

CAREERS & FUTURE PATHWAYS — with Carolyn & Jade



INFORMATIVE VIRTUAL INTERACTIVE MAP COVERING CIVIL INDUSTRY ROLES.

Click & drag to move the map.
Click on the icons for more information
Search for your dream role!

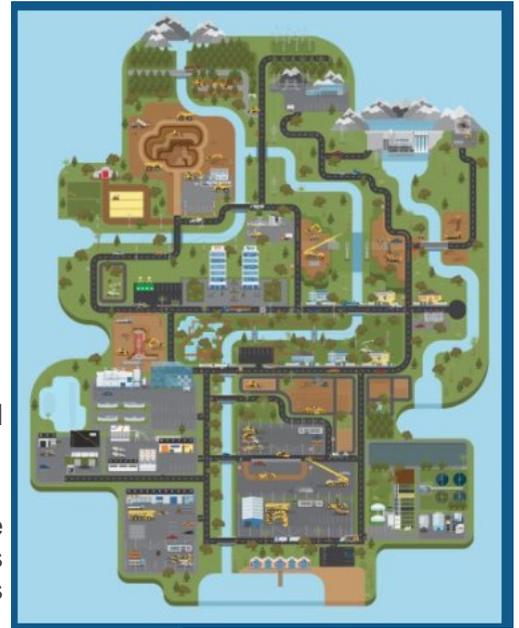
Civil Contractors New Zealand has created this clever visual roadmap for working in civil infrastructure construction.

This awesome work of art has been developed to showcase careers in infrastructure construction to career seekers, students and careers advisors who can support people to take up the tools of the civil trades.

The roadmap features a broad selection of roles, summaries the role selected, information on how to get started and connects through to opportunities around training, qualifications and employment.

This is a fantastic tool for senior students looking at making decisions moving forward out of school; and family members looking for a career in civil construction.

<https://roadmap.civilcontractors.co.nz/>



Piling Rig

Pilers are the driving force behind the sturdy foundations of infrastructure like bridges and large scale buildings. Their expertise lies in reading blueprints, assessing ground conditions, and executing their tasks with precision and safety in mind.



Electrical Trade

Electricians in the Electrical Supply Industry (ESI) specialize in high voltage (HV) electrical maintenance, repairs, and fault finding on transformers, substations, and other large-scale electrical equipment. This work spans across distribution, generation, and transmission networks, with special projects like industrial...



- Transmission Line Structures
- Distribution Lines
- Substations
- To the property boundary

Electrical

Get Started

- From School
- Tertiary Training
- Via Recruiter
- On The Job Training
- Career Changer

The electrical sector is the backbone of New Zealand's infrastructure, supplying the energy needed for domestic activities, technological innovations, and the needs of its citizens. Its importance is highlighted as a reliable and efficient electrical supply is essential for powering industries, homes, and critical infrastructure, ensuring progress and well-being in the Kāwharū area.

Find out more:

- Electrical Workers Registration Board
- The Electrical Training Experts
- Connexis: Energy & Telco Pathway



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DRIVE COACH

Supporting you to support your learner drivers

Are you teaching your teen to drive or have a young driver in the family? Road Safety Education have partnered with Toyota to offer a free workshop called Driver Coach on October 16 at 6:00 PM at Bethlehem Baptist Church.

This popular workshop is designed to help parents and caregivers support their children through the learning-to-drive process. Research shows that teens become safer drivers when their parents are involved and set clear boundaries. The Driver Coach program aims to give you the tools you need for this important journey.

During this 1-hour workshop, you'll learn from a License Tester:

- How the teenage brain works and the best approach to road safety education.
- The difference between instructing and coaching your child.
- Core safety issues for young drivers.
- How to understand the graduated licensing system.
- Tips for choosing a safe vehicle (explaining ANCAP stars).

This is a completely free session with no obligation. It's an excellent chance to get expert advice and support.

NOTICEBOARD

Navigate the Teenage Driver's Journey:

- * Unlock the mysteries of the teenage brain: What makes driving a challenge?
- * Decode risk factors for Young Drivers
 - * Learn the art of coaching a learner driver
 - * Help you support the transition to solo driving
 - * Set a plan for collaborating with driving instructors ...and much more.

DRIVE COACH
Helping you support your teen driver

Location and time:
Thursday 16 October
6:00pm to 7:00pm
Bethlehem Baptist Church
90 Bethlehem Road, Tauranga

Register now on Eventbrite

Powered by **TOYOTA** and **ROAD SAFETY Education**

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY FOR STUDY IN THE AGRICULTURAL SECTOR

Waihi Agricultural Education Trust is looking for students who are heading into tertiary study in the agriculture sector (eg: agricultural science, veterinary science, environmental science, food technology and other areas the like).



If you can demonstrate that your study will benefit New Zealand agriculture, there is a good chance that we could generously contribute to the funding of your studies. Grant application forms are available from Ms Howel, and applications are open now until Friday 12 September 2026.

If you have any questions, please contact Duncan from Waihi Agricultural Education Trust.

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TERTIARY STUDY

There are a number of ways we can help pay for your study. We can also help you sort a budget and find out what you can get.

You need to apply as early as you can to make sure you get everything sorted in time, including your payments.

We may be able to help with:

- compulsory course fees
- course-related costs (eg, books, laptop, etc)
- day-to-day living costs
- other costs (eg disability or childcare).

How much you can get depends on your age, income and course type.

For more information: <https://www.studylink.govt.nz/>

Find out what help you may qualify for, then choose if you want to apply.

