

AUT

WELCOME TO AUT
NAU MAI,
HAERE MAI

2026
ORIENTATION
16-20 FEB
PROGRAMME
SCHEDULE



Welcome to AUT Orientation for Semester 1, 2026.

Kickstarting your tertiary journey is an exciting time, and we're here to make sure you start strong.

Orientation is your chance to meet new friends, connect with lecturers and get prepared for your first week of classes. You'll be able to sort out your enrolment and ask questions.

You'll also have the chance to connect with our support teams who work with you to remove any barriers to learning. AUT offers a wide range of specialised support, and we want to understand the challenges you face so we can walk alongside you throughout your student journey.

STUDENT AMBASSADORS

Throughout Orientation Week you'll spot our AUT student ambassadors in their bright blue AUT t-shirts. These are current AUT students who volunteer their time to help new students at Orientation. They'll be around as wayfinders and campus tour guides, supporting sessions and answering your Orientation questions. So if you need a hand during Orientation Week, don't be shy – our ambassadors are here to help and make sure you feel supported from day one.

STUDENT HUB

The Student Hub is your go-to place for support throughout your time at AUT. With a Student Hub on every campus, you can drop in whenever you need help and support. During Orientation you can swing by to organise your ID card, get StudyLink and fees guidance, set up your Auckland Transport tertiary travel discount, ask international student questions and more.

For any student enquiries, feel free to contact the Student Hub on **0800 288 864** or email studenthub@aut.ac.nz

PŌWHIRI

Each Orientation day opens with a pōwhiri to welcome our new students. A pōwhiri is a special customary welcome, designed for tangata whenua (people of this land) to acknowledge and unite with manuhiri (visitors). This pōwhiri symbolises your welcome into our AUT community and our commitment to support your success, growth and wellbeing.

On the day, the student ambassadors will guide you through the tikanga (protocols) involved and help prepare you for the ceremony. Below is the waiata that will be used during the pōwhiri.

WAIATA







TE AROHA





Te Aroha
Te whakapono
Me te rangimarië
Tātou tātou e

POSTGRADUATE & INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

MONDAY 16 FEBRUARY - CITY CAMPUS	
Registration	📍 WG level 3 🕒 8am
Pōwhiri	📍 WG level 2 🕒 9am
PROGRAMME INFORMATION SESSIONS	
Bachelor of Business (Honours) Master of Business Postgraduate Certificate and Postgraduate Diploma in Business	📍 WF 303 🕒 10am
Master of Communication Studies Postgraduate Certificate and Postgraduate Diploma in Communication Studies	📍 WG 126 🕒 10am
Master of Design Master of Visual Arts	📍 WG 404 🕒 10am
Master of Computer & Information Sciences Postgraduate Certificate and Postgraduate Diploma in Computer & Information Sciences	📍 WG 607 🕒 10am
Master of Science Computer & Mathematical Sciences Master of Analytics Postgraduate Certificate and Postgraduate Diploma in Computer & Mathematical Sciences	📍 WG 802-803 🕒 10am
Postgraduate Certificate and Postgraduate Diploma in Science Master of Science	📍 WG 802-803 🕒 10am
Master of Cyber Security & Digital Forensics	📍 WG 608 🕒 10am
Master of IT Project Management	📍 WG 609 🕒 10am
Master of Architectural Design Management Master of Construction Management Master of Engineering Project Management	📍 WG 403 🕒 10am
Master of Engineering Postgraduate Certificate and Postgraduate Diploma in Engineering	📍 WF 310 🕒 10am
Master of Architecture (Professional)	📍 WG 808 🕒 10am
Bachelor of Science (Honours) Postgraduate Certificate and Postgraduate Diploma in Science Master of Science Master of Science (Research) Postgraduate Certificate and Postgraduate Diploma in Medical Laboratory Science Master of Medical Laboratory Science	📍 WS 114 🕒 10am
Postgraduate Certificate in Advanced Nursing Practice Postgraduate Certificate and Postgraduate Diploma in Disaster Risk Management & Development Master of Disaster Risk Management & Development Postgraduate Certificate and Postgraduate Diploma in Health Science Master of Health Science Postgraduate Certificate and Postgraduate Diploma in Public Health Master of Public Health Postgraduate Diploma in Registered Nurse Prescribing Master of Health Practice Master of Philosophy	📍 WZ 416 🕒 10am
Bachelor of Arts (Honours) Master of Arts Postgraduate Diploma in Criminology & Criminal Justice Master of Criminology & Criminal Justice Postgraduate Certificate and Postgraduate Diploma in Education Master of Education Master of Gastronomy	📍 WH 415 🕒 10am















ORIENTATION SESSIONS
IT SORTED Our ICT Student Support team can make sure you're able to access all of the necessary systems and digital tools that will support you throughout your AUT journey. This is the perfect place to ask any tech questions.
ORIENTATION CAMPUS TOURS Join our student ambassadors and get to know your campus. Find out where all the important stuff is and enjoy the range of facilities, services and spaces here at AUT.

