



**MASSEY  
UNIVERSITY**

TE KŪNENGA KI PŪREHUROA

UNIVERSITY OF NEW ZEALAND

**YOUR GUIDE TO  
ACCOMMODATION  
2019**



# NGĀ TINO RANGI *KEY DATES*



## OPEN DAYS

We hold Open Days at each campus. These give prospective students a real understanding of how the university works and what each campus has to offer, including the halls of residence. It's a good idea to make the most of them! To find out details about these events call **0800 MASSEY** or check out [masseyopendays.ac.nz](http://masseyopendays.ac.nz)

MANAWATŪ	1 AUGUST
AUCKLAND	11 AUGUST
WELLINGTON	31 AUGUST

## 2018

1 August

Applications open for 2019 accommodation.

1 October

Accommodation applications and references due for first round of applications.

Beginning of October

Campus Accommodation Services respond to your application. Offers of accommodation made.

## 2019

18 January

Final day for you to confirm your accommodation choice at Auckland, Manawatū or Wellington. If you change your mind and advise the university on or before this date, you may receive a partial refund of your deposit.

19 February onwards

Campus and college pre-semester activities, including orientation and welcome sessions.

Register for Orientation 2019 at [www.massey.ac.nz/orientation](http://www.massey.ac.nz/orientation) from December 2018 onwards.

25 February

Semester one and double semester study begins.

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# WELCOME TO MASSEY

NAU MAI KI TE KUNENGA KI PŪREHUROA



## WELCOME TO MASSEY UNIVERSITY

Studying at a tertiary level takes lots of time and commitment, so you won't want to be worrying about your accommodation. Living on campus, in a Massey Hall of Residence, gives you the opportunity to create relationships that will last a lifetime. In our Halls you will find a safe, comfortable, and enjoyable place to live while you study. This guide will help you understand our different Halls of Residence so you can make the right choice for your lifestyle!

Massey has specialised accommodation staff on each campus who can help you with advice on the many options available. We can also help with homestay, understanding your residential agreements, managing your budget and even dispute resolution.

Our Halls run welcome programmes to help you settle into life at Massey and feel at home in the Halls.

Applying for accommodation is easy, just visit [accommodation.massey.ac.nz](https://accommodation.massey.ac.nz), and apply online.

The information in this guide was correct at the time of printing. However, some details (including prices and services) may change.

## INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Students who do not hold New Zealand citizenship or permanent residency status are classified as international students.

If you are an international student looking for accommodation, contact your nearest International Support Office first of all. They will help you understand a few special requirements that all international students in New Zealand need to know about. The staff in the Accommodation Offices and at PaCE Homestay Accommodation & Welfare Advisers are able to assist you as well.

If you are an international student under the age of 18, you **MUST** live in Massey approved homestay, designated caregiver accommodation, or with your parents.

To contact our International Support Offices:

For Auckland Campus, go to page 7.

For Manawatū Campus, go to page 11.

For Wellington Campus, go to page 15.

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NGĀ MOMO  
WĀHI NOHO

# TYPES OF ACCOMMODATION

- “As an exchange student living in student accommodation, the support I was given helped me settle into Massey in no time. I made tons of new friends and met people from all over the world. Most importantly, the events and trips organized by the accommodation team helped me explore my surrounds with ease and it definitely made my experience amazing and worth it!”

We know that after choosing your programme at Massey, your next most important choice is where you'll live. There are different accommodation options, all of which will allow you to meet other people and be part of an exciting and vibrant community.

## HALLS OF RESIDENCE

In the halls of residence you'll get your own furnished bedroom and get to live in the heart of the campus amongst a community of other students. You'll be just a few minutes' walk away from classes, the gym, and our students events (such as: sports days, movie nights, BBQs, and international theme nights). There's no better environment for connecting with others while meeting your academic goals. Each of our halls is different, offering a singular experience to residents. We encourage you to choose your Hall according to what you feel suits you best: some are women only, some are alcohol free, catered/non-catered etc. All Massey Halls have Pastoral Care staff and social areas to foster community building. Some Halls have computer/study areas and parking. You'll share the experience of living in a hall of residence with other students and it'll make settling into uni life much easier.

