# **High School Preparation**



2025



**Kiwi English Academy** has a unique high school preparation program that prepares students for entry into a New Zealand high school. Since our separate high school campus opened in 1995 Kiwi English Academy has sent hundreds of students into high schools all around New Zealand.



## **Programme Features**

A structured programme that includes General English plus subject-specific study once students have reached a certain level. Long-term students are encouraged to take Cambridge English for Schools test at the end of their programme.

NZQA (New Zealand Qualifications Authority) accredited programme – accredited to teach NCEA (National Certificate in Educational Achievement) achievement standards in English, science, maths, accounting, economic theory and practice. Kiwi English Academy is one of the few English language schools in NZ that is accredited to offer these NCEA achievement standards and the only school in central Auckland with this capability.

Assessment methods mirror those at high school to ensure consistency for students.

A disciplined environment where students are able to adjust academically, socially and personally to their new life in New Zealand.

A mix of nationalities. Our junior programme attracts students from many different countries including South America, China, Hong Kong, Japan, Korea, New Caledonia, Tahiti, Russia, Taiwan, Turkey and Vietnam. Students have the opportunity to make friends from around the world.

#### **PROGRAMME LENGTH**

The length of the programme depends on the student's level at the time of entry into Kiwi English Academy. Recommended English levels on entry to high school are:

- Years 9 & 10 pre-intermediate
- Year 11- intermediate
- Year 12– upper intermediate

#### **SUPPORT SERVICES**

KiwiCare offers a full range of pastoral care services to assist students 'personal growth and path to independence:

- accommodation placement
- native language counselling
- professional guardianship

Appointing a KiwiCare guardian gives young students additional support to succeed socially at high school in New Zealand.

#### **PATHWAYS**

Kiwi English Academy's policy is to match the high school to the individual student. The diverse demands of parents and their children mean that we offer a wide range of high schools, both public and private, in Auckland and throughout the rest of New Zealand.

## **PROGRAMME STRUCTURE**

- → 25 hours of General English plus High School Preparation (teacher-directed class at Newmarket Campus)
  - including: Mathematics and Science (depending on students' level)
    - New Zealand Studies
    - Academic English
- → Maximum 15 students in one class
- → Start from any Monday

## **SAMPLE TIMETABLE**

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri
9:00 - 11:00	Weekly Grammar Focus	Receptive Skills: Active Listening	Functional Grammar in Context	Productive Skills: Writing Workshop	Weekly Grammar Review
11:00 - 11:20	Morning Break				
11:20 - 12:20	Receptive Skills: Active Reading	Productive Skills: Interactive Communications	Real Life English: Language for Study	Real Life English: Language for Study	Cross Level Communication Activities
12:20 - 13:20	Preparation for NCEA Level 1 English Achievement Standards				
13:20 - 14:00	Lunch Break				
14:00 - 15:00	Maths / Conversation	Group Projects: NZ Life & Customs	Science / Conversation	Group Projects: NZ Life & Customs	Maths / Conversation





