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Arts and Education

Undergraduate

Programme Name	Majors/subjects	Duration, points	Intake	Link
Bachelor of Arts^c	Academic English Studies and Linguistics, Anthropology, Art History, Asian Studies, Classical Studies and Ancient History, Chinese, Communication, Criminology, Drama, Education, English, European Studies, French, Gender Studies, German, History, Japanese, Korean, Linguistics, Logic and Computation, Māori Studies, Media and Screen Studies, Music, Pacific Studies, Philosophy, Politics and International Relations, Sociology, Spanish, Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL), Theological and Religious Studies Other subject areas available as a BA major: Economics, Employment Relations and Organisation Studies, Geography, Mathematics, Psychology, Statistics	3 years, 360 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/ba
Bachelor of Communication^c	Communication and Social Change, Communication and Technology, Communication in Leadership	3 years, 360 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/bc
Bachelor of Dance Studies*		3 years, 360 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/bdancest
Bachelor of Early Childhood Studies*		3 years, 360 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/beccs
Bachelor of Education (Teaching)*		3 years, 360 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/bedtchg
Bachelor of Education (TESOL)*		3 years, 360 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/bedtesol
Bachelor of Fine Arts^c		3 years, 360 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/bfa
Bachelor of Global Studies^c	Global Environment and Sustainable Development, Global Politics and Human Rights, International Relations and Business	3 years, 360 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/bglocalst
Bachelor of Music^c	Performance, Composition, Jazz, Songcraft and Music Production, Musicology, Music Education	3 years, 360 points	Semester One, Semester Two**	auckland.ac.nz/bmus
Bachelor of Sport, Health and Physical Education^c	Health Education and Promotion, Sport Coaching and Leadership, Sport Science, Health and Physical Education, Dance	3 years, 360 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/bsporthpe

Postgraduate

Programme Name	Majors/subjects	Duration, points	Intake	Link
Bachelor of Arts (Honours)*	Anthropology, Art History, Asian Studies, Chinese, Classical Studies and Ancient History, Criminology, Drama, Economics, Education, Employment Relations and Organisation Studies, English, French, Geography, German, History, Italian, Japanese, Latin, Linguistics, Māori Studies, Media and Screen Studies, Museums and Cultural Heritage, Pacific Studies, Philosophy, Politics and International Relations, Screen Production, Sociology, Spanish	1 year, 120 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/ba-hons
Graduate Diploma in Teaching Primary*		1 year, 150 points	Late January	auckland.ac.nz/graddiptchg-primary
Graduate Diploma in Teaching Secondary*		1 year, 150 points	Late January	auckland.ac.nz/graddiptchg-sec

* Further entry requirements, please visit the programme link for more detail

** Semester Two intake not available for all specialisations

C: Conjoint options available

O: Online option(s) available, see online.auckland.ac.nz

Master of Arts	Ancient History, Anthropology, Applied Linguistics, Art History, Asian Studies, Criminology, Drama, Economics, Education, Employment Relations and Organisation Studies, English, Geography, History, Latin, Linguistics, Media and Screen Studies, Museums and Cultural Heritage, Māori Studies, Pacific Studies, Philosophy, Politics and International Relations, Screen Production, Sociology See website for details on which subjects are available for Research or Taught specialisations	Research: 1 year, 120 points Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/ma
Master of Community Dance*		Research: 1 year, 120 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mcommdance
Master of Conflict and Terrorism Studies		Research: 1 year, 120 points Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mcts
Master of Counselling*		Research: 1 year, 120 points or 2 years, 240 points Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 2 years, 240 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/mcouns
Master of Creative Writing*		Research: 1 year, 120 points	Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mcw
Master of Dance Movement Therapy*		Research: 2 years, 240 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/mdmt
Master of Dance Studies*		Research: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mdancest
Master of Education*		Research: 1 year, 120 or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/med
Master of Education Practice*		Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/medprac
Master of Educational Leadership*		Research: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/medld
Master of Fine Arts*		Research: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mfa
Master of Global Studies*		Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/mglobalst
Master of Indigenous Studies*^o		Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mindigst
Master of Music*		Research: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mmus
Master of Professional Studies*	Education, Mathematics Education	Research or Taught: 1 year, 120 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mprof-studs
Master of Professional Supervision*		Research or Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mprofsup
Master of Professional Supervision Practice*		Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mprofsupprac
Master of Public Policy*^o		Research: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mpp

