarded for quality programmes and leading research.
• Offers excellent resources and facilities.
• Your qualification from The University of Auckland will be internationally recognised and respected.

The Faculty of Education

The faculty was established in 2004 when the widely respected Auckland College of Education and The University of Auckland’s School of Education amalgamated to form the Faculty of Education. The faculty combines the strengths of both of these institutions providing research-led expertise as well as almost 130 years’ experience as quality teacher and professional education specialists and 25 years’ experience in social services education.

Why study with us?

The University of Auckland’s Faculty of Education is the place to begin your career in teaching, social work or human services. Perhaps you are still at school and thinking about your future, or perhaps you are already in the workforce but thinking of a change to a more rewarding career. We offer innovative programmes to help you enter a satisfying career where every day is different and you will always be learning something new.

We offer a full service when it comes to education. In addition to the undergraduate and pre-service programmes listed in this prospectus, the faculty also offers postgraduate programmes, professional development opportunities, consultancy and support services for teachers, schools, ECE centres, principals and those in social services. We’re with you every step of the way and have strong links with the community we serve. Very few education providers can match the full spectrum of services we offer.

Research-led learning and practical experience

You will study at a university with a first-rate research reputation and strong links between teaching, learning and research. You will learn from teachers who combine knowledge of the latest developments in their field with a passion for their work.

We also ensure you get opportunities to experience first-hand what it’s like to work in schools, centres or social services agencies so you have a sound understanding of what your future career is actually like. When you graduate, you’ll have the knowledge as well as the practical experience to begin your career and really make a difference.

* Source: Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2008
Supportive environment

We provide the tools and support to help you reach your goals during your time with us.

There is a wide spectrum of resources, support and facilities available to you to ensure your enjoyment as well as success in your study (see p32 for information on student support services).

Whether you are interested in teaching or social services, you’ll have many opportunities to mix with like-minded people who are as passionate about the same profession as you are.

We also offer flexible study options for selected programmes, designed for people who do not live locally or who need to juggle work, family or other commitments with their study.

General Education

General Education is a valuable component of University of Auckland undergraduate programmes. Designed to give you knowledge and an appreciation of fields outside your main area of study, you will choose from a range of subjects to complement your specialist knowledge.

The number of courses you study from the General Education schedule will depend on your undergraduate degree or diploma or the campus you study at.

Study locations

Epsom Campus

74 Epsom Avenue, Epsom, Auckland
Phone: +64 9 623 8883 or 0800 61 62 63

The Epsom Campus is the main campus for the Faculty of Education. All programmes featured in this prospectus can be studied at this campus. Located less than ‘10 minutes’ drive from the CBD and the City Campus, Epsom Campus is also a short walk away from the cafés and shops of Mt Eden village. There’s car parking on campus and regular bus services run to and from Mt Eden/Epsom and the city.

The Epsom Campus is a close-knit and multicultural campus with around 5,000 students. Class sizes tend to be small and there are plenty of study spaces, computer rooms, student support services and facilities. The campus also has tennis courts, a 25 metre swimming pool, sports centre and a marae.

Tai Tokerau Campus

13 Alexander Street, Whangarei
Phone: +64 9 470 1000

Some of our teaching programmes are offered at Tai Tokerau Campus in Whangarei – a convenient location if you live in Northland.

The campus is within walking distance of the centre of Whangarei and offers a small, friendly and supportive learning environment. There are approximately 120 students enrolled at the campus.

Flexi-mode students living in this area can also access facilities at Tai Tokerau Campus such as the library and student learning support.

City Campus

22 Princes Street, Auckland City
Phone: 0800 61 62 63

The City Campus is located in the heart of Auckland City with major bus and train transport routes servicing the University precinct. The City Campus has a cosmopolitan setting and caters for more than 32,000 students University-wide.

Education courses within the Bachelor of Arts and many General Education options are offered at the City Campus.

If you are studying at another campus you may also access facilities located at the City Campus including the University’s main gym and recreation centre, general library and other student services.

The University of Auckland at Manukau Institute of Technology

Gate 13, NQ Block, Room NQ227
Alexander Crescent, Otara, Manukau City
Phone: +64 9 968 8765 ext 7361

You can study the Bachelor of Education (Teaching) Primary specialisation and some courses in the Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Secondary) through The University of Auckland at Manukau Institute of Technology. This allows people living near this campus to gain a qualification from The University of Auckland while studying close to home.

From 2010, all University of Auckland campuses will be smoke-free environments.
What can you study?

The faculty offers undergraduate programmes in teaching, social work and human services. There are also graduate diplomas in teaching offered for students who already hold a degree qualification (or recognised equivalent) and want to become a teacher.

Teaching

Choose from:

Early Childhood Education (ECE)
An early childhood teacher works with under-five-year olds supporting them in their learning, development and growth.

It’s an opportunity to give young children the best start possible to their education. These early years are considered to be the most important years in a child’s development. See p10.

Programmes offered by the faculty:
Bachelor of Education (Teaching)
ECE specialisation
Bachelor of Education (Teaching) ECE Pasifika specialisation
Diploma of Teaching (ECE)
Diploma of Teaching (ECE) Pasifika specialisation
Graduate Diploma in Teaching (ECE)

Primary teaching
Primary teachers have a major influence on the learning and development of children. They teach across the curriculum and also get to share their passion for special subjects, sporting and cultural interests.

Primary teachers are involved in the education of children from Year 1 to Year 8 (typically age five to 13-year olds). See p15.

If you are proficient in te reo Māori you could also teach in bilingual or Māori medium school settings. See p17.

Programmes offered by the faculty:
Bachelor of Education (Teaching) Primary specialisation
Bachelor of Education (Teaching) Huarahi Māori specialisation
Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Primary)

Secondary teaching
There is an ongoing need for qualified and skilled teachers in all secondary school subject areas. Teaching at secondary level is an opportunity to share your passion for a subject and to enhance students’ learning and understanding of your subject area.

A secondary school teacher teaches students from Year 9 to the end of Year 13 (typically age 13 to 18-year olds). See p19.

Programmes offered by the faculty:
Bachelor of Physical Education
Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Secondary)

Education as a subject
If you are interested in education but not wanting to teach, you can study Education as either a major, minor or elective subject within a Bachelor of Arts degree. See p22.

Offered by the Faculty of Arts:
Bachelor of Arts - Education major/minor

Social services

Choose from:

Social Work
A social worker works with individuals, families and communities to overcome the social challenges they face in today’s world. It’s a profession in which you can make a positive difference in people’s lives.

You might work in direct service with clients, or in policy, research or teaching. See p25.

Programmes offered by the faculty:
Bachelor of Social Work (three majors offered)

Human Services
Working in human services is a way to help improve the lives of others and to provide services that support people to overcome the barriers in their life. Our majors in Disability Studies and Youth Work give you added skills and knowledge to better assist these sectors. See p26-27.

Programmes offered by the faculty:
Bachelor of Human Services
(Youth Work major)
Bachelor of Human Services
(Disability Studies major)

Foundation programmes
Our Foundation Certificates are designed to bridge you into study at the Faculty of Education. This is a good place to start if you don’t meet the university entrance standard or need to build up your learning and study skills before embarking on tertiary level study. See p28.

Programmes offered by the faculty:
Foundation Certificate Education
Foundation Certificate Tohu Tūāpapa Mātauranga
Increasing populations and increasingly diverse populations also place pressure on these services. There will always be a demand for well-qualified and enthusiastic teachers and effective, caring and professional social workers and services. The Faculty of Education provides reputable qualifications to enter into these fields.

A career in teaching
Teaching is a challenging and exciting career. It is demanding, yet rewarding. It also gives you the freedom to work in a variety of settings and countries.

Teaching is often seen as a profession with a high level of job security, which certainly has its advantages.

Depending on the programme you study you could be working with under-five-year olds (early childhood education), new entrants through to Year 8 (primary teaching) or Year 9 to Year 13 (secondary teaching).

You might go on to postgraduate study, specialise in an area of teaching or take your teaching qualification to work in a broader area of education. Your skills as a teacher are also transferable to other professions. The personal skills that you will develop, such as excellent communication and organisational skills, creativity and flexibility, are valued by employers in almost every field of work. While you may never want to stop teaching, it’s always nice to know that you will have a wide range of options.

A career in social work
Social workers are in high demand. There is a shortage of qualified social workers particularly in New Zealand, Australia and the United Kingdom so there are plenty of job opportunities out there.

As a qualified social worker, you could work in a wide range of fields from health, child and family services, child protection and justice, to youth, mental health, disability services, probation service and community organisations. You could choose to work in direct service with clients or in areas such as policy, research or education.

With a high demand for social workers overseas, a qualification in social work could be your passport to overseas travel and employment.

A career in human services
A qualification in human services can lead to work in a wide range of human service agencies and community settings. Choosing to major in either youth work or disability studies gives you specialised skills, insight and knowledge in these fields and will enhance your career prospects.

You might work in direct service with people or work in areas such as policy, management or research. Your qualification will strengthen your chances of gaining leadership and management positions.

Majoring in Youth Work will enable you to work in a variety of services including youth health and counselling, community development, truancy or alcohol and drug services.

Majoring in Disability Studies will enable you to work in government departments, mental health services, schools or organisations such as Spectrum Care (supporting people with disabilities), Royal New Zealand Foundation for the Blind or IHC.

