


School of Social Practice ~ Te Whare Pūngāwerewere ~ Social Work & Counselling ~ Academic Calendar 2026

	Week Beg	Weeks	New Zealand Certificate in Study & Employment Pathways	Bachelor of Counselling	Bachelor of Social Work	Week Beg
	19-Jan	1		YEAR 1	YEAR 1	19-Jan
Auckland Anniversary 26	26-Jan	2		YEAR 2	YEAR 2	26-Jan
Wallangi 6	2-Feb	3		YEAR 3	YEAR 3	2-Feb
	9-Feb	4		Online Orientation/ Get Set (W-F)	Online Orientation/ Get Set (W-F)	9-Feb
	16-Feb	5	1 (401) GS (W-F)	Prep Wk	Prep Wk	16-Feb
	23-Feb	6	2	Wānanga Week 1	Wānanga Week 1	23-Feb
	2-Mar	7	3	Wānanga Week 2	Wānanga Week 2	2-Mar
	9-Mar	8	4	Study Week	Study Week	9-Mar
	16-Mar	9	5	1	1	16-Mar
	23-Mar	10	6	2	2	23-Mar
Good Fri 3 Apr	30-Mar	11	7	3	3	30-Mar
Easter 6-7 / School holidays	6-Apr	Brk.	Brk.	School Holidays	School Holidays	6-Apr
School holidays	13-Apr	8 (402)	8 (402)	School Holidays	School Holidays	13-Apr
	20-Apr	9	9	4	4	20-Apr
Anzac 27	27-Apr	10	10	5	5	27-Apr
	4-May	11	11	6	6	4-May
Graduation - 16 May	11-May	12	12	Study Week	Study Week	11-May
	18-May	13	13	7	7	18-May
	25-May	14	14	8	8	25-May
King's birthday 1	1-Jun	15	15	Study Week	Study Week	1-Jun
	8-Jun	16 (403)	16 (403)	9	9	8-Jun
	15-Jun	17	17	10	10	15-Jun
	22-Jun	18	18	Study Week	Study Week	22-Jun
	29-Jun	Brk.	Brk.	Holiday Break	Holiday Break	29-Jun
Matariki 10 / School holidays	6-Jul	Brk.	Brk.	School Holidays	School Holidays	6-Jul
School holidays	13-Jul	GS (W-F)	GS (W-F)	Get Set (W-F)	Online Orientation/ Get Set (W-F)	13-Jul
	20-Jul	1 (401)	1 (401)	Wānanga Week 1	Wānanga Week 1	20-Jul
	27-Jul	2	2	Wānanga Week 2	Wānanga Week 2	27-Jul
	3-Aug	3	3	Study Week	Study Week	3-Aug
	10-Aug	4	4	1	1	10-Aug
	17-Aug	5	5	2	2	17-Aug
	24-Aug	6	6	3	3	24-Aug
	31-Aug	7	7	Study Week	Study Week	31-Aug
	7-Sept	8	8 (402)	4	4	7-Sept
	14-Sept	9	9	5	5	14-Sept
	21-Sept	10	10	6	6	21-Sept
School holidays	28-Sept	Brk.	Brk.	School Holidays	School Holidays	28-Sept
School holidays	5-Oct	11	11	School Holidays	School Holidays	5-Oct
	12-Oct	1	12	7	7	12-Oct
	19-Oct	2	13	8	8	19-Oct
Labour day 26	26-Oct	3	14	Study Week	Study Week	26-Oct
	2-Nov	4	15	9	9	2-Nov
	9-Nov	6	16 (403)	10	10	9-Nov
	16-Nov	7	17			16-Nov
	23-Nov	8	18			23-Nov
	30-Nov	9				30-Nov
	7-Dec	10				7-Dec
	14-Dec	11				14-Dec
		School Hols				

SWP: Social Work Placement (Year 3)
SWP: Social Work Placement (Year 4)
Study break/school holidays
Wānanga

Withdrawal dates*						
Semester 1						
Fri 27-Feb	Wed 25-Feb	Wed 25-Feb	Fri 27-Feb	Wed 25-Feb	Wed 18-Feb	Wed 18-Feb
Semester 2						
Wed 29-July	Wed 29-July	Wed 29-July	Wed 29-July	Wed 29-July	Wed 29-July	Wed 29-July

*Withdraw from your programme / courses before the respective withdrawal dates in your Year Group/Semester to be eligible for a refund of fees less administration fees