

# Skills for You / Te Papa Ako Toi

NEW ZEALAND CERTIFICATE IN FOUNDATION SKILLS LEVEL 1

Free - 20 Week Programme

## Graduate Profile

This qualification is intended to assist people engaging or reengaging with learning to prepare them for further learning and employment. It recognises the importance of core capabilities such as confidence, basic knowledge and skills, and literacy and numeracy.

## Additional Qualifications and Pathways

Students may also gain NCEA Level 1 through gaining their literacy and numeracy credits and completing extra credits outside of the qualification. If students already have achieved credits at level 1, these credits can also contribute towards NCEA Level 1.

## Graduate's will be able to:

- Understand self-management strategies to organise personal life, maintain well-being and continue learning.
- Interact positively with people from their own and other cultures, both individually and in group environments including work and community.
- Reflect on progress towards achieving personal and career goals.
- Organise, interpret, and communicate information using basic literacy and numeracy skills.

## Opportunities for further study after finishing level 1

- NZ Certificate in Foundation Skills (Level 2)
- NCEA Vocational Pathway
- NCEA Level 1 and /or 2 is achievable through either pathway
- Range of ACE programs

## Entry Criteria

- 16-24 years of age at enrolment [15 yrs. with exemption certificate]
- NZ citizen or permanent resident
- Not enrolled elsewhere
- Subject to Literacy / Numeracy Assessment

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## 2023 Intakes

- Term 1 - 30 January & 6 March
- Term 2 - 24 April & 29 May
- Term 3 - 17 July & 21 August
- Term 4 - 9 October & 13 November

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Locations: Ashburton, Christchurch, Gisborne, New Plymouth, Oamaru, Palmerston North, Timaru and Whanganui

"I like learning real life skills that's going to help me in the future" (Skills For You Learner, 2022)