Other careers in education
An education qualification can open the door to a range of other career options.

Studying education in its broader sense (eg, within a Bachelor of Arts) can cover areas such as educational policy, child development or the philosophy of education.

The study of education can prepare you for working in a wide range of careers including: educational and social policy, research, human resources, social agencies and educational and psychological services.

Postgraduate study
Your experience at the Faculty of Education doesn’t have to end when you complete your undergraduate degree. There are plenty more opportunities to further develop your understanding of your subject area.

From graduate diplomas through to masters and doctoral qualifications, postgraduate study will add depth to your undergraduate study and increase your career and salary prospects.

For more information on postgraduate study at the Faculty of Education, contact the faculty on +64 9 623 8883 or education@auckland.ac.nz
Your study path

Starting with an undergraduate bachelors degree (or diploma qualification), there are various paths you can take to further your learning.

Postgraduate study provides you with the opportunity to acquire further specialist knowledge. It also allows you to specialise in a particular area within your subject and to undertake research.

What you choose to study will depend on your educational and career goals and what is offered within each programme. The above diagram is a basic model of the paths you may take to higher qualifications. Contact the faculty for advice on planning your study path.

International students

For many years our faculty has been welcoming students from all over the world to study in a wide range of teacher education, social work and human services programmes. We offer more than academic excellence - we offer a friendly environment that is dedicated to helping you succeed.

As an international student at The University of Auckland, you will enjoy a full network of student services and support to help you get the most out of your study and your time at Auckland. You will gain a qualification from a university with an international reputation for excellence and leadership. You will also have the chance to broaden your horizons by living in a country full of opportunity and different experiences.

Whether you’re seeking a rewarding career in teaching, social work, youth work, or supporting people with disabilities - we look forward to welcoming you to the Faculty of Education.

Detailed information for international students can be found at the following websites:

www.auckland.ac.nz/international
www.education.auckland.ac.nz/international
Early childhood education (ECE)
Bachelor of Education (Teaching)
Early Childhood Education specialisation

Do you want to play a vital role in the development of young children? This degree will give you the knowledge and skills for working effectively with under-five-year olds, creating positive learning experiences and providing quality early childhood education.

Quick facts

- **Full-time:** 3 years (part-time study options also available)
- **Taught at:** Epsom Campus and by flexi-mode
- **Points per degree:** 360

Highlights

- Strong emphasis placed on practical experience in a variety of early childhood services and centres.
- Lecture-free days in the on-campus programme allow you to balance study with work and family commitments.
- Study by flexi-mode means that a majority of the programme (apart from practicums and on-campus blocks) can be studied from home.
- TeachNZ scholarships available.

What you’ll be studying

In the first year you will:

- be introduced to the study of education, the New Zealand early childhood curriculum and effective teaching practice
- learn about social and learning contexts specific to early childhood education
- work alongside experienced teachers during your practical placements to develop your teaching practice.

In subsequent years, courses include:

- more advanced study of educational theory and practice via tutorials, lectures and group work
- further practical experience within early childhood settings
- one course from the General Education schedule allowing you to pursue interests outside of your main area of study (may vary by campus/study mode).

Sample BEd(Tchg) degree structure

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Choose your career

With this degree qualification, there is the potential for leadership or management positions. You will also be eligible to earn a salary at degree level.

Interested in further study?

With a BEd(Tchg) you could go on to do a further year of study at honours level. Other options include study at graduate or postgraduate level, which can lead on to study in education at masters and doctoral level. Refer to the Faculty of Education Postgraduate Prospectus.

Keen to find out more?

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- **Website:** www.education.auckland.ac.nz

If you already hold a teaching diploma in ECE you may be eligible to apply for the Bachelor of Education (Teaching) Teachers’ specialisation. Contact the Faculty of Education for more information.

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“I became interested in early childhood education while nannying for a family with three young children. I was two years into a commerce degree but realised I really was far more interested in working with children, so I changed to early childhood. Children have a wonderful sense of the world and I really enjoy being with them, watching them learn and helping them understand complex ideas. With solid theory and knowledge behind me, I think this degree gives me lots of options and can also lead to other rewarding work. I’d love to combine my other interests and work in a centre on a ski-field or work with children in a hospital setting.”

**Steph Coyte** is in her final year of study towards a BEd(Tchg) ECE specialisation. She received a Teach NZ scholarship to help finance her study that pays her tuition fees as well as a $10,000 allowance over the period of her study.
Bachelor of Education (Teaching)  
Early Childhood Education Pasifika specialisation

Do you have a special interest in working with Pacific under-five-year olds? This degree gives you the knowledge, skills and professional base to work effectively with Pacific children so you can make a real impact in their learning and development.

Quick facts
- Full-time: 3 years (part-time study options also available)
- Taught at: Epsom Campus
- Points per degree: 360

Highlights
- Gain a specialised Pasifika education degree (first of its kind in New Zealand) that qualifies you to work in both Pacific and mainstream early childhood settings.
- Be supported throughout the duration of your study through our Pasifika Education team and Pasifika Academic Success Service.
- Timetable and study options including lecture-free days allow you to balance study with work and family commitments.
- TeachNZ scholarships available.
- Gain practical experience in a variety of early childhood services and centres.

What you’ll be studying
In the first year you will:
- be introduced to the study of education, the New Zealand curriculum and effective teaching practice
- learn about social and learning contexts specific to early childhood education as well as young Pacific children
- work alongside experienced teachers during your practical placements to develop your teaching practice.

In subsequent years, courses include:
- more advanced study of educational theory and practice via tutorials, lectures and group work
- further practical experience within mainstream, bilingual and Pacific early childhood settings
- one course from the General Education schedule allowing you to pursue interests outside of your main area of study (may vary by campus/study mode).

This Pasifika specialisation develops your knowledge and skills in the areas of literacy, numeracy, Pacific language and culture. Many of the courses embrace the different cultures, values and heritage of Pacific people. In some courses, both English and Pacific languages are used as mediums of instruction. This programme welcomes applicants from all cultural backgrounds who have an interest in Pacific education.

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Choose your career
With a BEd(Tchg) ECE Pasifika specialisation you will be eligible to apply for provisional registration as a practising professional early childhood teacher. You will be qualified to teach in all early childhood services in New Zealand including early childhood care and education centres, creches and kindergartens.

The Pasifika specialisation gives you advanced skills to work effectively with Pacific children and in centres with a large number of Pacific children.

With this degree qualification, there is the potential for leadership or management positions. You will also be eligible to earn a salary at degree level.

Interested in further study?
With a BEd(Tchg) you could go on to do a further year of study at honours level. Other options include study at graduate or postgraduate level, which can lead on to study in education at masters and doctoral level. Refer p9 and to the Faculty of Education Postgraduate Prospectus.

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“Do you have a special interest in working with Pacific under-five-year olds? This degree gives you the knowledge, skills and professional base to work effectively with Pacific children so you can make a real impact in their learning and development.”

Tapulaaia Ah-Hao is of Samoan descent and is studying for a BEd(Tchg) ECE Pasifika specialisation.

“I used to work in a bank but when I got involved in our church preschool with my own children I thought teaching could be a rewarding and different career. I find the theories of early childhood education very interesting and enjoy watching young children develop and learn in different ways. Studying the courses in politics in education and language has made me realise how special my own language is. I’d like to encourage and help our young children to grow up knowing their first language and their cultural values and identity. I’m really enjoying my studies and am convinced I have come to the right place to study early childhood education.”

Tapulaaia Ah-Hao is of Samoan descent and is studying for a BEd(Tchg) ECE Pasifika specialisation.

If you already hold a teaching diploma in ECE you may be eligible to apply for the Bachelor of Education (Teaching) Teachers’ specialisation. Contact the Faculty of Education for more information.
Quick facts

Full-time: 3 years (part-time study options also available)
Specialisations: ECE, ECE Pasifika
Taught at: Epsom Campus. General diploma also taught by flexi-mode
Points per diploma: 360

Highlights

- Qualifies you to apply for registration to work in early childhood settings.
- Choose from general ECE diploma or Pasifika specialisation.
- Flexible study options including lecture-free days allow you to balance study with work and family commitments.
- TeachNZ scholarships available.

What you’ll be studying

In the first year you will:

- be introduced to the study of education, the New Zealand curriculum and effective teaching practice
- learn about social and learning contexts specific to early childhood education
- work alongside experienced teachers during your practical placements to develop your teaching practice.

In subsequent years, courses include:

- further practical experience within early childhood settings
- one course from the General Education schedule allowing you to pursue interests outside of your main area of study (may vary by campus/study mode).

Sample DipTchg(ECE) structure

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Choose your career

With a DipTchg(ECE) you will be eligible to apply for provisional registration as a practising professional early childhood teacher.

You will be qualified to work in a range of early childhood settings including kindergartens, creches and early childhood centres.

Interested in further study?

If you establish a record of successful study it is possible to transfer into the bachelors degree programme, opening up a wider range of opportunities. Other options may include study at graduate level. Refer p9 and to the Faculty of Education Postgraduate Prospectus.

