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DNA & Native Tech help illuminate pathways into the digital realm by providing skills, training and wrap around pastoral care while focused on creating growth mindsets.

This programme has **zero fees** and all required tech and software will be provided onsite.

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TĀTAI IPURANGI

Level 3 Micro-credential

Empowering future leaders to shape
the digital world



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FIND YOUR PURPOSE

FIND YOUR PATH

ABOUT US

Native Tech is a launchpad into the digital tech industry. We help you build real skills, find your place, and explore who you are through culture, identity and tech.

Join us to spark new ideas, grow your confidence, and start shaping your digital future.



WHO THIS IS FOR:

- 16+ with NZQA Level 2 or 3 or evidence of ability to complete
- Those who love tech, games, design and/or digital activism.
- Ready to build the future, not just watch it happen? Join us.

**“Great leaders
create more
leaders”**

TECH + CREATIVITY + DIGITAL LEADERSHIP



GET QUALS

Tātai Ipurangi | Weaving indigenous and diverse leadership into the future of the Internet - Level 3 | 20 credits | Part-Time



Our Programme Explores:

- Who really runs the internet, how it works and who controls it
- How data frameworks founded in Te Ao Māori can strengthen trust, accountability and protection within digital spaces
- Debate wild ideas: Dead Internet Theory, AI doom, deepfakes & data power, Algorithmic Reality, Hyperreality
- Explore the role of international and national orgs, how decisions about domains, data, access are made through innovative models
- Understand how Gen Z can become leaders and decision-makers
- How digital systems impact our environment and climate
- Meet guest speakers who are shaping NZ's tech industry

KAUPAPA

The online world shapes everything, from data and games to identity and power.

Tātai Ipurangi is your chance to learn how the internet really works, and how your voice can shape its future.

You'll explore the whakapapa of the internet, discover who runs it, how indigenous and diverse voices are critical to an equitable world, how it works and create your own digital leadership project using tools like Canva, Unreal Engine, Capcut. It's hands-on, creative, and designed for rangatahi who want to mix tech, culture, and leadership.

Key Details:

- This programme is 100% free

*Places are strictly limited, interviews currently underway. If interested, we strongly encourage you to apply now.