

# Te Whāinga o te Ao Tikanga **NZ Certificate in Tikanga (Mātauranga Māori)** Level 3

Tikanga is about purpose,  
practices and protocols, and  
you'll find it in every aspect of  
te ao Maori (the Maori world).

This introductory programme gives you an understanding of what tikanga is, why it exists and how it manifests itself in practice. Your local class will have a specialised delivery strand that brings foundational tikanga learning to life.

**Find out more**

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## Entry Criteria

To enrol in this programme, a potential student must:

- › be at least 16 years of age
- › be a New Zealand citizen (or citizen of Australia, Tokelau, Niue, Cook Islands) or permanent resident
- › reside in New Zealand
- › attend an information session.

## Qualification Awarded

When you pass this programme, you'll get this qualification:

- › New Zealand Certificate in Tikanga (Mātauranga Māori)  
Level 3



March &  
July 2022



20  
weeks



No  
fees



60  
credits

## Fees

There are no fees for this programme.

## Potential Pathway

### I want to keep studying

Advance to our Level 4 programme, Te Kunenga o te Ao Tikanga. Or you might want to enrol on another of our programmes in Māori language, the arts, business, computing or social work.

### I want to use my qualification

Understanding the fundamentals of tikanga can help you contribute with confidence in your whānau, community, marae, or workplace. Graduates may choose a pathway to the following industries: tourism, hospitality, retail, media, education, and health.

## Locations

See our website for up-to-date locations.



## Delivery & Workload

This is a full-time programme that consists of 60 credits delivered over 20 weeks.

Throughout the programme you will be required to attend:

- ▶ 4 x noho - weekend workshops throughout the programme (25 hours each)
- ▶ 1 x 1-day wānanga - workshop (8 hours)

You'll also need to complete learning activities designed to enhance your learning for approximately:

- ▶ 27 hours per week.

In some locations this programme might be provided by an approved sub-contract arrangement.

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## Kōnae Ako (Learning Modules)

### Mana Tangata

15 Credits

Work collaboratively with others to carry out a range of tikanga practices and concepts as an expression of mana tangata.

### Mana Whenua

15 Credits

Apply factual knowledge of tikanga concepts to explain your own relationship to the physical world as an expression of mana whenua.



**Total Credits**

60 Credits

**Mana Reo**

15 Credits

Use a range of reo structures and tikanga practices as an expression of mana reo.

**Mana Ao Tūroa**

15 Credits

Explain cultural concepts associated within a context where tikanga are practiced as an expression of mana ao tūroa.