Pasifika specialisation

The Pasifika specialisation gives you the knowledge, skills and professional base for working in centres with a large number of Pacific children. You will develop your skills and knowledge in the areas of literacy, numeracy, Pacific languages and culture. Many of the courses delivered embrace the different cultures, values and heritage of Pacific people. You also have the opportunity to undertake practical experience in mainstream, bilingual and Pacific early childhood settings. In some courses both English and the Pacific languages are used as mediums of instruction.

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Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Early Childhood Education)

If you already have a degree* you can qualify to teach in any early childhood service after just one year of full-time study at graduate diploma level.

Teachers come from a wide range of backgrounds and offer their own unique perspectives to teaching. Get into a rewarding career supporting under-five-year olds in their learning and development and help to give them the best start possible to their education.

Quick facts

Full-time: 1 year (part-time study options also available)

Taught at: Epsom Campus and by flexi-mode

Points per programme: 150 (intensive programme)

Highlights

- Strong emphasis placed on practical experience in a variety of early childhood services and centres.
- May qualify you for a higher pay scale as it recognises your previous qualification.
- TeachNZ scholarships available.
- Flexible study options available through online delivery (flexi-mode) and lecture-free days in the on-campus programme.

What you’ll be studying

This is an intensive programme equivalent to 1.25 years of full-time study completed within a 12-month period.

During the course of your study you will:

- be introduced to the ECE curriculum and learn about social and learning contexts specific to early childhood education
- study educational theory and practice via tutorials, lectures and group work
- undertake practical experience in early childhood settings and work alongside experienced teachers to develop your teaching practice.

Choose your career

This qualification prepares you to teach in all early childhood services in New Zealand, including early childhood care and education centres and kindergartens. You will be eligible to apply for provisional registration as a practising professional early childhood teacher, possibly leading to leadership or management positions in an early childhood centre in the future. With a three-year degree and a graduate diploma you’ll be eligible to start on a higher step of the salary scale in services covered by the NZEI teaching collective agreement for early childhood teachers.

How do you get in?

The academic prerequisite for the Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Early Childhood Education) is an undergraduate degree or equivalent. Overseas qualifications will need to be assessed by the University for equivalence with New Zealand degree qualifications.

Personal references and an interview are part of the selection process. Contact the faculty for further information.

Interested in further study?

With a GradDipTchg you could go on to study an area of interest (e.g., special needs education) at graduate level or go on to postgraduate study. This can lead to study in education at masters and doctoral level. Refer p9 and to the Faculty of Education Postgraduate Prospectus.

*Degree or equivalent qualification recognised by The University of Auckland.

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"I’m originally a secondary school teacher of English and became interested in ECE through masters study in Education and having my own children.

"I have worked previously in ECE in managerial roles and felt knowledgeable but also wanted the credibility of a qualification. I also knew some of the lecturers here and was familiar with their research, so I knew this programme would satisfy my desire to learn and be part of a learning community. Studying this programme has given me the space and time to think about children’s learning and the opportunity to consolidate my thinking.

"I would love to work with a really inspiring team of teachers and explore the possibility of doing research or starting up a centre."

Joanna Williamson is studying for a Graduate Diploma in Teaching (ECE).
Primary teaching
Primary teaching is a rewarding and enriching career. You can play a part in the education and development of children, inspire in them a love of learning, and share in their achievements. The BEd(Tchg) will empower you to use effective teaching techniques based on proven educational theories and informed by leading research.

Quick facts

Full-time: 3 years (part-time study options also available)

Taught at: Epsom and Tai Tokerau campuses and at The University of Auckland at Manukau Institute of Technology

Points per degree: 360

Highlights

• Learn best-practice theories about teaching and learning and how to apply them in school and classroom settings.

• Extensive practical experience in schools to give you real-life insight into what teaching is all about.

• An innovative degree with final year options depending on your area of interest.

• Timetable and study options including lecture-free days allow you to balance study with work and family commitments.

• TeachNZ scholarships available for teaching in rural areas.

What you’ll be studying

In the first year you will:

• be introduced to the study of education, the New Zealand curriculum and effective teaching practice

• work alongside experienced teachers during your practical placements to develop your teaching practice.

In subsequent years, courses include:

• more advanced study of educational theory and practice via tutorials, lectures and group work

• further practical experience within the primary teaching environment

• one course from the General Education schedule allowing you to pursue interests outside of your main area of study (may vary by campus/study mode)

• in the final year of the programme, you will also have the opportunity to study an area of interest by selecting three courses from a range of options.

Sample BEd(Tchg) degree structure

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Choose your career

You’ll be qualified to teach at primary school level from new entrants to Year 8. You will be eligible to apply for provisional teacher registration and to earn a salary at degree level (Q3). It is also possible to apply for some secondary teaching positions.

While most graduates go on to teach in New Zealand and overseas schools, this quality degree together with the skills you gain in organisation, planning and management can also lead you into other careers such as human resources, training, or educational roles in other organisations.

Interested in further study?

With a BEd(Tchg) you could go on to do a further year of study at honours level. Other options include study at graduate or postgraduate level, which can lead on to study in education at masters and doctoral level. Refer p9 and to the Faculty of Education Postgraduate Prospectus.

If you already hold a teaching diploma in primary teaching you may be eligible to apply for the Bachelor of Education (Teaching) Teachers’ specialisation. Contact the Faculty of Education for more information.

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Tamlyn Marsh is in her final year of study towards a Bachelor of Education (Teaching) Primary specialisation.

"I became interested in teaching through coaching sports in my spare time. Seeing children progress through their learning and achieve success absolutely thrilled me, and I realised I could have an impact in their lives. What is truly great about this degree is that it opens many doors of opportunity, and offers me a fantastic chance to use my education in a fulfilling way to give back to countries that are in need of qualified people. It also offers a huge range of ongoing opportunities, which I hope will help me reach my goals of volunteer service abroad and postgraduate study. Ultimately I’d like to work in a school leadership role."
Mā wai e whakaako te reo ki ā tātou tamariki?  
Mehemea ko tō hiahia kia whakangungua koe hei pouako mā ngā kura Māori, haere mai ki Te Puna Wānanga o Te Kura Akoranga o Te Whare Wānanga o Tāmaki-makau-rau, ako ai.  
Qualified teachers with te reo Māori are in high demand. This degree qualifies you to teach in Māori medium and bilingual schools as well as mainstream primary and intermediate schools.

Quick facts

Full-time: 3 years (part-time study options also available)

Taught at: Epsom Campus and Tai Tokerau Campus

Points per degree: 360

Highlights

- Qualifies you to teach in Māori medium, bilingual and mainstream primary and intermediate schools.
- Whānau learning environment with the faculty’s Te Puna Wānanga.
- TeachNZ and other scholarships available.
- Te Korowai Atawhai (Māori Academic Support Service) available to help you with your study.

What you’ll be studying

In the first year you will:
- be introduced to the study of education in Aotearoa, Te Marautanga o Aotearoa curriculum and effective teaching practice
- work alongside experienced teachers during your practical placements to develop your teaching practice.

In subsequent years, courses include:
- more advanced study of educational theory and practice via tutorials, lectures and group work
- further practical experience within Māori medium, bilingual and mainstream classrooms
- one course from the General Education schedule allowing you to pursue interests outside of your main area of study (may vary by campus/study mode).

In the third year of the programme, you will study a set of courses that look in-depth at:
- pānui/tuhituhi (literacy)
- pāngarau (mathematics)
- educational theory and practice
- tikanga-ā-iwi (social sciences)
- te reo Māori.

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Choose your career

This qualification will enable you to apply for registration to teach in primary, intermediate, Māori medium and bilingual schools. It is also possible to apply for some secondary teaching positions. It can also lead to opportunities in other careers such as curriculum development, government and iwi initiatives.

Pathways into the programme

If you need to advance your te reo Māori skills before starting this degree, we offer a one-year Foundation Certificate Tōhu Tūāpapa Mātavranga that will develop your proficiency in te reo Māori and your knowledge of tikanga Māori. This certificate can also help students who don’t meet the University Entrance Standard gain admission to The University of Auckland for Faculty of Education degree programmes (provided all other additional requirements are met). See p30 to find out more.

Interested in further study?

With a BEd(Tchg) you could go on to do a further year of study at honours level. Other options include study at graduate or postgraduate level, which can lead on to study in education at masters and doctoral level. Refer p9 and to the Faculty of Education Postgraduate Prospectus.

Nau mai, haere mai.

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Quick facts

Full-time: 1 year (part-time study options also available)
Taught at: Epsom Campus
Points per programme: 160 (intensive programme)

Highlights
• Strong emphasis placed on practical experience in classrooms.
• Qualifies you for Q3+ (a higher salary level that recognises your previous qualification).
• Learn the latest teaching techniques and theories, and how to apply them in school and classroom settings.

What you’ll be studying
This is an intensive programme equivalent to 1.3 years of full-time study completed within a 12-month period. During the course of your study you will:
• study educational theory and practice and explore how children learn, grow and develop
• learn how to teach the New Zealand primary curriculum and cover a variety of curriculum subjects
• undertake practical experience in primary classrooms and work alongside experienced teachers to develop your teaching practice.

Choose your career
The Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Primary) has a strong reputation in the teaching community and graduates are in demand. After just one year of successful study, you’ll be qualified to teach in primary and intermediate schools and be eligible to apply for provisional teacher registration.