Master of Social and Community Leadership*	Research: 1.5 years, 180 points Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mscl
Master of Social Work*	Research: 1 year, 120 points or 2 years, 240 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/msw
Master of Social Work Professional*	Taught: 2 years, 240 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/mswprof
Master of Teaching and Learning (Early Childhood)*	Taught: 1 year, 180 points or 2 years part-time	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mtl
Master of Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages*	Taught: 1 year, 120 points 1.5 years, 180-points taught programme available from Semester 2, 2026	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mtesol

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O: Online option(s) available, see online.auckland.ac.nz

Business

Undergraduate

Programme Name	Majors/subjects	Duration, points	Intake	Link
Bachelor of Commerce*^c	Accounting, Business Analytics, Commercial Law, Economics, Finance, Human Resource Management, Information Systems, Innovation and Entrepreneurship, International Business, Management, Marketing, Operations and Supply Chain Management, Taxation	3 years, 360 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/bcom
Bachelor of Property*^c		3 years, 360 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/bprop

Postgraduate

Programme Name	Majors/subjects	Duration, points	Intake	Link
Master of Applied Finance*		Taught: 15 months, 180 points	Quarter Four	auckland.ac.nz/mappfin
Master of Business Analytics**	Marketing, Supply Chain Management, FinTech	Taught: 15 months, 180 points	Quarter Two, Quarter Four	auckland.ac.nz/mbusan
Master of Commerce	Accounting, Commercial Law, Economics, Finance, Global Management and Innovation, Information Systems, Marketing, Operations and Supply Chain Management	Research: 1 year, 120 points Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 18 months, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mcom
Master of International Business		Taught: 15 months, 180 points	Quarter Two, Quarter Four	auckland.ac.nz/mintbus
Master of Marketing		Taught: 15 months, 180 points	Quarter Two, Quarter Four	auckland.ac.nz/mmktg
Master of Professional Accounting		Taught: 15 months, 180 points	Quarter Two, Quarter Four	auckland.ac.nz/mprofacctg

* Further entry requirements, please visit the programme link for more detail

** Specialisations are driven by demand and might not be offered every quarter

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Engineering and Design

Undergraduate

Programme Name	Majors/subjects	Duration, points	Intake	Link
Bachelor of Architectural Studies*		3 years, 360 pts	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/bas
Bachelor of Design*^c		3 years, 360 pts	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/bdes
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)*^c	Biomedical, Chemical and Materials, Civil, Computer Systems, Electrical and Electronic, Engineering Science, Mechanical, Mechatronics, Software, Structural	4 years, 480 pts	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/be-hons
Bachelor of Urban Planning (Honours)*		4 years, 480 pts	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/burbplan-hons

Postgraduate

Programme Name	Majors/subjects	Duration, points	Intake	Link
Master of Aerospace Engineering*		Research: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/maerospaceeng
Master of Architecture*	Architecture, Sustainable Design	Research: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two Late Year Term	auckland.ac.nz/march
Master of Architecture (Professional)*		Research: 2 years, 240 pts	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/marchprof
Master of Architecture (Professional) and Urban Design*		Research: 2.5 years, 300 pts	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/marchprof-urbdes
Master of Architecture (Professional) and Urban Planning (Professional)*		Taught: 3 years, 360 pts	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/marchprof-urbplanprof
Master of Civil Engineering*^o	Civil Engineering, Construction Engineering, Environmental Engineering, Geotechnical Engineering, Structural Engineering, Transportation Engineering, Water Engineering	Research or Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mcivileng
Master of Design*	Māori Planning Issues, Urban Design Studio, Urban Design Theory and Practice, Urban Economic Development	Research: 1.5 years, 180 points Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/mdes
Master of Disaster Management*		Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mdismgt
Master of Earthquake Engineering*		Research or Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/meqeng
Master of Energy*		Research or Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/menergy
Master of Engineering*	Chemical and Materials, Computer Systems, Electrical and Electronic, Engineering Science, Mechanical, Mechatronics, Software	Research: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/me
Master of Engineering Management*^o		Taught: 1 year, 120 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/memgt
Master of Engineering Project Management*^o	Health Projects specialisation available	Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mepm

Master of Engineering Studies*^O	Chemical and Materials, Computer Systems, Construction Management, Electrical and Electronic, Engineering Science, Food Engineering, Mechanical, Mechatronics, Software, Sustainable Resource Recovery	Research (Food Engineering and Sustainable Resource Recovery only): 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mengst
Master of Medical Engineering*	Biomechanical Engineering, Med Devices and Technologies	Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/ mmedicaleng
Master of Operations Research and Analytics*		Research or Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/moran
Master of Professional Engineering*	Civil Engineering	Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points or 2 years, 240 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mprofeng
Master of Robotics and Automation Engineering*		Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mroboteng
Master of Urban Design*		Taught: 1 year, 120 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/murbdes
Master of Urban Planning*	Housing and Community Development, Māori Planning Issues, Urban Economic Development, Urban Planning Contexts, Urban Planning Law	Research: 1 year, 120 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/murbplan
Master of Urban Planning (Professional)*	Housing and Community Development, Māori Planning Issues, Urban Economic Development, Urban Planning Contexts	Taught: 2 years, 240 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/ murbplanprof
Master of Urban Planning (Professional) and Urban Design*	Housing and Community Development, Māori Planning Issues, Urban Design Theory and Practice, Urban Economic Development, Urban Planning Contexts, Urban Planning Law, Urban Planning Theory	Taught: 2.5 years, 300 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/ murbplanprofurbdes

