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Education Experience



*The International Student Programme
City of Hamilton Schools*

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International Student Services (NZ) Ltd

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New Zealand

New Zealand is a modern, English-speaking country of similar land area to Japan and Great Britain but with a population of only 3.4 million. It is famous throughout the world for its friendly people, pleasant climate and scenic natural beauty. Over one million tourists visit New Zealand each year.

New Zealand offers

- a clean, safe, uncrowded and politically stable place to live
- a high standard of housing, health and education
- a unique quality lifestyle with multicultural city living
- many leisure, sporting and cultural activities
- direct flights from many countries and cities

New Zealand warmly welcomes international tourists, students, business people and new immigrants and values the opportunities these visitors create to foster international friendship and understanding.



Auckland International Airport

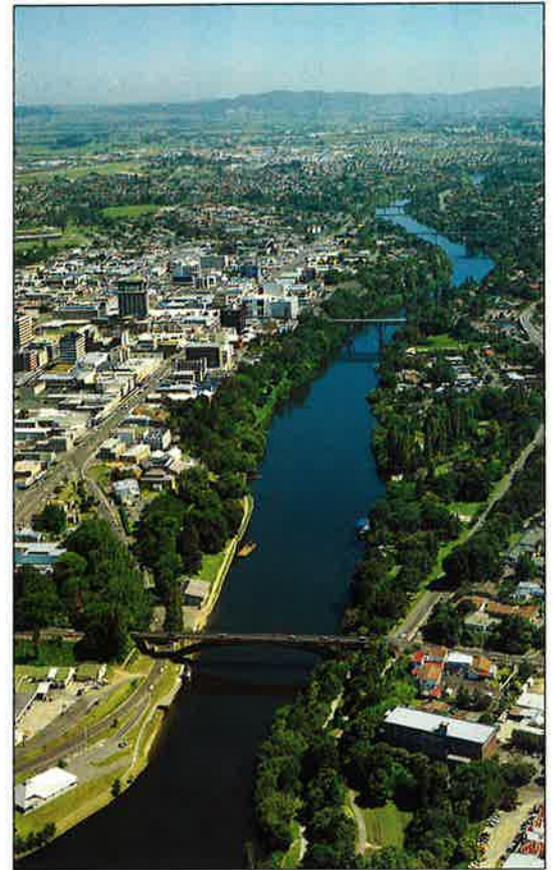
The Waikato Region

The Waikato Region is located centrally in the upper half of the North Island. It gets its name from the Waikato River which helps to make the Waikato one of the richest agricultural and pastoral areas in the world. Waikato is the centre of New Zealand's dairy farming and horse breeding industries. Hamilton is the main city of the region.

City of Hamilton

Hamilton is New Zealand's largest inland city. It is a well established, friendly, growing city and also the business, educational, medical, shopping and entertainment centre for the Waikato Region.

The city is centrally located, being only 120 km from Auckland, New Zealand's largest city, and international airport. Hamilton is less than 3 hours drive from several beaches, ski fields, lakes, and major tourist attractions at Rotorua, Taupo and Waitomo.



Hamilton

The City of Hamilton offers

- central location close to Auckland International Airport
- spacious tree lined parks, gardens and walkways
- friendly and multicultural people
- modern shopping complexes, multiplex cinema and entertainment venues
- traditional and ethnic restaurants, MacDonalds, KFC and Pizza Hut
- many high quality sports and cultural venues
- education excellence and opportunity, in an ideal study environment
- lower cost of living than major cities like Auckland
- pleasant and temperate climate

Hamilton has successful sister city relationships with many cities around the world and regularly welcomes visitors from these cities and other countries.



Hamilton city centre

New Zealand Education

The New Zealand education system is British based and recognised throughout the world for its high quality, innovative and progressive teaching methods.

New Zealand education offers

- security through Government regulation and control
- seven universities, 25 polytechnics, about 400 secondary schools (also known as Colleges and High Schools) and many private training schools
- internationally accepted qualifications at all levels
- compulsory schooling for students aged from 6 to 16 years
- highly trained, professional and dedicated teachers
- individual attention to student needs
- high levels of achievement
- very competitive fee structures

New Zealand Universities

- are located in the main cities
- provide a wide range of tertiary academic programmes
- offer internationally accepted diplomas, degrees and doctorates
- require a pass in University Bursaries exam (or equivalent) for entry
- commence their academic year in March and finish in November

New Zealand Polytechnics

- are located in main and provincial cities
- provide a wide range of vocational and academic programmes
- offer Government approved diploma and work related qualifications and a limited number of degree programmes
- have a range of entry criteria, generally lower than University Bursary
- commence their academic year in February and finish in December

New Zealand Secondary Schools

- are located in most cities and towns
- provide a range of standard academic and cultural programmes to prepare students for external examinations in Forms 5, 6 and 7
- have average class sizes of about 30 students in Forms 3 to 5, reducing to about 20 students or less in Forms 6 and 7
- commence their three term school year early February and finish early December. Schools are closed during holidays in:
 - May - 2 weeks
 - July - 1 week (mid-term break)
 - August/September - 3 weeks
 - December/January - 7 week summer vacation
- have external examinations from mid-November to early December

Hamilton Education

Hamilton is one of New Zealand's leading centres of education and over 40% of the city population is involved in education.