Primary teachers with a degree in a secondary school curriculum subject eg, science, may be able to teach in secondary schools. It is also possible to apply for other secondary teaching positions eg, reading and language support.

How do you get in?
The academic prerequisite for the Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Primary) is an undergraduate degree or equivalent. Overseas qualifications will need to be assessed by the University for equivalence with New Zealand degree qualifications.

Personal references and an interview are part of the selection process. Contact the faculty for further information.

Interested in further study?
With a GradDipTchg you could go on to study an area of interest (eg, TESSOL) at graduate level or go on to postgraduate study. This can lead to study in education at masters and doctoral level. Refer p9 and to the Faculty of Education Postgraduate Prospectus.

*Degree or equivalent qualification recognised by The University of Auckland.

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“I decided to become a teacher because I always found it very satisfying training other employees, and friends would tell me I’d make a good teacher. My wife is in a school leadership role, which gave me insight into the school environment. I also have two young sons so the opportunity to spend more time with my family also appealed to me.

“My immediate goal is to become a good classroom teacher, someone who can instil an enthusiasm for learning and show that it can be interesting and enjoyable. I think it’s important to teach children not only to ask questions, but to equip them with the ability to find answers to those questions and become self-directed learners.”

Stephen Slater-Brown is studying for a Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Primary). He already holds an Honours degree in Psychology and has a background working in financial services in London.
Secondary teaching
Quick facts

- **Full-time**: 4 years (part-time study options also available)
- **Taught at**: Epsom Campus
- **Points per degree**: 480

Highlights

- A unique programme that enables you to study physical education and teaching concurrently.
- Learn best-practice physical education and educational theory from some of the best in the field.
- Strong emphasis on practical experience in schools and industry-related placements.
- A range of exciting electives to choose from in your final year of study including: teaching and coaching sport, special needs physical education, dance education and outdoor leadership.

What you’ll be studying

In the first year you will:

- undertake practical components of physical education and develop your knowledge of the bio-physical and socio-cultural sciences relating to human movement and physical culture
- learn about the New Zealand education, teaching and learning environment
- undertake your first practicum (practical placement) in a school.

Over the next three years you will:

- explore research and practices relating to the teaching of health and physical education
- undertake further practicum in a range of secondary schools and related industries
- take two elective courses in your final year in areas of interest (eg, coaching, dance education, outdoor leadership).

During your programme of study you will also undertake two courses from the General Education schedule, giving you the opportunity to pursue interests outside your field of study.

Sample BPE degree structure

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- Core courses - Stage IV
- Elective courses
- General Education courses

Choose your career

Typically, graduates of the Bachelor of Physical Education teach health and physical education at secondary school level in New Zealand or overseas. Graduates have also gone on to careers in associated industries, such as coaching, sports co-ordination and management, sports science, fitness centres and personal training, outdoor and adventure education programmes, dance tutoring and health education. Many graduates of this programme have leadership roles within New Zealand schools and beyond.

Interested in further study?

With a BPE you could go on to study at graduate or postgraduate level, which can lead on to study in education at masters and doctoral level. Refer p9 and to the Faculty of Education Postgraduate Prospectus.

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"I was inspired to pursue this qualification by my physical education teachers at school, and because I enjoy sport, the outdoors and coaching. I also have a real desire to foster people’s strengths and a pure interest in the body and its abilities, and I think that the physical education context is a great medium for this. Rather than just lectures, this programme includes physical labs, class discussions, one-to-one interaction with the lecturers and teaching placements. A yearly outdoor camp offers an opportunity to challenge yourself personally and link classroom theory to outdoor physical experiences. Initially I’m interested in working in New Zealand secondary schools, including low decile, then once I am registered I hope to head overseas for a few years."

Amy Jackson is in her final year of study towards a Bachelor of Physical Education.
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Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Secondary)

Use the qualification(s) you already hold to become a secondary school teacher.

Secondary school teachers come from a wide range of backgrounds and bring their own unique perspectives and life experiences to teaching. If you already have a degree* you can qualify to teach in your chosen curriculum subject(s) at secondary schools after just one year of full-time study.

Quick facts

Full-time: 1 year (part-time study options also available)

Taught at: Epsom Campus. Some courses also taught at The University of Auckland at Manukau Institute of Technology. Available at Tai Tokerau Campus through flexible delivery in some subject areas.

Points per programme: 120

Highlights

• Strong emphasis placed on practical experience in classrooms (two seven-week practicums in schools).

• Qualifies you for Q3+ (a higher salary level that recognises your previous qualification).

• TeachNZ scholarships available for selected subjects.

• Specialise in areas of interest and qualification.

What you’ll be studying

During the course of your study you will:

• study educational theory and practice specific to secondary teaching and adolescents

• study curriculum courses specific to your qualification and teaching subject

• undertake practical experience in secondary classrooms and work alongside experienced teachers to develop your teaching practice.

Choose your career

Successful completion of this programme will make you eligible to apply for provisional teacher registration.

You’ll be qualified to teach at secondary school level, utilising your undergraduate degree to teach one or more secondary school subjects.

This programme aims to equip you with curriculum knowledge and management skills to assist you to be confident in the classroom from day one.

The programme can also lead to other related careers such as human resources, training, curriculum development and management.

How do you get in?

The academic prerequisite for the Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Secondary) is an undergraduate degree or equivalent. Overseas qualifications will need to be assessed by the University for equivalence with New Zealand degree qualifications.

In addition, each curriculum course has entry requirements. Your previous degree must link to secondary school subjects and the curriculum courses you choose to study must be aligned to that. For example, you could elect to take Science with a view to becoming a science teacher if you already have a degree in Science. If you have a degree in Fine Arts, you could elect to take Art and/or Art History. We will work with you to identify your options.

Personal references and an interview are part of the selection process. Contact the faculty for further information.

Interested in further study?

With a GradDipTchg you could go on to study an area of interest (e.g., TESSOL) or go on to postgraduate study. This can lead to study in education at masters and doctoral level. Refer p9 and to the Faculty of Education Postgraduate Prospectus.

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“I became really interested in drama as a tool for teaching when I worked in Africa helping educate communities through development theatre. Long term I would like to have my own theatre company, but I realised I needed to know more about education and teaching. I’ve enjoyed covering the theory and I’ve also been able to create resources that I can use in the classroom. This programme is also helping me develop as a person and feel more confident in a leadership role. The lecturers are approachable and are always willing to answer questions and offer guidance with a smile.”

Natasha Falconer is studying for a Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Secondary). On graduation and with a background in fashion design and a Bachelor of Performing Arts, she will be qualified to teach Drama and Technology (soft materials) at secondary level.
Education as a subject
The study of education is essential to informing and understanding life in a modern society. If you are interested in education, but not necessarily teaching, you can study Education as either a major, minor or elective subject within a Bachelor of Arts (BA) degree.

**Quick facts**

- **Full-time:** 3 years (part-time study options also available)
- **Major/minor:** Education
- **Taught at:** City Campus
- **Points per degree:** 360

**Highlights**

- Choose from a wide range of courses dealing with varied aspects and areas of education such as gender and education, child and adolescent development, and the sociology, philosophy, politics and psychology of education.
- Course material is informed by the latest research in education. Learn from lecturers who are specialists in their field.
- Opens doors into a wide variety of career opportunities.
- Opportunity to complete part of your BA overseas at one of more than 90 universities in 25 different countries (360° Auckland Abroad).

**What you’ll be studying**

In the first year you will:

- take a total of eight courses. Visit www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/BAsurveyareas for a list of the subjects available and recommended structure. You will need to include at least two courses in Education in order to take this subject at a more advanced level later.

In subsequent years:

- choose at least two subjects from your first year to study at a higher level
- select one of these subjects as your major (primary focus) which you will study to Stage III level.
- select your minor (secondary focus) or a second major
- if you chose Education as your major or minor you may choose to specialise in a specific area of education or simply select courses of interest
- you also have the opportunity to take more courses from other subjects and will complete courses from the General Education schedules.

**Sample BA degree structure**

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Courses for major
Courses for minor
Elective courses
General Education courses

**Choose your career**

A BA in Education can open up a variety of career paths. Education is a broad sector where you can work in education-based services or in educational roles in other organisations. You might work in management and administration, government, the diplomatic service, tourism, the arts, media, the film industry, advertising, writing, editing and publishing, human resources, policy analysis, research, information management, social services or translation.

With postgraduate study, graduates in Education have gained employment helping with the planning and servicing of education in New Zealand and overseas, as educational psychologists; in human resource and personnel work, in marae-based training, and in polytechnics and universities doing research and helping others study aspects of education.

This qualification will give you an in-depth knowledge of education but does not qualify you to teach. You can apply to do a further year of graduate diploma study to qualify as a teacher. Secondary teaching will require your BA to include subject choices that link to secondary school subjects.

**Interested in further study?**

With a BA you can go on to study at honours, graduate or postgraduate level. This can lead to study at masters and doctoral level.