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O: Online option(s) available, see online.auckland.ac.nz

Undergraduate

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 **December start is available for the 120-point research masters programme only, subject to supervisor availability
 ***New programme commencing in 2028
 C: Conjoint options available

Medical and Health Sciences

Undergraduate

Programme Name	Majors/subjects	Duration, points	Intake	Link
Bachelor of Biomedical Science		3 years, 360 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/bbiomedsc
Bachelor of Health Sciences* ^c	Community Health, Health Systems and Data Analytics	3 years, 360 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/bhsc
Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery*		6 years, 720 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/mbchb
Bachelor of Nursing*		3 years, 360 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/bnurs
Bachelor of Optometry*		5 years, 600 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/boptom
Bachelor of Pharmacy*		4 years, 480 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/bpharm
Bachelor of Medical Imaging (Honours)*		4 years, 480 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/bmedimag-hons

Postgraduate

Programme Name	Majors/subjects	Duration, points	Intake	Link
Master of Audiology*		Research with practicum: 2 years, 240 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/maud
Master of Biomedical Science*		Research: 1 year, 120 points or 2 years, 240 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mbiomedsc
Master of Clinical Education*		Research: 1 year, 120 points or 2 years, 240 points Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 2 years, 240 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mclined
Master of Clinical Pharmacy*		Research: 1 year, 120 points or 3 years 240 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mclinpharm
Master of Health Leadership*		Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mhlthld
Master of Health Practice*	Addiction Studies	Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mhlthprac
Master of Health Psychology*		Research: 2 years, 240 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/mhealthpsych
Master of Health Sciences		Research: 1 year, 120 points Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mhsc
Master of Nursing*		Research or taught (part-time): 2 years, 120 points or 4 years, 240 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mnurs
Master of Nursing Science*		Taught: 2 years, 240 points	January (early start)	auckland.ac.nz/mnsc
Master of Nutrition and Dietetics		Research with practicum: 2 years, 240 points	Semester 1	
Master of Paediatrics*		Taught (part-time): 1.5 years, 120 points or 3.5 years, 180 points	Flexible (Part-time programme)	auckland.ac.nz/mpaed
Master of Public Health*		Research: 1 year, 120 points or 2 years, 240 points Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 2 years, 240 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mph

*Further entry requirements, please visit the programme link for more detail
C: Conjoint options available

Science

Undergraduate

Programme Name	Majors/subjects	Duration, points	Intake	Link
Bachelor of Psychology		3 years, 360 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/bpsych
Bachelor of Science	Anthropological Science, Applied Exercise and Sport Sciences, Biodiversity Ecology and Evolution, Cell and Molecular Bioscience*, Chemistry, Computer Science, Data Science, Earth Sciences, Environmental Science, Exercise Sciences*, Food Science, Geographic Information Science, Geography, Green Chemical Science, Information and Technology Management, Logic and Computation, Marine Science, Mathematics, Medicinal Chemistry*, Nutrition*, Pharmacology*, Physics, Physiology*, Psychology, Statistics	3 years, 360 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/bsc
Graduate Diploma in Science*	Anthropological Science, Biodiversity Ecology and Evolution, Cell and Molecular Bioscience*, Chemistry, Computer Science, Earth Sciences, Environmental Science, Exercise Sciences*, Food Science, Geographic Information Science, Geography, Information and Technology Management, Logic and Computation, Marine Science, Mathematics, Medicinal Chemistry*, Nutrition*, Pharmacology*, Physics, Physiology*, Psychology, Statistics	1 year, 120 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/graddipsci