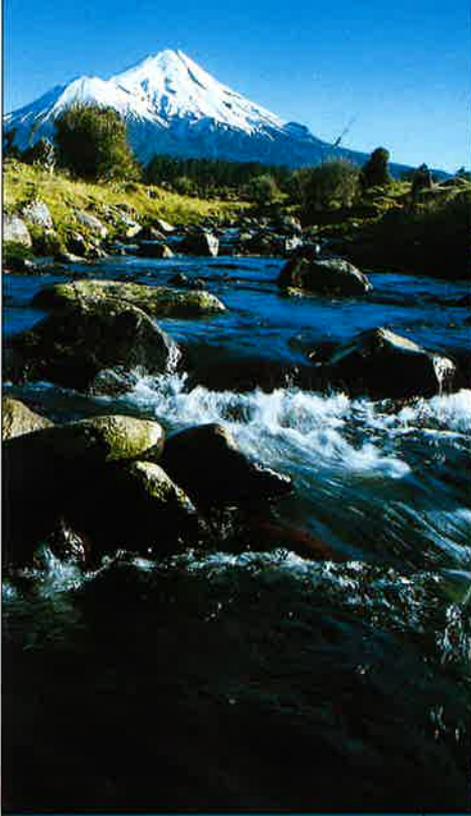
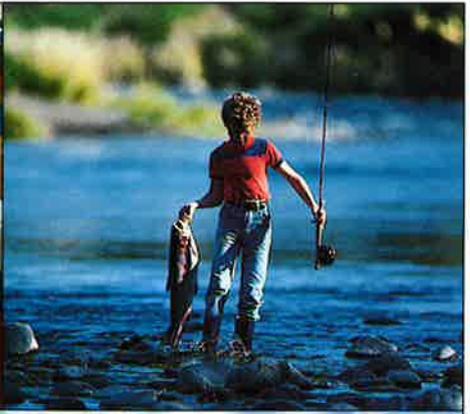
Hamilton education institutions include

- many pre-school facilities and over 30 primary and intermediate schools
- ten secondary schools
 - Fairfield College
 - Fraser High School
 - Hamilton Boys' High School
 - Hamilton Girls' High School
 - Hillcrest High School
 - Melville High School and Intermediate School
 - Sacred Heart Girls' College
 - St John's College
 - St Paul's Collegiate School
 - Waikato Diocesan School for Girls
- Sport Waikato
- The Waikato International School of Education (WISE)
- The School of Education for teacher training
- The New Zealand Pastoral Agricultural Research Institute
- The Waikato Polytechnic
- The University of Waikato

Hamilton people are well-educated and proud of the City's education facilities and achievements. The city attracts students from all cultures and offers them an outstanding study environment and a special education experience. New international students are personally welcomed by the Mayor of Hamilton at a special gathering each year.

New Zealand Education System

New Zealand		Average Student Age	UK	USA	INDONESIA	JAPAN	KOREA	THAILAND
Pre-school	Form		Exams	Grades	School	School	School	School
Primary School		5→11 years		1→5	Primary	Elementary	Elementary	Primary
Intermediate	1	12		6	School	School	School	School
School	2	13		7	Junior	Lower		Lower
Secondary	3	14		8	Secondary	Secondary	Middle School	Secondary
School	4	15		9	School	School	School	School
Exam-School Certificate	5	16	'O' Levels	10	Senior	Upper		Upper
Exam-Sixth Form Certificate	6	17		11	Secondary	Secondary	High School	Secondary
Exam-University Bursaries	7	18	'A' Levels	12	School	School		School
University or Polytechnic		18+			University, Polytechnic or Private College			



New Zealand

Total population 3.4 million

Ethnic Groups

European	74%
NZ Maori	10%
Pacific Island	4%
Asian	3%
Other	9%

University Cities

	Population
Auckland	910,000
Hamilton	107,000
Palmerston North	70,000
Wellington	327,000
Christchurch	312,000
Dunedin	111,000