THE BASICS	
IT Sorted	<div><div> Tech Central WA 409</div><div> 11am 11.30am 1pm 1.30pm 2pm 2.30pm 3pm 3.30pm</div></div>
Orientation Campus Tour	<div><div> WG 306</div><div> 11am 1pm 2pm 3pm</div></div>
Student Hub (Drop-in)	<div><div> Student Hub</div><div> All day</div></div>

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SESSIONS	
International Student Connect	 WG 403  10am - 1pm
Study Abroad & Student Exchange	 WG 701-702-703  11am

LIBRARY SESSIONS	
Library Essentials for Postgraduates	<div><div> WA 220</div><div> 1pm</div></div>

POSTGRADUATE SESSIONS (PRE-BOOKED)	
Getting Started with PG Coursework	<div><div></div><div>WA 220</div></div> <div><div></div><div>11am</div></div>
Supporting Research at AUT – Graduate Research School	<div><div></div><div>WG 126</div></div> <div><div></div><div>11am</div></div>

STUDENT LIFE	
Faculty of Design and Creative Technologies Enrolment Zone	 WZ 100  11am-2pm
Orientation Chill Zone	 WF 204  11am-4pm
Student Life Zone	 WG level 2 foyer  11am-2pm
Outdoor Kiwi Summer	 WH Plaza  11am-3pm
Lunch - free food	 WH Plaza  11.30am-1pm
Student Life Panel	 WA 220  2pm
Lunar New Year's Eve Festival Celebrate Chinese Lunar New Year with us and enjoy an afternoon of live performances, delicious food, and cultural festivities. This free event is open to everyone, so come along and celebrate the Year of the Horse!	 Hikuwai Plaza  3pm-5pm

DOWNLOAD THE AUT APP

We've pre-booked essential sessions to get you started, and the app makes it easy to explore everything on offer for the best start to your AUT journey. It's your go-to student tool for campus news, events and so much more. Download the AUT App now from the Apple App Store or Google Play Store.



Note: Times and room locations are subject to change. Please use the AUT App for the latest updates.



BE IN TO WIN!

As a part of Orientation Week, we have an Apple iPad to give away!

To be in to win, simply register your attendance on campus during Orientation Week using the AUT App.

One entry per student. Terms apply, see full details at aut.ac.nz/win

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

TUESDAY 17 FEBRUARY - CITY CAMPUS		
PROGRAMME INFORMATION SESSIONS		
Bachelor of Business , Graduate Certificate and Graduate Diploma in Business , Certificate in Business Studies	📍 WG level 3 🕒 8am	
Pōwhiri	📍 WG level 2 🕒 9am	
PROGRAMME INFORMATION SESSIONS		
Bachelor of Business , Graduate Certificate and Graduate Diploma in Business , Certificate in Business Studies	📍 WG 403 🕒 10am	
Diploma in Business	📍 WG 404 🕒 11am	
Bachelor of Laws , Certificate in Legal Studies	📍 WA 220 🕒 11am	
Bachelor of International Hospitality Management , Graduate Certificate and Graduate Diploma in International Hospitality Management , Bachelor of Arts, Graduate Certificate in Arts and Graduate Diploma in Arts Global Tourism Bachelor of Arts, Graduate Certificate in Arts and Graduate Diploma in Arts Event Management	📍 WH 415 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Arts, Graduate Certificate in Arts, Graduate Diploma in Arts and Diploma in Culinary Arts	📍 WH 314 🕒 10am	
Diploma in Pâtisserie	📍 WH 318 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Arts, Graduate Certificate and Graduate Diploma in Arts Criminology and Criminal Justice, History, Māori Development, Māori Media, Psychology, Social Sciences	📍 WA 220 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Arts, Graduate Certificate in Arts and Graduate Diploma in Arts Creative Writing, International Studies, NZ Sign Language – English Interpreting, NZ Sign Language & Deaf Studies	📍 WG 126 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Arts and Graduate Diploma in Arts Education	📍 WG 607 🕒 10am	
Diploma in Arts	📍 WG 126 🕒 11am	
Bachelor of Science Biological Science, Biomedical Science, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Food Science, Marine Science Graduate Certificate and Graduate Diploma in Science	📍 WZ 416 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science	📍 WF 310 🕒 10am	
Certificate in Applied Science	📍 WS 114 🕒 10am	
Diploma in Science	📍 WZ 416 🕒 11am	
SUPPORT SERVICES		
Student Hub (Drop-in)	📍 Student Hub 🕒 All day	
IT Sorted	📍 Tech Central - WA 409 🕒 11am 11.30am 1pm 1.30pm 2pm 2.30pm 3pm 3.30pm	
AUT101	📍 WA 224 🕒 11am 1pm 2pm 3pm	
Orientation Campus Tour	📍 WG 306 🕒 11am 1pm 2pm 3pm	
Library Introduction for Undergraduates	📍 WA 220 🕒 11am 1pm	
Financially Sorted Students	📍 WG 403 🕒 2pm	
Pacific Connections	📍 WA 301A - Vā Pasifika 🕒 2pm	
STUDENT LIFE		
Outdoor Kiwi Summer	📍 WH Plaza 🕒 11am–2pm	
Student Life Zone	📍 WG level 2 foyer 🕒 11am–2pm	
Orientation Chill Zone	📍 WF 204 🕒 11am–4pm	
Lunch - free food	📍 WH Plaza 🕒 12pm–1pm	