*Further entry requirements, please visit the programme page for more detail

Postgraduate

Programme Name	Majors/subjects	Duration, points	Intake	Link
Bachelor of Science (Honours)*	Applied Mathematics, Biological Sciences, Chemistry, Computer Science, Earth Sciences, Environmental Physics, Environmental Science, Exercise Sciences, Food Science, Geography, Green Chemical Science, Logic and Computation, Mathematics, Medical Physics and Imaging Tech, Medicinal Chemistry, Pharmacology, Psychology, Physics, Physiology, Statistics	Taught: 1 year, 120 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/bsc-hons
Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Psychology	Prerequisite: Master of Behaviour Analysis	Taught: 1 year, 120 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/pgdipapppsych
Postgraduate Diploma in Artificial Intelligence		Taught: 1 year, 120 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/pgdip-ai
Postgraduate Diploma in Bioscience Enterprise*		Taught: 1 year, 120 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/pgdipbioent
Postgraduate Diploma in Forensic Science*		Taught: 1 year 120 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/pgdipforensic
Postgraduate Diploma in Mathematical Modelling		Taught: 1 year, 120 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/pgdip-mathmodel
Postgraduate Diploma in Science*	Applied Mathematics, Biological Sciences, Chemistry, Computer Science, Earth Sciences, Environmental Physics, Environmental Science, Exercise Sciences, Food Science, Geography, Green Chemical Science, Logic and Computation, Mathematics, Medical Physics and Imaging Tech, Medicinal Chemistry, Pharmacology, Physics, Physiology, Psychology, Statistics	Taught: 1 year, 120 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/pgdipsci
Master of Artificial Intelligence*		Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/mai
Master of Behaviour Analysis*		Research: 2 years, 240 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/mbehanalysis

Master of Biotechnology*		Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mbiotech
Master of Bioscience Enterprise	Prerequisite: Postgraduate Diploma in Bioscience Enterprise	Research: 1 year, 120 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/mbioent
Master of Chemistry*	Analytical Chemistry, Chemistry, Materials Science	Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mchem
Master of Clinical Exercise Physiology*		Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/mclinexphys
Master of Data Science*		Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points or 2 years, 240 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mdatasci
Master of Ecology*		Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mecology
Master of Engineering Geology*		Research: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/menggeol
Master of Environmental Management*		Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/menvmgt
Master of Environmental Science*		Research or Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/menvsci
Master of Food Science*		Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/mfoodsci
Master of Information Technology*		Taught: 1 year, 120 pt or 1.5 years, 180 points or 2 years, 240 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/minfotech
Master of Mathematical Modelling*		Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mmamodel
Master of Marine Conservation*		Research or Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mmarinecons
Master of Marine Studies*		Research or Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mmarinest
Master of Organisational Psychology*		Research or Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One	auckland.ac.nz/morgpsych
Master of Physiotherapy Practice*		Taught: 2 years, 240 points	February	auckland.ac.nz/mphysioprac
Master of Professional Studies*	Data Science, Digital Security, Mathematics Education	Research or Taught: 1 year, 120 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mprofstuds
Master of Science*	Applied Mathematics, Biological Sciences, Biosecurity and Conservation Chemistry, Computer Science, Earth Sciences, Environmental Management, Environmental Physics, Environmental Science, Exercise Sciences, Food Science, Forensic Science, Geography, Green Chemical Science, Logic and Computation, Marine Science, Mathematics, Pharmacology, Physics, Physiology, Psychology, Speech Science, Statistics, Wine Science	Research or Taught: 1 year, 120 points or 2 years, 240 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/msc
Master of Speech Language Therapy Practice*		Taught: 2 years, 240 points	February	auckland.ac.nz/msltprac
Master of Wine Science*		Taught: 1.5 years, 180 points	Semester One, Semester Two	auckland.ac.nz/mwinesci

*Further entry requirements, please visit the programme link for more detail

PhD Study

Pursue your PhD at the University of Auckland and pay the same tuition fees as New Zealand doctoral candidates – just NZ\$8,847.60¹ or around US\$5,200².

Find a research supervisor

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Scholarships

Scholarship options are available for international PhD candidates, including country-specific funding provided by your home government. The University of Auckland Doctoral Scholarships (UoADS) are also an option for all applicants. These are highly competitive and only available as part of the admission process.

auckland.ac.nz/phd-scholarships

How to apply

Step 1. Check your eligibility

- › auckland.ac.nz/doctoralentry



Step 2. Choose your area of interest

Decide on your potential research topic, then check our active research in that area by exploring:

- › **Find a supervisor:** profiles.auckland.ac.nz
- › Faculty and department websites



Step 3. Check application closing dates

- › You can submit an Application for Admission at any time.
- › To be considered for the University of Auckland Doctoral Scholarship (UoADS), note that there are several closing dates for applications. See auckland.ac.nz/phd-scholarships



Step 4. Prepare your documentation

You will need electronic copies of:

- › Undergraduate and Postgraduate academic transcripts
- › Initial Statement of Research Intent
- › Curriculum vitae (résumé)
- › English language test results
- › Evidence of your prior research experience: thesis/dissertation and/or publications



Step 5. Apply online

auckland.ac.nz/doctoralapplications

You will receive an acknowledgment email with your Application for Admission login details. You can use these details to keep track of your application status.