Major Industries

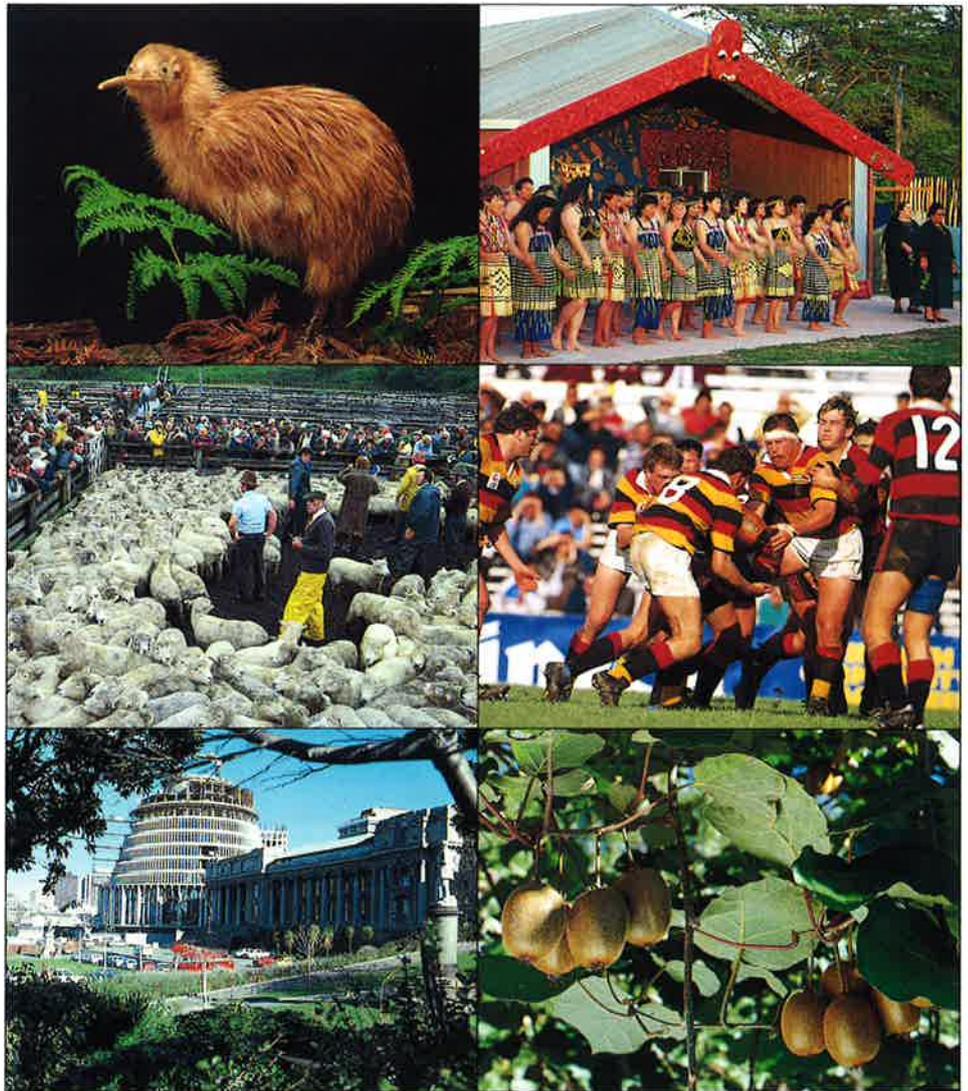
- Tourism
- Meat, wool & dairying
- Forestry
- Education
- Fishing
- Manufacturing
- Horticulture

Currency

Dollars (\$) & cents (c)
 \$NZ1 = \$US0.57 approx (April 1994)