**Keen to find out more?**

The BA is offered by the Faculty of Arts. Contact the Faculty of Arts for more information on the BA degree and how you can include Education in your study:

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- **Email:** arts@auckland.ac.nz
- **Website:** www.arts.auckland.ac.nz

or

Liberal Arts Programme

- **Phone:** +64 9 373 7599 ext 85156
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"The Bachelor of Arts programme is really open with a wide variety of subjects to choose from. I decided to study education at University after seeing many Polynesian people in the news for all the wrong reasons. Besides the education courses I studied I also got to follow other interests including making my own music. I plan to combine my love of music with what I’ve learned in my Education major to use the music form to bring about positive change in the community, helping teenagers especially to achieve their goals and encouraging them to pursue their dreams. I believe that the education courses I’ve studied will give me a good base with which to do this."

Lote Faingataa is studying for a Bachelor of Arts with a major in Education and a minor in Anthropology.
Bachelor of Social Work

Qualified social workers are in high demand in New Zealand and overseas. The Bachelor of Social Work (BSW) gives you the knowledge, skills and professional base required to be an effective practising social worker liaising with individuals, groups, families and communities.

Quick facts

Full-time: 4 years (part-time study options also available)

Majors: Child and Family Practice, Youth Services Practice, Health Social Work Practice

Taught at: Epsom Campus

Points per degree: 480

Highlights

• This degree is recognised by the Social Workers Registration Board. You’ll be able to apply for social work registration, thereby enhancing your career and salary prospects.

• The only social work degree in New Zealand that allows you to major in an area of interest from your second year onwards.

• Get real experience on supervised field placements in social work agencies.

• Based on a record of successful study, you may be able to enter into the Bachelor of Social Work (Honours) programme in your final year of the BSW degree.

What you’ll be studying

In the first year you will:

• be introduced to work in social and human services

• study psychology and sociology for human services, cultural diversity, professional communication skills, the impact of the Treaty of Waitangi on New Zealand’s social services, and the nature and context of social work as a profession

• study a course from the General Education schedule, allowing you to pursue other interests outside your field of study.

Over the next three years, you will:

• build on your theoretical knowledge base with the addition of courses in the theory and practice of social work, including the policy environment, and law and the state

• develop your knowledge about working with children and families in diverse cultural communities

• major in either Child and Family Practice, Youth Services Practice or Health Social Work Practice

• do two field placements in different settings

• study another course from the General Education schedule.

Sample BSW degree structure

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Choose your career

As a qualified social worker, you’ll have a choice of challenging and rewarding careers in a wide range of fields from health, child and family services, child protection and justice, to youth, schools, mental health, disability services, probation service and community organisations. You might work in direct service with clients, or in policy, research or teaching.

A shortage of qualified social workers in a number of countries, particularly New Zealand, Australia and the United Kingdom, means you’ll have many job opportunities.

Interested in further study?

The University of Auckland offers a range of programmes at postgraduate level enabling you to enhance your professional practice and to optimise your career and salary prospects.

The faculty also offers a practitioner pathway for practising social workers wishing to upgrade their current diploma or other qualification to a four-year social work bachelor’s degree (conditions apply). A four-year degree is now the requirement in order to practise in many countries (including Australia). Contact the faculty for more information.

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Bachelor of Human Services
(Youth Work major)

Do you want to support young people to lead valued lives in the community? The BHumServ with a major in Youth Work will develop your skills and knowledge to provide effective leadership and advocacy in youth work. You’ll be better prepared to make a difference in the lives of young people and to help them realise their true potential.

Quick facts
Full-time: 3 years (part-time study options also available)
Taught at: Epsom Campus
Points per degree: 360

Highlights
• Enables you to gain the specialist skills and knowledge you will need to be an effective youth worker as well as the skills for working within a wide range of other human service settings.
• Gives you the preparation to be able to take on leadership and management roles.
• Develop a broad understanding of social, cultural and political issues in New Zealand society.
• This programme is also suitable for people who are already working in this field and it may be possible to study while you work.

What you’ll be studying
In the first year you will:
• study psychology and sociology for human services, human development, and professional communication skills
• study the impact of socio-cultural factors on young people’s development and identity, media constructions of “youth”, sexualities, and the Treaty of Waitangi in relation to human services and youth work
• begin your study of applied professional practice.

Over the next two years, you will:
• build on your theoretical knowledge base
• study courses such as leadership, management and social policy, social psychology, developmental psychology, the impact of addictions and violence, inclusion and aspirations, ethics, recreation, mental health and working for young Māori and Pacific people
• have opportunities to apply your learning in practice

• study two courses from the General Education schedule, allowing you to pursue interests outside your field of study.

Sample BHumServ degree structure

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Choose your career
Agencies increasingly seek a degree as a prerequisite for employment, making graduates highly sought after. Completion of a BHumServ with a major in Youth Work will give you the skills and knowledge to better support young people. It could lead you to work in services such as the Ministry of Youth Development, iwi and Pacific community development, migrant and refugee support, youth health, truant services, counselling, health education, and specialist services such as drug use, mental health and sexual health services.

You’ll also have the skills and preparation to be able to work in a wide range of other human service settings.

Interested in further study?
The University of Auckland offers a range of programmes at postgraduate level enabling you to optimise your career and salary prospects.

“I’ve always been drawn to working with people and initially started a teaching degree. I changed to youth work after realising I was more suited to an occupation where I could work with young people in a one-to-one situation. I think it’s important that young people feel empowered and supported. Long term I’m interested in working in mental health counselling young people so I see this as a good starting place. I’m enjoying the variety of topics in the programme – everything from ethics and psychology to leadership and issues in professional practice.”

Michelle Pos is studying for a Bachelor of Human Services (Youth Work major).

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Bachelor of Human Services (Disability Studies major)

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Full-time: 3 years (part-time study options also available)

Taught at: Epsom Campus

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Highlights

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• Develop a broad understanding of social, cultural and political issues in New Zealand society.

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• begin your study of applied professional practice.

Over the next two years, you will:

• build on your theoretical knowledge base

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Interested in further study?

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Foundation programmes
(Alternative pathways into Education degrees and diplomas)
Foundation Certificate Education

This is a specialist foundation programme to help bridge you into tertiary study at the Faculty of Education. Successful completion allows admission into The University of Auckland for Faculty of Education programmes (provided all other additional requirements are met).

Quick facts
Full-time: 1 year
Taught at: Epsom Campus
Points per certificate: 120

Highlights
• Gain the academic skills and the confidence you need for successful tertiary study.
• Learn in a supportive environment and become familiar with the tertiary study environment of lectures, tutorials, assignments and exams.
• Successful completion of this certificate allows admission to The University of Auckland for Faculty of Education undergraduate programmes (provided all other additional requirements are met).

What you’ll be studying
The certificate focuses on:
• developing your learning skills, communication skills, critical thinking, essay writing and time management
• You’ll cover all essential academic skills for further study, plus computing and numeracy skills
• You can also choose from electives relevant to future study in social work, teaching or human services.

Where can it take you?
Successful completion of this certificate allows admission to The University of Auckland for Faculty of Education programmes. Please note, however, that applicants to these programmes are subject to a selection process and need to demonstrate suitability for the relevant profession and meet all other additional requirements (see p36).

You could apply for selection into one of the following programmes:
• Bachelor of Education (Teaching)
  - Early Childhood Education, Primary or Huarahi Māori specialisation
• Diploma of Teaching (ECE)
  - General or Pasifika specialisation
• Bachelor of Physical Education
• Bachelor of Social Work
• Bachelor of Human Services
  - Youth Work or Disability Studies major.

During your foundation certificate study you have the opportunity to pick electives in these areas of study to give you an idea of what they are like. This will help you to see where your interests lie if you haven’t already made this decision.

You’ll become familiar with the tertiary study environment, and if you continue your study at Epsom Campus you’ll be ready to get straight into your first year of degree study without having to settle into a new environment.

How do you get in?
Applicants must:
• be a New Zealand citizen or a permanent resident of New Zealand
  AND
• have completed NCEA Level 2 at a New Zealand secondary school or its equivalent
  OR
• be over 20 years of age.

Personal references and an interview are part of the selection process.

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“I enrolled in this foundation programme because I really wanted to become a teacher but didn’t have the right school qualifications. I enjoyed studying subjects relevant to teaching and mixing with people who have the same goals in life. The atmosphere on campus and in class is really positive. The faculty has such a good reputation and the programme has prepared me well for degree study and been a real confidence booster. I used to be quite a shy person but now I find that I speak up more, am less nervous about meeting people for the first time, and am confident enough to get up and speak in front of others.”

Curtis Priestley completed a Foundation Certificate Education in 2008 and is now studying for a Bachelor of Education (Teaching) Primary specialisation.
Foundation Certificate Tohu Tūāpapa Mātauranga

This is a specialist foundation programme to help bridge you into tertiary study at the Faculty of Education.

You will develop your proficiency and skills in te reo Māori and tikanga Māori while gaining essential learning and tertiary study skills.

**Quick facts**
- **Full-time:** 1 year
- **Taught at:** Epsom Campus
- **Points per certificate:** 120

**Highlights**
- Successful completion of this certificate allows admission into the Bachelor of Education (Teaching) Huarahi Māori specialisation or any other undergraduate programme at the Faculty of Education (provided all other additional requirements are met).
- A great opportunity to develop your Māori language, tikanga Māori and study skills.
- Learn in small groups in a supportive whānau environment at the faculty’s Te Puna Wānanga.