<https://www.studylink.govt.nz/online-services/eligibility/index.html>

Based on your answers you'll find out if you could qualify for:

- Student Allowance
- Student Loan
- Jobseeker Support Student Hardship
- Accommodation Supplement
- Disability Allowance



Study Allowance Income Calculator

<https://www.studylink.govt.nz/products/rates/calculators/parental-income-calculator.html>

Student Loan Information

<https://www.studylink.govt.nz/products/a-z-products/student-loan/index.html>



What is Fee's Free?

For more information: <https://www.feesfree.govt.nz/final-year/>

Fees Free is a fund for first-time tertiary learners. It may cover fees for one year's study or two years' work-based training – up to \$12,000. To get Fees Free, you must meet certain eligibility criteria, and your course or programme must also be eligible.

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Study Accommodation Applications are open APPLY NOW

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Jumpstart Driver Training Updated Statistics

Over 70,000km have been driven! That is the equivalent of driving the ring road around the whole of Australia! What an achievement!



205 PARTICIPANTS of the OceanaGold Jumpstart Programme; 175 from Waihi College plus 30 Community Students

124 SCHOOL STUDENTS and 16 community students have passed their Restricted drivers' licence test

\$8,472 has been spent on diesel

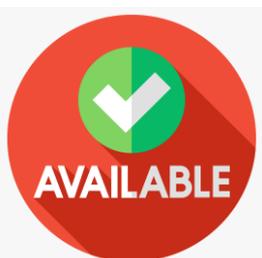
JUMP START
DRIVER TRAINING

11 VOLUNTEER 'Navigators'

155 WEEKS of Jumpstart

1462 DRIVES completed

70,237 km have been driven...



Questions? Carolyn Graveson—Future Pathways Coordinator; is always available to talk to parent/guardians or students about anything related to the students future planning and opportunities.

ONLINE INFO EVENING

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THE MIND.
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15 SEPTEMBER
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Date: Monday 15 September 2025 7:00–8:00pm (NZT) Online via Zoom
Join us for a webinar exploring undergraduate study in Psychology at the University of Otago. Discover how studying the human mind opens doors to diverse career opportunities, from clinical practice, community health, business, education, and beyond.

Find out what you'll study, hear from current students, and explore the various career pathways and how to apply. Register: <https://events.otago.ac.nz/psychology/webinar/Site/Register>

What does first-year Psychology involve?

There are two first-year papers, PSYC 111 Brain and Behaviour (semester 1) and PSYC 112 Human Thought and Behaviour (semester 2). These papers have lecture and laboratory components and cover a wide range of topics such as:

- **Biopsychology** – how do sleep, hormone levels, and drugs affect our behaviour?
- **Perception** – what do our senses tell our brains?
- **Neuropsychology** – how do our brains work?
- **Learning** – how do our experiences influence our behaviour?
- **Development** – why do our abilities and behaviours change with age?
- **Social psychology** – how do people affect one another?
- **Abnormal psychology** – when do we decide that behaviour is “abnormal”, and what causes such problems?
- **Cognition** – how do we remember things, solve problems, and use language?
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HANDS-ON AT OTAGO INFORMATION

This is a unique opportunity for students from your school (who will be in Years 12 and 13 in 2026) to come down and experience a week of Otago student life. If you haven't heard about Hands-On at Otago before, students stay on campus in one of our residential colleges and choose a subject to study for the week. There are over 20 subjects on offer, from across Business, Health Sciences, Humanities (Arts) and Sciences. **Sunday 11 January to Friday 16 January 2026.**



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UNIVERSITY

Student accommodation for 2026

Applications open on 1 August for our student halls of residence for next year. CCRFs are due by 15 September, with completed applications due by 24 September.

Check out our new Bachelor of Health

Students can shape the future of health and wellbeing with the UC's new Bachelor of Health. This qualification with the first year intake in 2026 is replacing the Bachelor of Health Sciences and will offer new majors such as 'Mental Health and Addictions', 'Exercise and Sport Nutrition' and 'Māori and Indigenous Health'. Created with input from health sector leaders, this flexible, future-focused degree lets students tailor their studies to areas they're passionate about. With real-world experience, strong industry links, and pathways to further clinical or postgraduate study, students get a chance to make a real impact.

New scholarship for Engineering Students

With the UC Motorsport team regularly making headlines for their global success and innovation, UC Engineering students are no strangers to the world of fast cars and innovation. Founded by David Dicker in 2016, Rodin Cars is another Canterbury Motorsport venture making waves in this globally lucrative industry. But Rodin's pursuit of excellence extends beyond building exceptional cars. Rodin is committed to supporting others to perform at their best, whether in motorsport, education, or community engagement. To demonstrate his commitment to nurturing that level of excellence, Dicker is sponsoring a new scholarship for students starting in the Bachelor of Engineering with Honours. More information check out our website.

1ST YEAR APPLICATION PROCESS AND ACCOMMODATION INFORMATION YOUTUBE

[https://youtu.be/sS6WcDeXUwM?
feature=shared](https://youtu.be/sS6WcDeXUwM?feature=shared)



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Join the Waikato Uni Jump Start program

27 January to 20 February 2026. 9.00am – 3.30pm daily

You can take your first University paper and get set-up for the rest of your studies, find your way around campus, and make friends all before the end of summer. There are a number of 100-level (15 point) papers you can choose from on the Hamilton Campus and Tauranga Campus, and we offer one online paper for those who are unable to attend in person.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS ARE OPEN FOR 2026



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Here's just some of the options available: Future Leader Scholarship, Sports Scholarships, Tihi Kahumaki Scholarship, Pasifika Excellence Scholarship, Lincoln University Vice-Chancellor's Scholarships for Excellence, All Māori and Pasifika Scholarships.

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