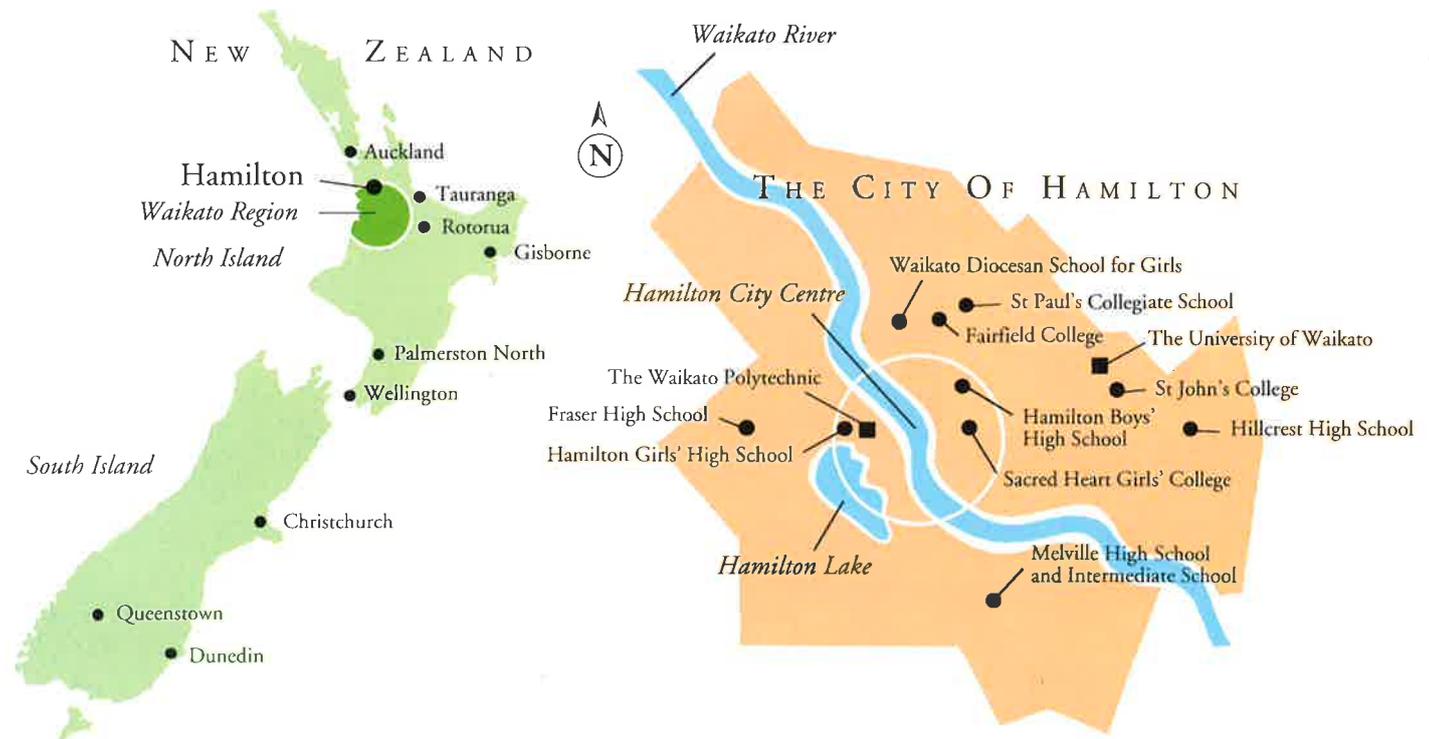
Climate

Generally moderate
 Summer: December - February
 warm and dry
 Winter: June - August
 mild and wet



Parliament Buildings, Wellington

Kiwifruit - Photo courtesy KMB



ISP-The International Student Programme

The excellence of education and the desirable learning environment available in Hamilton have resulted in increasing demand from international students seeking placement in its schools, the Polytechnic and the University.

The ISP is a carefully structured and co-ordinated programme developed by International Student Services (NZ) Ltd (ISSL) together with learning institutions, the Hamilton City Council, the Waikato Chamber of Commerce and Hamilton community groups. The Programme administers the placement of international students in Hamilton schools. It provides student tuition, course guidance, accommodation, welfare, guardianship, parent liaison and a range of activity and holiday courses. The Programme recognises the special needs of students living and learning far away from home. It acknowledges the significant investment made by parents in their children's education and provides for those parents the security of dealing with a reputable, honest and reliable organisation which fulfills its promises.

The International Student Programme offers

- attractive study environment in a friendly, safe and multicultural community
- structured and caring approach to student welfare and homestay accommodation
- education in a range of Government approved Hamilton schools
- close liaison with schools and teachers and regular reporting to parents
- Orientation and English Courses and other specialist tuition
- thorough preparation and help for planning tertiary education
- competitive fees
- reputable administration familiar with international student needs

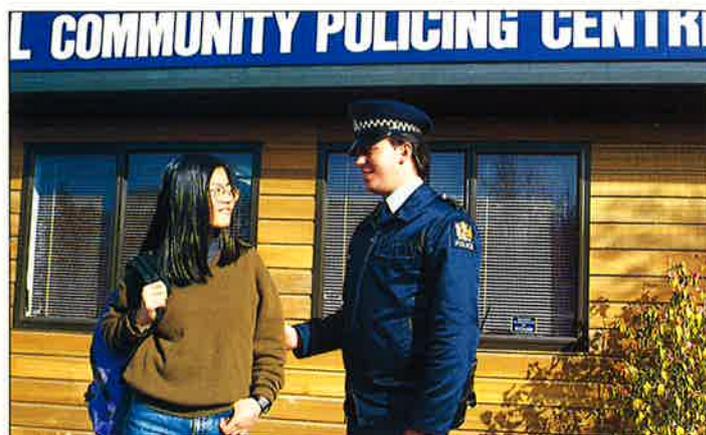
The ISP aims to ensure students foster international friendship and understanding and have an academically successful, safe and enjoyable education experience in New Zealand.

The ISP is administered by International Student Services (NZ) Ltd.

Who qualifies for the ISP

Students who apply to further their education in New Zealand will normally qualify for selection into the ISP if they have a satisfactory school and behaviour record, a basic understanding of English and meet the school placement policy. Students with New Zealand Permanent Residence may qualify.

Primary and Intermediate school, and English language, students are also able to join the ISP.



Friendly and safe community

English Language Ability

Students should have a basic understanding of English and have studied an English language course in their home country. An English level equivalent to a TOEFL score of at least 425 is expected for students entering Form 3. Higher TOEFL scores are expected from students entering higher forms depending on entry level.

Orientation and English Language Course can be arranged and will assist conversation and subject understanding. Ongoing tuition is available as required.

Placement Policy and Procedure

Each Hamilton school has a placement policy for international students which determines the number, age, sex, religion, English ability, subject selection and other qualities of students acceptable to that school. The number of international students may be limited to a **maximum of 5% of any school roll.**

Students should follow the application procedures set out in this brochure and complete and return the Application Form. Applicants who first qualify for acceptance for the ISP are enrolled in the Programme when their applications are received and while school places remain available, subject to student visa approval.