**What you’ll be studying**
During the year you will:
- develop your te reo Māori and tikanga Māori knowledge in preparation for further study in Māori education
- develop literacy, numeracy and further study skills to prepare you for tertiary study.

**Where can it take you?**
This certificate is specifically designed as a pathway into our Bachelor of Education (Teaching) Huarahi Māori specialisation - a programme that qualifies you to apply for provisional teacher registration to teach in Māori medium and bilingual schools as well as mainstream primary and intermediate schools (see p17).

This certificate can also allow admission into other undergraduate programmes offered by the Faculty of Education, and you will have improved your proficiency in te reo Māori which can open up opportunities in other careers.

The Faculty of Education undergraduate programmes that you could apply for selection into are:
- Bachelor of Education (Teaching)
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*“My background is in nannying and working with young children. I chose to study this programme because I’m passionate about keeping our language and culture alive and helping future generations. I love listening to the teacher’s stories about our tikanga and heritage and every day is really interesting. I’ve also had to research my own history and go back to my family to find out about my people. The staff here are very supportive and I love the family atmosphere – we help one another and previous students return to pass on what they know. I look forward to doing that one day, and to making a difference and reaching my goal of opening a Kohanga Reo.”*

Rose-Lee Sarah is studying the Foundation Certificate Tohu Tūāpapa Mātauranga with the goal of progressing on to a Bachelor of Education (Teaching).

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Student services and support

As part of the wider University the Faculty of Education offers you excellent campus facilities and student support services. Our main campus is the Epsom Campus in Auckland and we also have our Tai Tokerau Campus in Whangarei. Students are supported by many on-campus facilities and resources and can also take advantage of other services offered at the University’s City Campus.

Some programmes and courses are also taught at the University’s City Campus and at Manukau Institute of Technology where other on-campus services are offered. See p5 for more about our locations.

Join the students’ association

ETTSA (Epsom, Tai Tokerau Students’ Association) is run by faculty students for faculty students, particularly those at Epsom and Tai Tokerau campuses. It is affiliated to AUSA (the Auckland University Students’ Association).

ETTSA can help you with locker rental, access cards, international student identity cards, MAXX transport discount stickers, budgeting advice and emergency financial grants.

The association also organises clubs and runs social, cultural, sporting and recreational activities in collaboration with AUSA.

Computer facilities

The University has computers available for use on all campuses. Printers, document scanners, digital cameras, data projectors and cameras, as well as recording, editing and presentation equipment, are also available for your use.

Library

The University of Auckland Library, New Zealand’s largest research library, offers students access to an extensive range of books, journals and research databases. As part of The University of Auckland Library system the Sylvia-Ashton Warner Library provides services to undergraduates and researchers on the Epsom and Tai Tokerau campuses. It specialises in curriculum resources and research publications in the field of education and social work. Much of the material is online to support the needs of students studying flexibly. Education subject librarians are available for individual or group consultations relating to finding information and referencing.

The Epsom Information Commons offers students state-of-the-art access to computing facilities and online access to information. Internet access is available for all students and technical support is offered by Information Commons staff. Computer use including basic internet and email services is free; charges are made for printing.

Online learning

Online learning is provided through The University of Auckland CECIL and Moodle learning management systems, which are accessed via the internet. Specialist support is provided for students enrolled in a flexible course or programme through the faculty’s Centre for Educational Design and Development (CEDD).

Student learning support

The Student Learning Centres at Epsom and City campuses support you to reach your academic goals. Services include learning skills courses for new students, individual assistance programmes, English as a second language tuition and resources and workshops on essay writing, research skills, reading for academic purposes, test and examination skills. Student learning support is also available at Tai Tokerau Campus.

Te Korowai Atawhai
Māori Academic Support Service

The Māori Academic Support Service provides academic advice and pastoral care that is firmly focused on Māori student aspirations for academic success. Each student is unique, with potential to succeed in their chosen academic pathways and Te Korowai Atawhai is committed to a service that will complement the different learning styles and life-needs of students.

Nāu te pāro, nāku te pāro, ka ora ai te iwi.
Through united effort our people will prosper.

“I volunteered to become an ETTSA representative because I know how hard things can be for students and want to make sure they know about our services. Membership is not compulsory, but students who join become part of a collective student voice with some great benefits. Not only do we organise social events, but we can help students who are experiencing financial hardship access cash grants and food parcels. We’ve also successfully lobbied for an ATM on campus, a parent space in the library, and a student space with tea and coffee facilities. Membership also means students receive an orientation pack, access to sports equipment and an after-hours library card.”

Kym Skelton is the Epsom-Tai Tokerau Students’ Association (ETTSA) welfare representative and is studying for a Bachelor of Education (Teaching).
Pasifika Academic Success Service
The Pasifika Academic Success Service is focused on Pacific student achievement and provides help, information and support with study skills, assignments, life issues affecting study and much more. Students are encouraged to drop in for a chat and take advantage of the services offered by this friendly and helpful team.

Disability support services
The University of Auckland’s Faculty of Education welcomes students with impairments. The University’s Disability Services can support and assist you, whether you have specific learning disabilities, mental health conditions, medical conditions or whether you are Deaf or hearing impaired, blind or vision impaired, or have mobility or speech impairments.

Disability Services offers a range of services including note taking support, reader/writers for test or exams, New Zealand sign language interpreters, and we can provide lecture materials e.g. hand-outs, notes, overheads etc. in alternative formats such as Braille, large print or audio formats on CDs. Wheelchair access is available to all buildings and lecture theatres. There are toilet facilities with wheelchair access on campus. FM systems can be provided on loan.

The Faculty of Education Outreach Coordinator for Staff and Students with Disabilities is your point of contact for information on the support available to students with impairments.

Speech-language therapist
Assistance is available at Epsom Campus to any student who would like to develop their skills and confidence in voice, speech language or oral communication.

International student support
The international team at the Faculty of Education welcomes you to use its services at any time. It offers support with academic matters, pastoral matters and personal matters where able. The international team works with Auckland International, the faculty’s Student Centre, lecturers and other staff to ensure that your time in New Zealand is as productive and pleasant as possible.

Health Centre
The Health Centre is a full general practice at the Epsom Campus for student and staff use. There is also a general medical practice, a dental health clinic and a physiotherapy centre at the City Campus.

Counselling service
Counselling offers an opportunity for you to talk to someone who will listen without criticism and assist you to decide on a course of action. University counselling is a totally confidential, free service available to all students.

Childcare
An early childhood centre for children aged six months to five years is located adjacent to the Epsom Campus. We also have a Māori medium early childhood centre - Te Puna Kohunghuanga, located at Epsom Campus. Early childhood centres are also located at City and Grafton campuses.

Career planning
Our Careers Centre at City Campus aims to guide you towards a rewarding career. Experienced staff teach valuable job hunting, CV writing and career planning skills, and familiarise you with the job market.

Student relaxation
Cafés and other time-out spaces are located at Epsom and City campuses. The student cafeteria at Epsom Campus is a great place to hang out, relax, get something to eat or drink (or enjoy your own) and socialise. At Tai Tokerau Campus there’s a student space as well as plenty of other areas to hang out and relax.

Student Centre
The faculty’s Student Centre, based at Epsom Campus with representatives at Tai Tokerau Campus and Manukau Institute of Technology, is the first stop for all programme administration requirements. Student Centre consultants will support you with everything from application, enrolment, fee payments and timetables, right through to completions for graduation.

The Student Centre, in collaboration with city services, provides current information about programmes, study grants, student loans, allowances and scholarships. A recognition of prior academic study (ROPAS) service is also offered.

Contact us
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“I have been using the Student Learning Centre (SLC) since I first came to the University. I’ve had lots of individual sessions with an academically qualified tutor at SLC and my academic writing skills have really improved. When I had difficulties with my assignments, the tutor always prompted or guided me to construct my own learning by asking relevant questions. Through his encouragement and clear feedback about areas for improvement or things that I did well, I was encouraged and able to write better quality work the next time.”

Hye Young Jo (left) recently completed a Bachelor of Education (Teaching) Primary specialisation. David Pang (right) is an Academic Learning Advisor at SLC.

The Student Learning Centre offers workshops, individual assistance, and various study and learning resources. Study skills learned early can make a big difference to your success during your time at the Faculty of Education.
How do you get in?

To study at The University of Auckland you must have a university entrance qualification and be selected into a programme. The following pages explain the different university entrance qualifications and what you need for selection into Faculty of Education undergraduate programmes.

Please note that the information in this section (pp34-36) applies to New Zealand and Australian citizens and permanent residents. International students should refer to www.auckland.ac.nz/international or call +64 9 373 7513. Entry criteria for the Graduate Diploma in Teaching programmes and Foundation Certificates differ to the undergraduate and diploma programme entry criteria below. Please refer to the individual programme pages in this prospectus for entry criteria for these programmes.

General admission information

Minimum age
You normally must have reached the age of 16 years by 31 December in the year preceding that in which admission is sought, to be eligible for admission to The University of Auckland.

English language requirements
You must meet certain standards of English language proficiency. You will meet these if English is your first language, or if you have a New Zealand University Entrance qualification (eg, from NCEA or CIE). In the case of Māori immersion programmes, you must meet certain standards of te reo Māori and English language proficiency.