Note: in your online application you will be asked to nominate your proposed main supervisor. You should already have been in contact with this person and secured their agreement that you can name them in your application. If you do not name a proposed main supervisor your application process will take longer.

The support of a supervisor does not guarantee you a place in our programme. The University's Graduate Research Committee makes the final decision regarding all PhD admissions.

auckland.ac.nz/phd



Application help

Follow our step-by-step guide for doctoral applications, admissions and enrolment.

auckland.ac.nz/doctoralapplications

Find an official agent or overseas representative who can help you with the application process in person.

auckland.ac.nz/overseasrep

Get answers to your questions using our online help tool.

askauckland.ac.nz

1. The 2027 tuition fee had not been set at the time of publication. To be eligible for the domestic fee, you must reside in New Zealand for the duration of your PhD programme. However, you may undertake research activities and conferences overseas during your doctoral programme (for a cumulative total of no more than 12 months).

2. July 2026

Programme Entry Requirements

Our programmes have different entry and English language requirements.

You can find out more on the programme pages online.

auckland.ac.nz/programmes

You can see more about requirements online for different study levels.

Undergraduate: auckland.ac.nz/ug-entry-reqs

Postgraduate: auckland.ac.nz/pg-entry-reqs

Doctor of Philosophy: auckland.ac.nz/phd-entry-reqs

Online programmes

Experience a world-class online education from the University of Auckland without needing to move to New Zealand, eliminating travel, accommodation, and relocation costs.

Visa: You can study without a New Zealand student visa from your home country.

Post-Study Work Visa: Students enrolled in the University of Auckland Online programmes are not eligible for the post-study work visa. For any queries related to this information, you can contact Immigration New Zealand.

online.auckland.ac.nz/international

Calculate your GPE

Grades or marks achieved at the University of Auckland are calculated as a Grade Point Average (GPA). Grades or marks achieved through prior study at other institutions are converted into a Grade Point Equivalent (GPE) at the University of Auckland.

To convert your grades into a GPE, use our GPE Calculator:*

auckland.ac.nz/gpe-calculator

**The online calculator provides an indicative guide only and does not guarantee admission to the University.*

English language proficiency

The table below shows the minimum scores for admission to the University. However, some of our undergraduate and postgraduate programmes have higher requirements.

See more about our English language requirements.

Undergraduate: auckland.ac.nz/ug-english-reqs

Postgraduate: auckland.ac.nz/pg-english-reqs

Minimum English language proficiency requirements

	Undergraduate	Postgraduate
IELTS (Academic)	Overall score of 6.0 and no bands below 5.5	Overall score of 6.5 and no bands below 6.0
Internet-based TOEFL (iBT): 120-point scale	Overall score of 80 and a writing score of 21	Overall score of 90 and a writing score of 21
Internet-based TOEFL (iBT): 6-point scale	Overall score of 4.0 and a writing score of 4.0	Overall score of 4.5 and a writing score of 4.5
C1 Advanced (previously Cambridge English: Advanced (CAE))	Overall score of 169 and no bands below 162	Overall score of 176 and no bands below 169
C2 Proficiency (previously – Cambridge English Proficiency (CPE))	Overall score of 169 and no bands below 162	Overall score of 176 and no bands below 169
University of Auckland Foundation Certificate in English for Academic Purposes (FCertEAP)	Grade of C-	Grade of B-
Pearson Test of English (PTE) Academic*	Overall score of 50 and no PTE Communicative score below 42	Overall score of 58 and no PTE Communicative score below 50
Michigan English Language Assessment Battery (MELAB)	80	85
Trinity College London Integrated Skills in English (ISE)	ISE II with distinction in all 4 components	ISE III with a pass in all 4 components
LanguageCert International ESOL	C1 Expert (LRWS) with a pass overall and no less than a pass in each skill	C1 Expert (LRWS) with a high pass overall and no less than a pass in each skill OR C2 Mastery with a pass overall and no less than a pass in each skill

Note: IELTS One Skill Retake is accepted

**You must authorise the University to view and verify your PTE scores.*

Pathways

University of Auckland International College

A foundation programme is a great alternative pathway to a bachelors degree – for students who don't meet direct entry requirements, want to start university early, or prefer a smoother transition from high school.

Students who meet the required standards are guaranteed entry into University of Auckland bachelors degrees. Outstanding students are eligible for scholarships.