School gymnasium



School classroom

Programme Options

Hamilton Secondary Schools

Schools provide core courses in mathematics, science and English and a wide range of additional optional courses including business, economics, accounting, computer science and many others as detailed in the Application Form. Further details are given in the School Prospectus which is sent with the ISP School Placement Offer.

The Waikato International School of Education (WISE)

WISE provides the following specialised courses for the ISP

■ ISP Orientation and English Course

This short course is normally held in January and all first year ISP students should attend if possible.

Students live in a homestay or hostel and are introduced to New Zealand school systems, customs, culture, food, law, the health system and homestay living. They also experience a wide range of New Zealand sporting and outdoor activities and visit localities of special interest near Hamilton. Students are progressively introduced to their selected homestay families during this time.

English language classes are held each day during the course and may continue depending on need during the first term. Form 7 students can sit the IELTS or TOEFL test in New Zealand during the year, if they have not previously obtained a satisfactory score to meet university admission criteria. They may be able to sit the tests again later in the year.



Learning to drive



Running



Group tutoring

■ ISP Learn to Drive Course

This course is specially designed for ISP students. The course includes personal driving tuition, road code booklets, examinations and an anti-skid and defensive driving course. Students who successfully complete the course will qualify for a New Zealand restricted driving licence.

Students who wish to learn to drive while in New Zealand should enrol in this course at the time of applying for the ISP. For safety reasons car ownership and driving by ISP students is very regulated.

■ ISP Tutoring Programme

WISE tutors are available to give students specialist subject tuition outside school hours. Subject tutoring is available in modules of ten hours.

■ ISP Sport Activity Programmes

Participation in extra-curricular activities enhances the New Zealand education experience. WISE can arrange individual tuition, club introductions and participation in the following activities:

badminton, basketball, body-building, canoeing, fishing, football, golf, gymnastics, hiking, horse riding, rugby, running, scuba-diving, shooting, skiing, soccer, squash, swimming, table-tennis, tennis, volleyball, yachting and others.



Yachting on Hamilton Lake

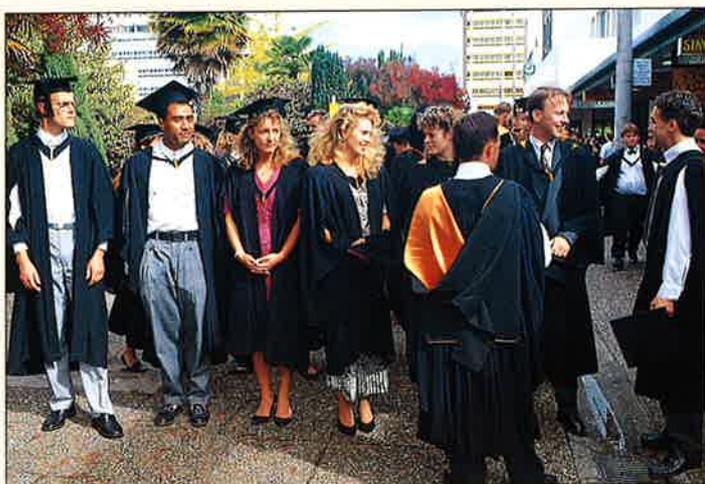
ISP Scholarship and Awards

From time to time and subject to ongoing sponsorship a number of local organisations have shown a willingness to offer prizes and awards to ISP students who show particular merit. These organisations include The University of Waikato, Trust Bank Waikato, KPMG Peat Marwick, Waikato Chamber of Commerce and other community and business groups.

Full details of awards available for the year are provided during the ISP Orientation and English Course.

Future Education and University

The ISP prepares international students for entry into a New Zealand or international university or polytechnic. Course selection and qualification needs are explained to students during ISP Orientation when they can meet with School, University and Polytechnic officials.



University graduation

Accommodation

Student accommodation and welfare are important features of the ISP and these aspects of the Programme are personally supervised by ISP Directors.

Students are accommodated in accredited ISP homestay families in Hamilton normally within walking or cycling distance of their school. Each homestay holds a current ISP Accreditation Certificate and operates under approved guidelines.

Accredited ISP Homestays provide students with

- safe and comfortable living in a New Zealand family home
- the opportunity to quickly improve in their use of the English language
- their own room (average size 10-15 sq m), desk, bed, linen and storage
- involvement in family activities and trips leading to a greater understanding of New Zealand people and culture
- all meals
- the supervision and caring attention of ISP homestay parents familiar with international student needs

From time to time school hostel places could become available and ISP students may be offered these places if they prefer.

Health, Welfare and Parent Liaison

Accommodation and Welfare Directors liaise closely with students and homestay families about health, welfare, food, behaviour, activities and holidays. All students will have medical and personal insurance which covers their stay in New Zealand. Insurance is included in the ISP fees unless otherwise arranged.

Academic Directors liaise closely with students, their schools, teachers and tutors about school work, school attendance and academic progress.

Parents/guardians of all ISP students will receive at least four written reports, in addition to standard school reports, during the year discussing the progress of students. Any areas of concern will also be discussed.