Equity groups of students
We are committed to providing equal opportunities to all who have the potential to succeed at The University of Auckland. All faculties are committed to increasing the participation and success of students from equity groups, including students from low socio-economic backgrounds, students with disabilities, Māori and Pacific students.

Admission from New Zealand secondary school qualifications in 2010
To be admitted to the University, school leavers must have a university entrance qualification based on NCEA, CIE, IB or another recognised, equivalent qualification. You must also meet the admission requirements and be selected into your programme(s) of study.

All undergraduate programme applicants will be given a rank score. This, along with any other requirements, will be used to assess your application for admission and selection into a programme of study.

Results over the last two years of Year 13 equivalent study (eg, NCEA Level 3/CIE) are considered. In exceptional circumstances credits gained over more than two consecutive years will be considered.

Approved subjects and required subjects
Approved subjects are subjects approved by the New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA) for University Entrance. For a list of approved subjects contact your school or visit the NZQA website www.nqqa.govt.nz/ncea

There are no required subjects for admission to the Faculty of Education undergraduate programmes.

Rank scores for all applicants
All undergraduate programme applicants will be given a rank score. The table on p36 shows the rank scores required for guaranteed entry in 2010 and any other requirements you need for admission into The University of Auckland’s undergraduate programmes in the Faculty of Education.

Guaranteed admission
If you meet the University Entrance Standard, the rank score and the other requirements for your programme or programmes, you will be offered a place.

Other admission categories

Special Admission
If you are over 20 on the first day of semester, are a New Zealand or Australian citizen or permanent resident, and have no formal University Entrance qualification, you may be eligible for Special Admission. If admission is approved you may be considered for selection into the Faculty of Education.

You will need to consult with the faculty before applying for courses or programmes. Evidence of other study or work skills will need to be provided with your application.

Discretionary Entrance
If you are applying for Discretionary Entrance you will be assessed on the basis of your academic background and an adviser’s recommendation. Discretionary Entrance is based on the National Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA) Level 2 (or higher) and is available to applicants who have gained exceptional results in Year 12 and wish to embark on university study. Applicants must also be selected into the programme for which they have applied.

Recognition of previous academic study (ROPAS)
The University of Auckland accepts applications from students who wish to transfer from other tertiary institutions. If you are a New Zealand or Australian citizen or permanent resident and have studied at another tertiary institution in New Zealand or overseas we will need to assess your results to determine your eligibility for admission to The University of Auckland. At the time of application, you may also apply for credit for courses completed elsewhere. If you have studied at secondary level overseas you may need to have your study assessed, and you should contact the Admissions Office.

More information
For help with understanding our admission requirements contact:
Admissions Office
Phone: +64 9 373 7599 ext 85013 or 85025
www.auckland.ac.nz/admission

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National Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA) Level 3

The University Entrance Standard

You will be qualified for entrance to New Zealand universities in 2010 if you have obtained:

• a minimum of 42 credits at Level 3 or higher on the National Qualifications Framework, including a minimum of 14 credits at Level 3 or higher in each of two subjects from the approved subject list, with a further 14 credits at Level 3 or higher taken from no more than two additional domains on the National Qualifications Framework or approved subjects

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• a minimum of 14 credits at Level 1 or higher in Mathematics or Pāngarau on the National Qualifications Framework

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• a minimum of 8 credits at Level 2 or higher in English or Te Reo Māori; 4 credits must be in Reading and 4 credits must be in Writing. These literacy credits are to be selected from a schedule of approved achievement standards and unit standards.

To be admitted to The University of Auckland you must gain the University Entrance Standard and be selected into a programme.

Admission requirements

You must meet the admission requirements for your programme(s) of study. In addition to achieving university entrance, our undergraduate programmes have other requirements such as referees’ reports and/or an interview.

How your rank score is calculated

You will be allocated a rank score based on your best 80 credits at Level 3 or higher over a maximum of five approved subjects, weighted by the level of achievement attained in each set of credits.

If you achieve fewer than 80 credits, the rank score will be based on those credits you have gained at Level 3 over a maximum of five approved subjects and weighted by the level of achievement.

• The rank score will be calculated by awarding the following points for up to 24 credits in each approved subject taken at Level 3 in the last two years. The maximum rank score is 320.

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<td>English</td>
<td>Achievement</td>
<td>4 Excellence 8 Merit 8 Achieved</td>
<td>4x4 points 8x3 points 8x2 points</td>
<td>56</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Chemistry</td>
<td>Achievement</td>
<td>4 Merit 8 Achieved</td>
<td>4x3 points 8x2 points</td>
<td>28</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Mathematics</td>
<td>Achievement, Unit</td>
<td>8 Excellence 6 Merit 16 Achieved</td>
<td>8x4 points 6x3 points 10x2 points*</td>
<td>70*</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>History</td>
<td>Achievement</td>
<td>14 Achieved</td>
<td>14x2 points</td>
<td>28</td>
</tr>
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</table>

Rank score 182

*Maximum 24 credits per subject. Any points above this limit are excluded.

Example of how a rank score for NCEA Level 3 is calculated

Cambridge International Examinations (CIE)

The University Entrance Standard

• 120 points* on the UCAS Tariff including a minimum grade of “D” in each of at least two subjects equivalent to those in the list approved for NCEA at AS or A Level; plus a minimum grade of “D” in one further subject either from the approved list or related to a domain on the National Qualifications Framework at AS or A Level

PLUS

• a “D” pass or higher in IGCSE Mathematics

PLUS

• an “E” pass or higher in AS English.

“Should an applicant obtain three “D” grades, totalling fewer than 120 UCAS Tariff points, the applicant may include points from any one additional subject available for CIE to make up the difference between 90 and 120 points.

Admission requirements

You must meet the admission requirements for your programme(s) of study. In addition to achieving university entrance, our undergraduate programmes have other requirements such as referees’ reports and/or an interview.

How your rank score is calculated

You will be ranked according to your UCAS Tariff score total accumulated over a maximum of six subject units in the last two years, in subjects at AS, A2 or A Level from subjects that match those of NCEA.

• The rank score will be calculated from your UCAS Tariff points by awarding the following points for each approved subject (to a maximum of six subject units). The maximum rank score is 360.

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<tr>
<th>Level</th>
<th>A</th>
<th>B</th>
<th>C</th>
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<td>AS</td>
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<td>50 points</td>
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<td>A</td>
<td>120 points</td>
<td>100 points</td>
<td>80 points</td>
<td>60 points</td>
<td>40 points</td>
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</table>

• An A Level counts as two subject units. Where a student has studied more than six subject units the best six scores will be used.

• A CIE rank score may differ from the UCAS Tariff used for university entrance because only subjects equivalent to approved NCEA subjects are used for ranking.
**Example of how a rank score for CIE is calculated**

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<td>2 B</td>
<td>100</td>
<td>100</td>
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<tr>
<td>Mathematics</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>2 C</td>
<td>80</td>
<td>80</td>
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<tr>
<td>Physics</td>
<td>AS</td>
<td>1 B</td>
<td>50</td>
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<tr>
<td>English</td>
<td>AS</td>
<td>1 C</td>
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<tr>
<td>History</td>
<td>AS</td>
<td>1 D</td>
<td>30</td>
<td>Nil*</td>
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</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Rank score**: 270

*Maximum six subject units. If more are achieved, the best six scores are used.

**International Baccalaureate (IB)**

If you are applying for admission to The University of Auckland in 2010 based on International Baccalaureate, you will be required to meet the following entrance standard, as established by the New Zealand Vice-Chancellors’ Committee (NZVCC).

To be admitted to The University of Auckland you must gain the University Entrance Standard and be selected into a programme.

**The University Entrance Standard**

An applicant will be deemed to be eligible for admission if they have been awarded the full International Baccalaureate Diploma (24 points minimum).

**Admission requirements**

You must meet the admission requirements for your programme(s) of study. In addition to achieving university entrance, our undergraduate programmes have other selection requirements such as referees’ reports and/or an interview.

**How your rank score is calculated**

You will be ranked according to your IB score. For example, if you achieve 27 points for IB, your rank score will also be 27 points.

**What if you don’t achieve the rank score for guaranteed admission?**

If you achieve the University Entrance Standard but do not achieve a rank score that will guarantee selection into the programme you wish to study, your application will be given individual consideration.

Selection may take into account the following factors according to the programme you are applying for:

- your performance in relevant subjects
- eligibility for a targeted admission scheme
- results of an interview where deemed appropriate to determine your potential for success in the programme.

If you are successful in gaining a place, you may have conditions placed on your enrolment.

If you are not offered a place in your preferred programme, you could consider other possible programmes at The University of Auckland.

Some late applications may be accepted after 2009 school results are received. It is advisable, however, to apply for all programmes that you might wish to study before the closing date of 8 December 2009. Multiple applications are acceptable and all applications will be considered when 2009 academic results are available.

**Other pathways to The University of Auckland**

We have a range of alternative pathways that are designed to bridge the gap between your secondary school studies and University.

- Foundation Certificate Education (see p29)
- Foundation Certificate Tohu Tūāpapa Mātauranga (see p30)

Successful completion of either of these foundation certificates allows admission to The University of Auckland for Faculty of Education undergraduate programmes. Applicants will be offered a place provided they are successful in the selection process (see “other requirements” below).