As a foundation programme student, you will have access to the same services as an undergraduate student. You'll benefit from

comprehensive academic support, including small class sizes and dedicated tutorials.

We offer flexible study durations from 6 to 12 months to accommodate different English proficiency levels.

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	Foundation Studies			Foundation Connect*	Pathways Link*
Programme type	Accelerated	Fast-track	Standard	Progression to Foundation	Progression to Foundation
Duration	6 months (2 terms)	8-9 months (3 terms)	12 months (4 terms)	6 months (2 terms)	12 months (4 terms)
Tuition fees (NZD)	\$29,253	\$39,003	\$39,003	\$18,533**	\$35,438**
Resource fee (NZD)	-	-	-	\$1,400	\$2,300
Enrolment fee (NZD)	\$575	\$575	\$575	\$575	\$575
2027 intake and orientation	Intake: 19 Apr, 4 Oct Orientation: 12 Apr, 27 Sep	Intake: 19 Apr, 4 Oct Orientation: 12 Apr, 27 Sep	Intake: 25 Jan, 12 Jul Orientation: 18 Jan, 5 Jul	Intake: 25 Jan, 19 Apr, 12 Jul, 4 Oct Orientation: 18 Jan, 12 Apr, 5 Jul, 27 Sep	Intake: 25 Jan, 12 Jul Orientation: 18 Jan, 5 Jul
Orientation dates	27 Jan, 2 Sep	20 Apr, 28 Sep	27 Jan, 13 Jul,	27 Jan, 20 Apr, 13 Jul, 28 Sep	27 Jan, 13 Jul

* Students starting with Foundation Connect / Pathways Link Programmes will pay the Resource and Enrolment fees once and will not be charged again upon progression to Foundation.

** The fees for 2027 have yet to be finalised at the time of publication but will be available on the University of Auckland International College website later this year.

English Language Academy

If you have not yet met the English language requirements for the University of Auckland, the English Language Academy (ELA) offers programmes that can help you achieve your language goals. We are also an accredited PTE Academic testing centre.

ELA pathway programmes are for conditional offer holders and are designed to help you prepare for university studies. If you achieve the required grade, you will meet the University's English language requirements and will not be required to take IELTS or any similar test.

Our courses range from 10 to 30 weeks, depending on your current level of English.

ela.auckland.ac.nz

Entry requirements



	Undergraduate pathways		Postgraduate pathways		
Type	Accelerated	Standard	Accelerated	Standard	Extended
Programme name	English Pathway for Undergraduate Studies (EPUS)	Foundation Certificate in English for Academic Purposes (FCertEAP)	English Pathway for Postgraduate Studies (EPPS)	Foundation Certificate in English for Academic Purposes (FCertEAP)	Foundation Certificate in English for Academic Purposes Plus (FCertEAP Plus)
Duration	10 weeks	20 weeks	10 weeks	20 weeks	30 weeks
Fees (NZD)	\$7,200	\$14,400	\$7,200	\$14,400	\$20,900
2027 Intake dates:	18 January, 5 April, 21 June, 6 September, 15 November				

Accommodation

Benefits

- › Safe, comfortable and supportive environment
- › Water and electricity are included
- › Access University WiFi
- › Membership to Hiwa, our Recreation Centre
- › Resident support
- › Laundry facilities
- › Social calendar and recreational spaces to unwind
- › Study areas for focus
- › Academic support
- › Resident support

Application dates

Applications for Semester One 2027 open on 1 August 2026

Applications for Semester Two 2027 open on 1 April 2027

Apply for accommodation at the same time you apply for your academic programme.

Late applications may be considered if rooms are available. If you're applying in Semester Two, Quarter Two, Quarter Four, or between terms, please contact our Accommodation Solutions team.

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Undergraduate and postgraduate residences			
	Room type	Weekly rate NZD (2027)	Walk to City Campus
55 Symonds	Single and double deluxe studios with private kitchenette and bathroom	\$465-\$515 (52 weeks) \$520-\$570 (42 weeks)	8 mins
Carlaw Park Student Village	Three to four-bedroom flats with private bedrooms and shared kitchen, lounge and bathroom	\$375 (42 weeks) \$345 (52 weeks)	15 mins
Stuart McCutcheon House	Three to six-bedroom flats with private bedrooms, a shared kitchen, lounge and bathroom	\$385 (42 weeks) \$355 (52 weeks)	10 mins
Te Tirohanga o te Tōangaroa	Single rooms with shared bathroom facilities on each floor and two large shared kitchens	\$360 (42 weeks) \$330 (52 weeks)	5 mins
Waikohanga House	One to three-bedroom apartments for couples and families	\$565-\$775 (52 weeks)	7 mins

