



# NATIVE tech.

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This programme is **fees free** and all required tech and software will be provided onsite.



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# ABOUT US

Native Tech, DNA's newest initiative, is a bridging programme to help illuminate pathways into digital & creative tech by providing skills, training and wrap-around pastoral care while focusing on belonging, culture and identity.

As our region is in the process of reimagining and redefining itself, we are finding Waiariki fast becoming a hub for film, TV, animation, esports, live streaming and digital content production.

**These productions are in need of graphic designers, animators, web devs, content editors, camera ops, content creators, coders, game devs, project & comms managers as well as interns who have experience in these digital spaces.**



Unreal Engine



Livestream Production



Computer Programming



Graphic Design



3D Printing



Content creation



Video Editing



3D Asset Dev

# PROGRAMME DETAILS



There will be two intakes for 2023

- 1st Intake 31 March
- 2nd Intake 14 August

This programme is fees free.



Students will co-construct their learning journey with the support of our teaching staff, across various subjects, for example:

- Pitching, Entrepreneurship
- Freelancing Basics
- Getting Job Ready
- 3D Design
- Concept Art
- Livestream Production
- Esports Event Management
- Web Development
- Digital Design
- Graphic Design & Visual Communication
- Digital Animation
- Music Production
- Game Engine Basics (UNREAL)
- Fitness, Rongoa, Digital Wellbeing



Each week students will work with our Youth Navigators and partner organisations to help strengthen their own wellbeing utilising the Te Whare Tapa Whā Model of wellbeing.

Focus is also on providing cultural connections through deeper understandings of Whenua, Whakapapa, Waiata, Karakia, Pepeha and Haka.

# KAUPAPA

Native Tech is a programme designed to help rangatahi between the ages of 16-24 who want to explore new opportunities. Native Tech will help them find their path with an emphasis on preparing them for their future and helping them find their place in the world by connecting local knowledge with global industries focused around the IT/Tech/Digital workforce

# OVERVIEW

Students in the programme will develop a customised plan that takes into consideration the needs of each individual wanting to explore digital & creative tech with an eye to studying or working in the industry while receiving full wraparound pastoral care

Students will be given access to micro-credentials in culture, computing, business and wellbeing, along with attending work ready programmes, help gaining a drivers license and visits to local and national digital and creative tech companies.