Guardianship

International Student Services (NZ) Ltd maintains supervision and administration of **all ISP students** enrolled in the Programme. Students are expected to act responsibly and with courtesy to maintain the good name international students enjoy in Hamilton. On enrolment students undertake to act in accordance with New Zealand law, school rules and regulations, visa requirements, homestay rules and as required by ISSL.

Holidays and Activities

Holiday programmes are organised for ISP students for one week in each of the May and August school holidays. These programmes may include farm-stay, camping, sightseeing and activity trips. Fishing, skiing trips and student gatherings are included in standard activity programmes.



ISP homestay



Suburban Hamilton street

ISP International Student Card

The ISP Card is issued to all ISP students. It entitles students to

- one FREE new mountain bicycle, lock and helmet on their first arrival in New Zealand
- selected shop, restaurant, and other discounts
- assistance with banking and travel arrangements
- free passes to local attractions, such as swimming pools, cinema, gymnasium and museum

Fees

New Zealand education and living costs are very competitive internationally especially considering the high quality and range of courses and the excellent living conditions.

The fees applying to the current year are detailed in the Application Form.

Any fee changes will be advised to prospective students upon enquiry or application.

- Application fee and the ISP Orientation and English Course fee (for first year students)
- school tuition and service fees
- medical and personal insurance
- New Zealand Goods and Services Tax (GST)
- ISP membership

ISP membership covers

- Accredited ISP Homestay accommodation for the school year and interim holidays
- one airport pickup and delivery per year
- student management, administration and welfare supervision
- school and parent liaison, and reporting
- holiday and standard activity programmes
- ISP International Student Card

Fees do not include

- personal spending for which students should allow NZ\$50 (\$US30) per week on average plus telephone costs
- student visa application fee
- school uniform purchases, external exam fees and stationery
- organised school trips
- cost of optional – *ISP Learn to Drive Course*
ISP Tutoring Programmes
ISP Sport Activity Programmes

Details of these costs are included in the Application Form and/or in the School Prospectus.

Testimonials

Copies of testimonials written by students and parents from a number of countries can be provided if requested.



To prospective international students and parents

"New Zealand's education system has a world wide reputation for offering a very high quality education.

Hamilton is particularly well suited for international students. As the centre of our world famous dairy and horse breeding industries and a developing tourist industry, Hamilton and its citizens have an international outlook. Visitors from all parts of the world are warmly welcomed to the region.

Education is a very important aspect of the Hamilton community with the University of Waikato and the Waikato Polytechnic enjoying excellent reputations.

The Hamilton Secondary Schools each have a distinctive character, they share a reputation for providing a large range of academic courses, a wide variety of sporting and cultural activities, and each demonstrate a genuine interest in the welfare of individual students.

All the Hamilton schools have been actively involved in international student exchanges and I am confident that students from overseas will be welcomed and warmly received by their respective school community.

Hamilton is situated at a convenient distance from New Zealand's largest city of Auckland and is large enough to provide a variety of specialist facilities, but small enough to be safe, clean and so provide an ideal environment for study."



*Mr Tony Steel
Member of Parliament for Hamilton East
1990-1993*

Former Principal of Hamilton Boys' High School and New Zealand All Black rugby representative.



"As Mayor of Hamilton I am pleased to confirm my City Council's support for the International Student Programme, and more broadly for the recognition of the greater Hamilton as a quality education destination.

We recognise that a co-ordinated, structured approach is essential for the greater Hamilton's growing reputation as a centre for educational excellence within the South West Pacific region.

My Council is actively encouraging this co-ordinated approach through its membership – together with the University of Waikato, the Waikato Polytechnic and representation from local secondary schools – of the International Education Committee.

The International Student Programme stands to play an important role in Hamilton's development as an educational centre, and I commend it to prospective students and their parents."



*Margaret Evans
Mayor*

Hamilton Secondary Schools

All Hamilton secondary schools are well established on spacious landscaped campuses with attractive lawns, gardens and sports fields. School buildings are usually only one or two storeys high and classrooms are large and well equipped.

Hamilton secondary schools have a proven academic record in successfully preparing students for further education at University or Polytechnic. Emphasis is placed on hard work, developing sound study habits, the achievement of excellence, physical and cultural education, courtesy, reliability and honesty.

Schools are open week days from about 8.30 am to 3.30 pm with a one hour lunch break. Homework and sporting activities are undertaken after school. Most schools require students to wear a school uniform although many schools allow some choice of dress for Form 6 and 7 students.



Art class

Hamilton secondary schools offer

- security of Government funding and control
- a wide range of general and optional courses to prepare students for external examinations
- participation in the International Student Programme
- well qualified, experienced and dedicated teachers
- academic achievement above the New Zealand national average
- excellent facilities including well stocked libraries, science and computer laboratories, workshops, gymnasiums, specialist art and music rooms, tennis courts, swimming pools (or access to them) and numerous sports venues
- excellent opportunities to learn and take part in cultural, social and sporting activities and outdoor education
- an emphasis on discipline, personal responsibility and goal setting
- individual student counselling and career planning
- health and medical care
- a strong multicultural awareness and acceptance
- schooling within 6 km of the Hamilton city centre
- strong community support and parental involvement
- a close relationship with universities, polytechnics and local industry
- a clean, safe and caring learning environment with a genuine and supportive interest in meeting the needs of every student



Swimming sports

Unless noted all Hamilton schools

- are co-educational (mixed sex)
- offer academic programmes from Form 3 to Form 7 for students aged 13 years to 18+ years
- require students to wear a school uniform or a set standard of dress
- are open to students of any religion or belief

Hamilton secondary schools have a maximum school roll which can limit the number of placements available. The actual school rolls for the 1994 year are shown.