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**2010 Faculty of Education undergraduate programme admission requirements for school leavers who are New Zealand or Australian citizens or permanent residents. International students will be required to achieve higher rank scores.**

This table indicates the rank score for guaranteed admission in 2010 and the other requirements that will gain you admission to your programme. Please refer to pp34-36 for an explanation of NCEA, CIE and IB and how your rank score will be calculated.

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Programme</th>
<th>NCEA (Level 3)</th>
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<th>IB</th>
<th>Other requirements</th>
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<tr>
<td>Bachelor of Education (Teaching) (BEd(Tchg)) 1</td>
<td>120</td>
<td>110</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>Interview and referees’ reports. Applicants must be capable of meeting</td>
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<td>the requirements of the New Zealand Teachers Council including language proficiency.</td>
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<td>Bachelor of Human Services (BHumServ) 1</td>
<td>120</td>
<td>110</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>Interview. Referees’ reports and other checks on suitability are required</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Bachelor of Physical Education (BPE) 1</td>
<td>120</td>
<td>110</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>Interview and referees’ reports. Applicants must be capable of meeting</td>
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<td>the requirements of the New Zealand Teachers Council including language proficiency.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Bachelor of Social Work (BSW) 1</td>
<td>120</td>
<td>110</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>Interview and referees’ reports. Applicants must be capable of meeting</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>the requirements of the Social Workers Registration Act.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Diploma of Teaching (DipTchg) 1</td>
<td>120</td>
<td>110</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>Interview and referees’ reports. Applicants must be capable of meeting</td>
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1. If you are applying for a teaching programme, you must demonstrate the potential to meet the New Zealand Teachers Council (NZTCC) criteria for provisional registration, which involves making a declaration of criminal convictions and a declaration of health conditions.

2. Māori and Pacific school leaver applicants who achieve the UE Standard and meet the other requirements will be admitted.
Money matters

Costs
Fees for 2010 are expected to be set later in 2009. For an indication of costs, the tuition fees for 2009 (for students enrolled full-time in 120 points except where indicated) are listed in the table below. Some adjustment for 2010 is expected.

In addition to tuition fees, students also pay a student services fee and a building levy.

For a true indication of how much it will cost you to study, take a look at the fees for your programme, then factor in costs such as textbooks, accommodation, transport and other living expenses.

When fees for 2010 are set, updated information will be available at www.auckland.ac.nz/fees

Financial assistance
There are various options available to help you fund your university study. Student loans and allowances are available through StudyLink, and the University offers a number of scholarships and awards to help get you started.

Student allowances
The student allowance is a weekly payment to help with a student’s living costs while in full-time study on an approved programme. It is available to New Zealand citizens and permanent residents who have held New Zealand residency for at least two years. For more information contact StudyLink on 0800 88 99 00 or visit www.studylink.govt.nz

Scholarships and awards
The University of Auckland has a wealth of scholarships and awards available to students at all levels of study. Visit www.auckland.ac.nz/scholarships for a full list of undergraduate scholarships and awards.

TeachNZ scholarships are targeted at areas of priority for teacher supply, in order to meet increasing demand for teachers in some areas over the next ten years. Currently, these areas are early childhood and Māori medium teachers, secondary teachers of specific subjects and teachers in rural areas. For more information visit www.teachnz.govt.nz or call 0800 TEACHNZ.

Student loans
To be eligible for a student loan you must be a New Zealand citizen or have been granted permanent resident status. You must be studying full-time for a minimum of 12 weeks, or part-time for a full year, at an approved tertiary institution. You may apply for tuition fees, course related costs (for example, books, stationery and travel) and living costs (living costs are not available to part-time students). Applications for loans should be made at least one month before study begins. Full information is available by contacting StudyLink on 0800 88 99 00 or visit www.studylink.govt.nz

Unemployment Benefit - Student Hardship
Student allowances and loans are only available to students during the period of their enrolment. If you are not studying over the summer break, and cannot find a job to support yourself, you may be eligible for the Unemployment Benefit - Student Hardship. You generally need to be eligible for a student allowance during your study to be eligible for the benefit, but there are additional hardship criteria that may be applicable if you don’t qualify for the allowance. Full information is available from StudyLink on 0800 88 99 00 or www.studylink.govt.nz

Hardship support
The University of Auckland can also offer hardship support assistance for students whose studies are threatened by financial hardship. This includes Student Emergency Fund (SEF) assistance (where appropriate) in the form of a targeted grant. Eligibility criteria apply. Email: scholarships@auckland.ac.nz for a SEF form.

Other emergency hardship support may also be accessed through the faculty and students’ association. Contact the student association (ETTSA) administrator for an application form.

Indicative tuition fees
Please note this table shows 2009 fees and provides a guide only. Adjustment for 2010 is likely.

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<tr>
<td>Diploma of Teaching (Early Childhood Education)</td>
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<td>Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Early Childhood Education) full-time load 150 points</td>
<td>$6,447</td>
<td>$28,525</td>
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<td>$6,888</td>
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<td>Bachelor of Physical Education</td>
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<tr>
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In addition to tuition fees, students pay a student services fee and a building levy. In 2009 (for a student enrolled full-time in 120 points) these fees were:

- Student services fee $350.40
- Building levy $72.00

All of these fees are charged on a per-point basis, so students taking less/more than 120 points will pay proportionately lower/higher fees.
Dates to remember

Closing date for applications
Applications for admission into 2010 programmes close on 8 December 2009. Due to the high demand for Faculty of Education programmes in recent semesters, we recommend that applications are submitted, in full, as early as possible.

There may also be a mid-year intake in 2010 for some programmes. Applications for admissions into 2010 mid-year programmes close on 1 June 2010.

Applications received after the closing dates may be considered if there are places available.

Please contact the Faculty of Education for updated information.

Faculty of Education Open Evening
Wednesday 19 August 2009  4pm - 7.30pm
Visit us at the Faculty of Education’s Epsom Campus to find out all you need to know about our undergraduate teaching, social work and human services (youth work, disability studies) programmes.

This is your opportunity to have a look around the campus, talk with staff and current students, attend information sessions and get answers to all those questions you may have.

You’ll also get information on the student support services we offer, our foundation certificates, admission and enrolment advice. Representatives from StudyLink will also be available to answer your questions about student loans and allowances. TeachNZ representatives will also be at the Open Evening with information on TeachNZ scholarships and allowances.

Courses and Careers Day
Saturday 29 August 2009
This is a good chance to visit the University’s City Campus and experience campus life. Enjoy lectures, displays, interactive events and entertainment.

Find out about all the qualifications and programmes offered by the University. Student support staff will be on-hand to answer all your questions and give advice on courses, enrolment and entry requirements.

Visit www.education.auckland.ac.nz for more information on other upcoming events and news.

Introduction days 2010
Introduction days for new students are held at the beginning of each semester and usually take place the week before lectures start. Once you are enrolled in a programme you will receive information on when the introduction day for your programme will be held.

A powhiri is held to formally welcome you and your fellow students onto the campus. You also receive essential course information and advice, meet some of your lecturers as well as fellow students who will be studying the same programme as you. Make sure you take note of when your introduction day will be held.

The University of Auckland’s “Orientation Week” is a highlight for most students and there are plenty of social activities, cultural events and other events held on and off campus to keep you entertained.

Academic year 2010

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*Note: The Graduate Diploma in Teaching (ECE) and the Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Primary) (see p14 and p18) begin on the following dates:

| Semester One     | Primary - Monday 18 January |
|                  | ECE - Tuesday 26 January |
| Semester Two     | Primary - Monday 12 July |
|                  | ECE (on-campus) - Monday 19 July |
|                  | ECE (flexi-mode) - Monday 12 July |

Disclaimer

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How to apply

1. Enquire
Visit www.education.auckland.ac.nz or contact our student advisers for any information you need.

Phone: +64 9 623 8883 Email: education@auckland.ac.nz
Faculty of Education Student Centre: A Block, Gate 3, 74 Epsom Avenue, Epsom, Auckland

2. Apply (make sure you apply as early as possible)
Do you have internet access, or can you come on to campus? (Make sure you apply by the closing date.)

Yes
• Visit www.auckland.ac.nz
• Click on “Apply Now”.
• Complete the online application for Entrance to the University indicating the programme(s) of your choice

No
Phone: 0800 61 62 63
Email: studentinfo@auckland.ac.nz
The ClockTower Call Centre will forward the required information to you.

3A. For Entrance to the University

Receive acknowledgement letter

Provide requested details for Entrance to the University

Log on as instructed to track processing of application

Admissions Office verifies your eligibility for Entrance to the University (may depend on NCEA results) etc.

Entrance not granted

Entrance granted

Consider Foundation Certificate. Contact the Faculty of Education.

3B. For selection into Faculty of Education programmes

Download and submit Supplementary Information Form from www.education.auckland.ac.nz under Quick Links

Provide all Supplementary Information for programme selection

Attend interview as requested (note the faculty may not interview all candidates)

Selected

Not selected

You will receive an offer of place in the programme (may be conditional on your Entrance to the University being granted)

Accept or decline within 10 working days

Complete enrolment as advised by faculty

Pay your fees

Congratulations. You are now a student at The University of Auckland.

Please make sure you complete both 3A and 3B of the application process (concurrently)
Contact
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