

Secondary Teacher Education 2022

Our Secondary teaching programme has been redeveloped for 2022 to nurture and equip graduates to enter schools and kura as authentic, agentic and accountable professionals

Secondary teaching is not just a set of skills. You teach who you are, and use connections to support ākonga/students exploring who they are and what they will become. Our unique blend of Christian worldview, mātauranga Māori, innovative coursework, and professional experience placements will enable you to be



responsive, relational and transformative as a secondary teacher/kaiako.

BTI's Teacher Education programmes are approved and accredited by the NZQA and can lead to registration and provisional certification with the Teaching Council of Aotearoa New Zealand.

Ko wai mātou, Te māra o te rōpu Kura Tuarua

This artwork is called "Ko wai mātou, Te māra o te rōpu Kura Tuarua". It is a story of multiple layers and levels that emerged from our current student body, carries the heart of our mission, values and vision, and connects to the stories of our authentic partners.

As part of the redevelopment and renewal of the programme for 2022, this artwork has helped to articulate our programme goals, how we are guided by BTI's overall vision, mission and values, and how we walk alongside others in our community to create localised and powerful learning experiences for our student teachers. Embedded in the design is our commitment to Te Tiriti o Waitangi and preparing teaching professionals who can confidently uphold "Our Code, Our Standards" in their practice.

For more on this artwork, see: www.bti.ac.nz/secondary-teaching.html

Graduate Diploma of Teaching (Secondary)

Our secondary teacher studies combine practice and theory to equip you to nurture and teach adolescent students/ ākonga of Aotearoa New Zealand.

This one-year graduate diploma prepares you to teach in diverse secondary schools and kura contexts. Graduates can gain registration and certification with the Teaching Council of Aotearoa New Zealand.

What is involved?

This diploma can be completed from anywhere in Aotearoa through an innovative combination of onsite intensive weeks, tutorials, independent learning, web-based learning using resources from our online portal and online classes.

There are two 2-week wānanga courses on campus and two 1-week online wānanga during the year. Our unique professional experience placement model, shaped by student and authentic

partner feedback, includes a 5-week and 6-week Noho-a-Kura placements, as well as a further 25-day Kura-Kainga placement spread across the year.

Mid-year intake and part-time options are also available for this programme, please contact us to discuss how this may work for you.





Career options

Secondary Teacher/Kaiako (within state, integrated or private secondary schools and kura)

Teaching opportunities overseas

What do I need?

Academic

- An approved qualification at NZQA Level 7 (eg degree) or above.
- Courses passed in subject matter appropriate for NZ curriculum, at 300 level (senior subject) and 100/200 level (junior subject).
- Evidence of having met the English competency requirements outlined by the Teaching Council of Aotearoa New Zealand.

Character

- Police vetting under the Children's Act 2014, including signed declaration.
- Demonstrate disposition to teach, fit with BTI ethos, and sense of call to the teaching profession.

All applicants must successfully participate and complete an interview, and literacy and numeracy tests as per Teaching Council requirements.

How do I apply?

Application process for Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Secondary)

You submit an application online



You are notified that your application has been received and referee(s) are emailed by the administrator requesting a reference form to be completed.

Administrator contacts you to arrange an interview – Administrator arranges interview between yourself and the interviewer(s)



Administrator receives outcome of interview

If successful: You are offered place of studentship

You accept studentship

Administrator hands over application to the programme administrator to start enrolment process

You must supply all necessary documentation required by BTI before your application can be completed.



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Why BTI?

Our mission is to provide Christ-centred, biblically informed professional preparation, development and research for influential service.

We support people to grow holistically and academically.

Given NZQA's highest rating, our programmes are highly effective and shaped by stakeholder feedback.



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