Fairfield College

Roll: 1000 Established 1957
Large suburban campus. No school uniform.

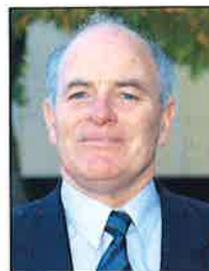


Mr Brian Prestidge
Principal



Fraser High School

Roll: 1560 Established 1970
One of New Zealand's largest schools.



Mr Colin Telford
Principal



Hamilton Boys' High School

Roll: 1040 Established 1911
Boys' School. Large inner city campus.



Mr James Bennett
Principal



Hamilton Girls' High School

Roll: 1230 Established 1911
Girls' School. Central city campus.



Mrs Judith Miles
Principal



Hillcrest High School

Roll: 1320 Established 1972
Suburban campus near University. Special teaching units.



Mr Kevin Hessel
Principal



Melville High School and Intermediate School

High School roll: 1000 Established 1964. Intermediate roll: 470
Form 1 to 7. Suburban High School and Intermediate School.



Dr Paul Wood
Principal - High School



St John's College

Roll: 430 Established 1961
Boys' Catholic School with religious studies. Adjacent to University.



Mr Paul Matthews
Principal



Sacred Heart Girls' College

Roll: 680 Established 1884
Girls' Catholic School with religious studies. Inner city location.



Sister Pauline Leonard
Principal



St Paul's Collegiate School

Roll: 440 Established 1959. Independent Anglican Boys' School with religious studies. Accepts girls in Form 6 and 7.



Mr Stephen Cole
Principal



Waikato Diocesan School for Girls

Roll: 420 Established 1928. Form 1 to 7. Anglican Girls' School with religious studies. Secluded suburban campus.



Miss Margaret Peapell
Principal



The University of Waikato

The University of Waikato was established in 1964 and has a beautiful, landscaped campus of 64 hectares (160 acres) in Hamilton. It is New Zealand's fastest growing University, with over 9000 students in 1994, and is proud of its academic achievements and well-equipped, modern teaching buildings, laboratories, library, comprehensive computer resources and extensive recreation facilities and grounds.

The University is internationally recognised for its degree and diploma courses in teaching and education, computing and mathematical sciences, humanities, law, management studies, accounting and economics, science and technology and social sciences. The University Language Institute offers intensive English courses and degree programmes.

Admission Requirements

- international students enrolling in an undergraduate programme must hold a New Zealand University admission qualification
- applicants whose first language is not English must provide evidence of their English language ability such as a TOEFL Test score of 550 or more
- applicants must have a student visa
- the University will accept applications before 1 December while positions remain available
- accommodation is available for international students on-campus and off-campus, with several people assigned to especially assist students

Fees

- undergraduate tuition fees range from \$NZ10,000 to \$NZ15,000 (approx \$US5,500 to \$US8,200) depending on the course of study selected
- University accommodation fees are about \$NZ150 (\$US80) per week for full board including meals

International Student Welfare

The University teaches about 370 international students in degree courses and over 1000 students annually in short term English courses. These students come from many different countries.

The University has an International Student Club and a busy International Student Office with administrators and support people to cater for international student needs.

International Student Programme

The University liaises closely with ISP Directors and students and looks favourably on giving a place at the University to students enrolled in the ISP Programme who meet normal academic requirements.



The University of Waikato



University International Student Club

The Waikato Polytechnic

The Waikato Polytechnic main campus is situated in the centre of Hamilton, with smaller specialised campuses located in the city suburbs.

The Polytechnic is a modern tertiary institution which offers a wide range of academic, practical and training programmes leading to Degrees or New Zealand Qualification Authority (NZQA) Certificates and Diplomas. The Polytechnic teaches over 4000 full-time students, including over 60 international students, and many more students take part-time courses. Students enjoy excellent campus facilities including a new cafeteria, gymnasium, child-care centre, counselling, health and specialist support services. The International Student Manager and Support Officers assist international students and liaise closely with ISP Directors to finalise courses for international students.

An English and Orientation course is held in January.



