

New Zealand Certificate in Study and Employment Pathways (Level 4)

Intakes
22/02/2027 (New Plymouth)
19/07/2027 (New Plymouth)

Duration
One semester full time

Domestic Fees
$3,421.00

International Fees
$11,971.00*

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Take the next step into higher level qualifications, degree-level study or enter the workforce with this qualification. You will focus on developing core skills to help you achieve in your career or study plans including strong strategies for learning, academic writing, referencing and digital literacy. Study includes classes four days a week on campus.

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This programme is open entry

Applicants whose first language is not English may be required to provide evidence of an overall IELTS (Academic) band score of 5.5 (with no score below 5 in speaking, reading, writing and listening) or equivalent.

International Scholarships

Please see here for information regarding international scholarships.

Courses

Core Courses

SCP 4.001

Communication Skills

In this course, students will develop reading, writing and interpersonal skills in preparation for the literacy demands of tertiary study.

SCP 4.002

Career Preparation and Study Skills

To provide students with the opportunity to develop study and citizenship skills for successful future study and work in New Zealand/Aotearoa.

Elective Courses (Pick Two)

SCP 4.003

Sociology

To provide students with an introduction to the major components that help shape New Zealand society and allow individuals and groups to make sense of the communities in which they live.

SCP 4.004

Biological Science

In this course students will gain a basic knowledge of biological science, with particular reference to the human body.

You will learn how to:

- Locate, select and analyse relevant information from a variety of sources and apply this information by working independently and collaboratively, on context-relevant tasks and problems
- Construct a well-reasoned and researched argument relevant to their chosen field(s) and communicate it, using a range of appropriate modes and media
- Evaluate the qualities, skills and strengths of their rangatiratanga and identify areas for further development in study/training and/or employment
- Develop and critique a plan for study and/or employment pathways relevant to their chosen field.

Programme specific information

This qualification is for people intending to pursue focused development in the skills, capabilities, knowledge and attributes needed to succeed at higher levels including at degree level, within the context of a field of study or career pathway.

Students will be required to provide evidence they can progress through the programme of study. This may

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require an interview, challenge assessment or submission of a portfolio of work to ensure that students choose the most appropriate programme of study.

Students will be required to attend an interview or Information Day to guide them in their selection of courses and finalise the timetable via discussion with the course co-ordinator or tutor prior to enrolment. Full-time or part-time study options available.

Further Study Options

Holders of this qualification will be able to progress to further study or training at WITT Te Pūkenga, at NZQF Level 5 and above (degree, diploma or certificate) related to the context of their programme.

International students: Pathway offer letters are available to international students for further study.

I enrolled into the study and career prep course in 2022 to gain the tools that were necessary for me to get into the Bachelor of Nursing. The tutors are amazing and are very helpful along with the students. I highly recommend anyone who is going into postgraduate or university to take on the study career prep course (Level 4). Because of the study and career prep I am now in my second semester of Nursing. Mauri Ora! And Kia kaha!

Sarah Te Awhe

Study and Career Preparation

*International Fee Exclusions

International fees displayed are for 1 year of study (equivalent to 120 credits); OR as specified for the duration of the programme of study, and do not include the below;

- Travel and Medical Insurance – NZ $800 per year (provided by UniCare NZ)
- Compulsory Student Services Fee (CSSF) – NZ $320 per 120 credits

International fees may increase in each new academic year. Any increase in the fees is required to be paid in full before a student is enrolled and allowed to attend class.

Post Study Work Visa Eligibility

International graduates may be eligible for an open Post Study Work Visa.

https://www.witt.ac.nz/international-students/post-study-work-visa-eligibility

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