First-year school-leaver halls			
	Room type	Weekly rate NZD (2027)	Walk to City Campus
Grafton Hall	Single rooms with shared bathrooms	\$550	10-15 mins
O'Rorke Hall	Single rooms in shared pods with shared bathrooms	\$550	5 mins
University Hall Towers	Single rooms with shared bathrooms	\$550	10 mins
Waipārūrū Hall	Single rooms with shared bathrooms	\$580	10 mins
University Hall Apartments	Single rooms in 4-5 bedroom apartments with shared kitchen, lounge and bathrooms. Optional meal plans available.	\$385	10 mins



Compare accommodation options

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Learn more about our residences

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Scholarships and awards

Each year, we award over NZ\$92 million in scholarships and prizes to students like you, helping you achieve your study goals. Our scholarships are highly sought-after and applications are extremely competitive, so make sure to start preparing your scholarship applications early – submit it only after receiving a conditional or unconditional offer of admission.

All faculties			
Scholarship	Applicable study	Value	Tenure
Undergraduate			
University of Auckland Foundation Pathway High Achiever Scholarship	High achievers from our Foundation Pathway partners enrolling in undergraduate study	\$20,000	One year
University of Auckland International School Leaver Scholarship	International students who completed secondary school in New Zealand and are commencing an undergraduate degree	\$20,000	One year
Postgraduate			
University of Auckland China High Achiever Scholarship	New international students enrolling in postgraduate programmes	25% of tuition fee	One year
University of Auckland India High Achiever Scholarship	New international students enrolling in postgraduate programmes	25% of tuition fee	One year
University of Auckland Indonesia High Achiever Scholarship	New international students enrolling in postgraduate programmes	25% of tuition fee	One year
University of Auckland USA High Achiever Scholarship	New international students enrolling in postgraduate programmes	25% of tuition fee	One year
University of Auckland Vietnam High Achiever Scholarship	New international students enrolling in postgraduate programmes	25% of tuition fee	One year
University of Auckland International Student Excellence Scholarship	New international students enrolling in postgraduate programmes	25% of tuition fee	One year



Find more scholarships, application dates and regulations online.



Undergraduate scholarships
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Postgraduate scholarships
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Faculty specific			
Scholarship	Applicable study	Value	Tenure
Bachelor of Design Game-Changer Scholarship	Any year of a Bachelor of Design or Bachelor of Design conjoint degree	\$5,000	One year
Dean's Asia Scholarship in the Faculty of Business and Economics	First year of study at Waipapa Taumata Rau, University of Auckland in a BCom, BProp or associated conjoint degree	International student tuition fees and compulsory international student health insurance	Up to 360 points of study
Colombo Plan Scholarship in Engineering	Undergraduate or postgraduate study in Engineering	\$3,000 paid as a contribution towards compulsory tuition fees	One year
Kiwiplan Scholarship	BSc in Computer Science or Information and Technology Management; or BE(Hons) in Software Engineering	Up to \$7,000	One year
Marylyn Eve Mayo Endowment Scholarship	Part III LLB or LLB(Hons)	Up to \$6,000	One year
School of Medical Sciences International Masters Scholarship	120 point or 240 point masters degree	Up to \$20,000 per annum contribution to international student tuition fees	Duration of programme
University of Auckland International Business Masters Scholarship	MAppFin, MBusAn, MIntBus, MMgt, MMktg, or MProfAcctg	Up to \$24,000	Duration of programme

International Tuition Fees 2027

The tables below show the estimated tuition fees for 2027. This is an estimation assuming that you are studying full time for a full year (120 points), unless otherwise noted.

In 2026, in addition to the tuition fees, there is a Student Services Fee of \$9.44 per point, estimated at \$1,132.80 for full-time study (120 points) or estimated at \$1,699.20 for full-time study (180 points).

Expect to pay about NZ\$1,200 per year for books and stationery. Some courses also have fees for field trips or site visits.