The Waikato Polytechnic

WISE

*The Waikato International School of Education
for Specialist English Language and other Programmes*

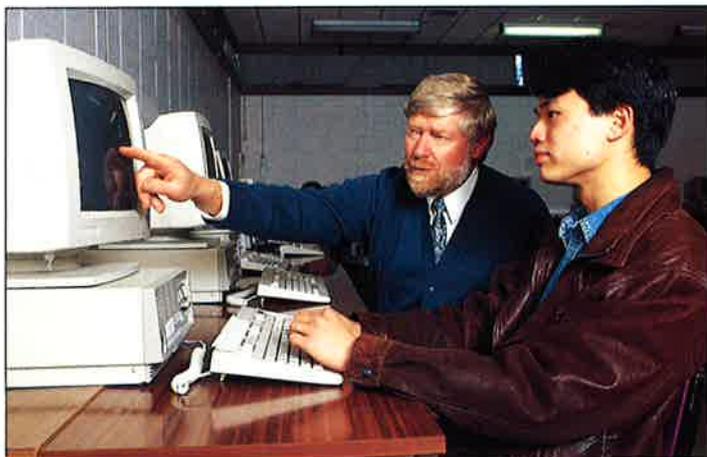
WISE is an associate of ISSL and provides a wide range of short and long term English, academic and activity programmes designed especially for ISP and other international students.

WISE programmes include

- The ISP Orientation and English Course
- The ISP Learn to Drive Course
- The ISP Tutoring Programme for subject and English tutoring
- The ISP Sport Activity Programmes

Many programmes and other courses undertaken by WISE are developed in association with the University, Polytechnic or other reputable local organisations.

The Principal of WISE is Mr Russell Warren - MA(Hons). Mr Warren was Principal of Cambridge High School for 11 years. During his time at Cambridge, students from Sweden, Germany, Hong Kong, Japan, Taiwan, Laos, Vietnam, Malaysia, USA and the Pacific Islands attended the school. Special programmes were successfully developed for these students to enhance their English language progress and academic achievement.



A WISE tutoring programme

Sport Waikato

Based in Hamilton, Sport Waikato, is New Zealand's largest professional sport and leisure activity organiser. It co-ordinates and supervises over 1000 international students every year in a wide range of activities and sports.



Learning to play golf

How to Enrol in ISP

Application

To apply

- Please read this brochure and the enclosed Application Form carefully
- Complete the Application Form and post to ISSL in the addressed envelope together with:
 - two recent passport photographs
 - copies of your two most recent school reports
 - a bank draft for the Application Fee of \$NZ225.00 (approx \$US125)
- Within 14 days of receipt, you should be notified by post if your application has been accepted

Offer

If your application is successful you will be sent

- An ISP Enrolment Package including the ISP School Placement Offer from your selected school (or from another Hamilton school if you do not meet the placement policy of your selected school)
- The Prospectus of your school to help you learn about your school and make your final course selection
- Confirmation of enrolment in the ISP Orientation and English Course and in other optional ISP courses or programmes selected
- Medical insurance application form
- Invoice for all fees and details of payment procedures
- Any other information requested on the Application Form
- Offer Acceptance Form

Acceptance

- When you have read the offer information and School Prospectus, and you wish to proceed you should complete and return the Acceptance Form together with the insurance application and all fees payable
- The ISP School Placement Offer normally remains open for acceptance for 21 days from the date of the Offer. If acceptance is not received by airmail or fax within this time the offer may be withdrawn and the enrolment offered to another student. You may request an extension of the acceptance time in writing or by fax but do not rely on the extension being granted
- When your acceptance and fees are received you will be sent the following
 - Official fee receipt
 - Confirmation of ISP Enrolment and School Placement
 - Student visa application and further instructions on how to complete the application and apply for your visa
 - Timetable confirming course dates
 - Travel confirmation and airport pickup request form to be faxed to ISSL 14 days before arrival
 - ISP Homestay information
 - Details of suitable Air New Zealand flight schedules and other services

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City of Hamilton, Waikato Region, New Zealand

The International Student Programme (ISP) is a specially co-ordinated programme developed in association with Hamilton schools, The University of Waikato, The Waikato Polytechnic, the Hamilton City Council and the Waikato Chamber of Commerce. The ISP provides for the safe, caring and trustworthy administration, education, welfare and accommodation of international students while they are living and studying in Hamilton. The ISP is administered by International Student Services (NZ) Ltd, a member of The International Group.

The International Group

for Education Immigration Investment Tourism Trade

The International Group was founded to promote international understanding by providing a wide range of professional services to assist international students, immigrants, business people and tourists who have become increasingly attracted to the education, lifestyle and wealth opportunities for which the Waikato Region of New Zealand is famous. The International Group is committed to satisfying the personal and business needs of all these people.

International Student Services (NZ) Ltd (ISSL)

ISSL is a member of the International Education Committee of Hamilton and administers the International Student Programme. The Principals of ISSL have been personally involved in the caring for and education of fee-paying international students since such students were first accepted into New Zealand schools. Experienced staff and tutors liaise closely with all students, parents and schools on a regular basis.

International Investment & Immigration Ltd (III)

III is a member of the New Zealand Association of Migration & Investment and is a leading specialist immigration firm in Hamilton. III provides professional, prompt and personal advice and processing of all immigration requirements specialising in Permanent Residence applications. III helps new immigrants with language, housing, education, employment, business, investment and professional introductions.

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Air New Zealand

Trust Bank Waikato

The Waikato Chamber of Commerce

The University of Waikato



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