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How to find rooms
Letters refer to the building, and numbers refer to the room.
Ie WG 609 refers to room 609 in the WG building.

WEDNESDAY 18 FEBRUARY - CITY CAMPUS		
PROGRAMME INFORMATION SESSIONS		
Bachelor of Communication Studies	📍 WA 220 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Visual Arts Te Tohu Paetahi mō Tei Hoahoa Diploma in Visual Arts Titohu mō te Toi Ataata	📍 WM 405 🕒 10am	
Diploma in Design Titohu mō te Hoahoa Bachelor of Design Te Tohu Paetahi mō te Hoahoa Fashion Design	📍 WM 701 🕒 10am	
Diploma in Design Titohu mō te Hoahoa Bachelor of Design Te Tohu Paetahi mō te Hoahoa Animation, Visual Effects and Game Design	📍 WG 126 🕒 10am	
Diploma in Design Titohu mō te Hoahoa Bachelor of Design Te Tohu Paetahi mō te Hoahoa Industrial Design	📍 WM 601 🕒 10am	
Diploma in Design Titohu mō te Hoahoa Bachelor of Design in Te Tohu Paetahi mō te Hoahoa Spatial and Interior Design	📍 WM 205 🕒 10am	
Diploma in Design Titohu mō te Hoahoa Bachelor of Design Te Tohu Paetahi mō te Hoahoa Communication Design	📍 WG 308 🕒 10am	
Diploma in Design Titohu mō te Hoahoa Bachelor of Design Te Tohu Paetahi mō te Hoahoa Interaction Design	📍 WE 404–405 🕒 10am	
Diploma in Design Titohu mō te Hoahoa	📍 WE 424–425 🕒 11am	
Bachelor of Architecture & Future Environments	📍 WG 1020 🕒 10am	
Certificate in Science & Technology	📍 WS 114 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Science Analytics, Mathematical Modelling & Computation	📍 WG 404 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Computer & Information Sciences Diploma in Computer & Information Sciences Graduate Certificate and Graduate Diploma in Computer & Information Sciences BBus and BCIS conjoint	📍 WZ 416 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) Architectural, Civil Construction, Electrical & Electronic, Maritime, Mechanical, Mechatronics, Software	📍 WA 224 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Engineering Technology Electrical & Electronic, Mechanical Diploma in Engineering	📍 WG 403 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Construction	📍 WG 1103 🕒 10am	
SUPPORT SERVICES		
Student Hub (Drop-in)	📍 Student Hub 🕒 All day	
IT Sorted	📍 Tech Central - WA 409 🕒 11am 11.30am 1pm 1.30pm 2pm 2.30pm 3pm 3.30pm	
AUT101	📍 WA 224 / WG 308 🕒 11am ☉ 1pm (WA 224) 2pm ☉ 3pm (WG 308)	
Orientation Campus Tour	📍 WG 306 🕒 11am 1pm 2pm 3pm	
Library Introduction for Undergraduates	📍 WA 220 🕒 11am 1pm	
Financially Sorted Students	📍 WG 403 🕒 2pm	
Pacific Connections	📍 WA 301A - Vā Pasifika 🕒 2pm	
STUDENT LIFE		
Outdoor Kiwi Summer	📍 WH Plaza 🕒 11am–2pm	
Student Life Zone	📍 WG level 2 foyer 🕒 11am–2pm	
Orientation Chill Zone	📍 WF 204 🕒 11am–4pm	
Lunch - free food	📍 WH Plaza 🕒 12pm–1pm	