Visit our website for the most accurate and up-to-date information on international tuition fees

auckland.ac.nz/fees-int



UNDERGRADUATE

Programme	Estimated fees 2027 (NZD)
Bachelor of Architectural Studies	\$54,754.80
Bachelor of Arts (except performance and science-based courses)	\$42,236.40
Bachelor of Arts (performance and science-based courses)	\$51,020.40
Bachelor of Commerce	\$51,020.40
Bachelor of Communications	\$49,681.60 - \$51,020.40
Bachelor of Dance Studies	\$49,581.60
Bachelor of Design	\$51,687.60
Bachelor of Early Childhood Studies	\$42,520.80
Bachelor of Education (Teaching)	\$42,520.80
Bachelor of Education (Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages)	\$42,520.80
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)	\$60,909.60
Bachelor of Fine Arts	\$47,221.20
Bachelor of Global Studies	\$54,754.80
Bachelor of Health Sciences	\$44,959.20
Bachelor of Laws	\$49,578.00
Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery - Year 2 onwards (for Year 1 see Bachelor of Health Sciences)	\$86,561.00
Bachelor of Medical Imaging (Honours)	\$57,974.40
Bachelor of Music	\$49,581.60
Bachelor of Nursing	\$44,959.10
Bachelor of Optometry	\$72,158.40
Bachelor of Pharmacy	\$57,974.40
Bachelor of Property	\$51,020.40
Bachelor of Science	\$49,581.60 - \$60,909.60
Bachelor of Sport, Health and Physical Education	\$42,520.80
Bachelor of Urban Planning (Honours)	\$49,581.60

POSTGRADUATE

Programme	Estimated fees 2027 (NZD)
Architecture	\$58,257.60
Arts	\$47,217.60
Arts (performance and science-based courses)	\$55,479.60
Business and Economics (excluding coursework masters)	\$50,534.40 - \$53,110.80
Dance Studies	\$58,257.60
Design	\$58,257.80
Education (excluding GradDipTchg)	\$45,856.80
Engineering	\$58,257.60
Engineering (geothermal energy courses)	\$71,616.00
Fine Arts	\$51,298.80 - \$55,484.40
Law	\$51,298.80 - \$63,302.40
Medical and Health Sciences	\$57,974.40 - \$86,560.80
Music	\$49,581.60
Science	\$58,257.60
Teaching (GradDipTchg)*	\$44,329.50
Urban Design	\$58,257.60
Urban Planning	\$49,581 - \$58,257.60
Urban Planning (Prof)	\$58,257.60
Interfaculty programmes**	Fees vary, please check our website

* Based on 150 points. The Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Early Childhood Education), Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Primary) and Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Secondary) are intensive 150 points, one year programmes.

** Interfaculty programmes:

Postgraduate Certificate in Artificial Intelligence, Postgraduate Diploma in Artificial Intelligence, Master of Artificial Intelligence, Master of Bioscience Enterprise, Postgraduate Diploma in Bioscience Enterprise, Master of Disaster Management, Master of Energy, Master of Engineering Management, Master of Operations Research, Postgraduate Diploma in Operations Research, Master of Professional Studies.

Business Masters Programmes	Estimated total programme fees based on 180 points, 2026* (NZD)
Master of Applied Finance	\$76,722.98
Master of Business Analytics	*The fees for 2027 have yet to be finalised at the time of publication but will be available on our website later this year.
Master of International Business	
Master of Marketing	
Master of Professional Accounting	
Doctoral Degree	Estimated fees based on 120 points (NZD)
Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)	\$8,847.60* (in 2026)
Doctor of Clinical Psychology	\$58,178.40
Doctor of Education	\$58,178.40
Doctor of Fine Arts	\$58,178.40
Doctor of Medical Sciences	\$58,178.40
Doctor of Music	\$58,178.40
Doctor of Musical Arts	\$58,178.40

*To be eligible for the domestic PhD fee, you must reside in New Zealand for the duration of your doctoral programme. However, you may undertake research activities overseas during your doctoral programme for a cumulative total of no more than 12 months.

Important dates

Summer School 2027	
Summer School begins	Wednesday 6 January
Exams	Monday 15 February - Wednesday 17 February
Semester One 2027	
Semester One begins	Monday 1 March
Mid-semester break	Monday 12 April - Friday 23 April
Exams	Thursday 10 June - Monday 28 June
Inter-semester break	Tuesday 29 June - Friday 16 July
Semester Two 2027	
Semester Two begins	Monday 19 July
Mid-semester break	Monday 30 August - Friday 10 September
Exams	Thursday 28 October - Monday 15 November
Late Year Term 2026-2027	
Late Year Term begins	Tuesday 1 December 2026
Late Year Term ends	Saturday 27 February 2027
Quarter One 2027	
Quarter One begins	Monday 18 January
Study break begins	Wednesday 31 March
Exams	Saturday 3 April
Quarter Two 2027	
Quarter Two begins	Monday 12 April
Study break begins	Monday 21 June
Exams	Saturday 26 June
Quarter Three 2027	
Quarter Three begins	Monday 5 July
Study break begins	Monday 13 September
Exams	Saturday 18 September
Quarter Four 2027	
Quarter Four begins	Monday 27 September
Study break begins	Monday 6 December
Exams	Saturday 11 December

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