THURSDAY 19 FEBRUARY - NORTH CAMPUS		
PROGRAMME INFORMATION SESSIONS		
Bachelor of Health Science Psychology	📍 AF 116 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Health Science Case Management, Individual pathway	📍 AF 114 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Health Science Nursing	📍 AA 234 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Health Science Occupational Therapy	📍 AZ 202 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Health Science Oral Health	📍 AZ 203 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Health Science Physiotherapy	📍 AA 236 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Health Science Podiatry	📍 AZ 204 🕒 10am	
Graduate Diploma in Psychotherapy Studies	📍 AF 111 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Sport, Exercise & Health Certificate in Sport & Recreation Graduate Certificate and Graduate Diploma in Sport & Exercise	📍 AH Stadium 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Education Primary Teaching	📍 AJ 105-106 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Education Early Childhood Education	📍 AZ 314 🕒 10am	
SUPPORT SERVICES		
Student Hub (Drop-in)	📍 Student Hub 🕒 All day	
IT Sorted	📍 Tech Central - AL 125 🕒 11am 11.30am 1pm 1.30pm	
AUT101	📍 AZ 202 🕒 11am 1pm 2pm 3pm	
Orientation Campus Tour	📍 Outside AF building 🕒 11am	
Library Introduction for Undergraduates	📍 AF 116 🕒 11am 1pm	
Financially Sorted Students	📍 AF 114 🕒 2pm	
Pacific Connections	📍 AE 108-109 - Vā Pasifika 🕒 2pm	
STUDENT LIFE		
Outdoor Kiwi Summer	📍 Awataha Plaza 🕒 11am–2pm	
Student Life Zone	📍 AF 113 🕒 11am–2pm	
Orientation Chill Zone	📍 AZ 314 🕒 11am–4pm	
Lunch - free food	📍 Awataha Plaza 🕒 12pm–1pm	

FRIDAY 20 FEBRUARY - SOUTH CAMPUS		
PROGRAMME INFORMATION SESSIONS		
Bachelor of Business , Graduate Certificate and Graduate Diploma in Business , Certificate in Business Studies	📍 MH 108 🕒 10am	
Diploma in Business	📍 MH 107 🕒 11am	
Bachelor of Laws , Certificate in Legal Studies	📍 MH 106 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Health Science Counselling	📍 MH 209 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Health Science Paramedicine	📍 MD 210–211–212 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Health Science Perioperative Practice	📍 MH 104 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Health Science Midwifery	📍 MH 118 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Health Science Health Management, Public and Environmental Health Graduate Certificate and Graduate Diploma in Health Science	📍 MH 117 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Sport, Exercise & Health Certificate in Sport & Recreation Graduate Certificate and Graduate Diploma in Sport & Exercise	📍 ME 111 🕒 10am	
Bachelor of Education Primary Teaching	📍 MC 209 🕒 10am	
Certificate in Science & Technology	📍 MH 105 🕒 10am	
SUPPORT SERVICES		
Student Hub (Drop-in)	📍 Student Hub 🕒 All day	
IT Sorted	📍 Tech Central - MA level 2 🕒 11am 11.30am 1pm 1.30pm 2pm 2.30pm 3pm	
AUT101	📍 MH 108 🕒 11am 1pm 2pm 3pm	
Orientation Campus Tour	📍 MH level 1 foyer 🕒 11am 1pm 2pm 3pm	
Library Introduction for Undergraduates	📍 MH 118 🕒 11am 1pm	
Enrolment Zone	📍 MB 107 🕒 11am–2pm	
Financially Sorted Students	📍 MH 118 🕒 2pm	
Pacific Connections	📍 MC 214 - Vā Pasifika 🕒 2pm	
STUDENT LIFE		
Outdoor Kiwi Summer	📍 MH Lawn 🕒 11am–2pm	
Student Life Zone	📍 MH 101-102 🕒 11am–2pm	
Orientation Chill Zone	📍 ME 111 🕒 11am–4pm	
Lunch - free food	📍 MH Lawn 🕒 12pm–1pm	

ORIENTATION SESSIONS	
AUT101	An introduction to AUT student life and support services, delivered by our AUT student ambassadors. Learn about your support services and get some tips from a fellow student about starting university the right way.
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ORIENTATION CAMPUS TOURS	Join our student ambassadors and get to know your campus. Find out where all the important stuff is and enjoy the range of facilities, services and spaces here at AUT.