## APARTMENTS STUDIO UNITS AND FAMILY UNITS

Depending which Campus you are on, we also offer apartments/units and studio units for those who want a more independent living style, where you will live in a flatting environment with up to 5 other students (or in some cases with family in a family unit). You will have all the amenities on campus and support from the accommodation team on hand as well. These apartments/units are a great option if you're interested in sharing a smaller and more intimate living environment with people your own age or if you wish to live alone.

All apartments/units have residential assistants who live on-site, most have access to computer/study areas, car parking and are all fully furnished.

## HOMESTAY

Homestay students have their own fully furnished room in the home of a New Zealand family. Some homestay families may have more than one student living in their home so you can share the homestay experience with another student. The homestay option is available to all Massey students. This option is particularly popular with our international students, as it provides them with a unique experience of New Zealand life, culture, and language. All international students under the

age of 18 must live in Massey approved homestay, designated caregiver accommodation, or with their parents. Massey Homestay Accommodation & Welfare Assistants will help you find a homestay family that has similar interests to you so you can feel at home. They will also support you throughout your homestay experience. For more information and for 2019 fees go to [accommodation.massey.ac.nz](http://accommodation.massey.ac.nz)

## PRIVATE ACCOMMODATION

Living in Massey managed accommodation is a great option for any new student. However, we understand that everyone has different needs. Local students may choose to live at home, and sometimes we have a shortage of places in the halls. Our staff are able to advise you in your search for other accommodation, including if you're moving into private accommodation after your first year in university accommodation. Please also think about staying on in the halls after your first year – or even returning as an RA (Residential Assistant)!

# TE TAUNAKI NOHO

# RESIDENTIAL SUPPORT

Living in student accommodation isn't just about having a roof over your head while studying; it's about uni life as a whole. Living in our student accommodation gives you a sense of belonging to a student community and the opportunity to meet new people from all over the world. It also prepares you for independent living while having access to the support you need to be a successful student.

Each campus offers the following to students living in student accommodation:

## RESIDENTIAL ASSISTANTS

Each campus has Residential Assistants who live in the student accommodation. Residential Assistants are Massey students who are employed to provide pastoral support to residents out of office hours. They help to create a residential community by facilitating activities and events.

## ACCOMMODATION MANAGERS

Each campus has an Accommodation Manager or Head of Hall who oversees the student community. They are responsible for the pastoral care, wellbeing and behaviour of students living in student accommodation and for the Residential Assistants.

## SAFETY AND SECURITY

Your safety and security is very important to us, so all our accommodation facilities have swipe card or key access and your room has a secure lock. Each campus is supported by a security service which assists the accommodation teams to ensure that the living environment is safe.

- "Living at the accommodation has been a great experience for me. I have met many interesting people. The social events and support provided here has helped me build friendships that I will treasure for a long time."



# NGĀ RATONGA TAUTOKO **CAMPUS LIFE**

We know that life at uni is about balance, that's why there's always something to get involved with. Whether you're joining a club, society, or students' association, going along to campus events, getting together at the Chaplaincy Centre or working out at the gym, there's never a dull moment!



## **WELCOME PROGRAMMES**

Each campus offers welcome programmes to new students and their families. These programmes have been designed to help students transition to uni life and to give families an opportunity to see the campus for themselves. There are a number of different welcome programmes, such as the Orientation Programme and a Parents' Programme (an introduction for parents and whānau/families).

Students and their caregivers find these programmes very useful. They can meet new people, share information with others, and ask our staff questions.

## **HEALTH AND WELLBEING**

We have medical, counselling, budgeting, childcare, residential, and disability services to help you to be at the top of your game at all times. Making appointments is easy and our staff are only too happy to help.

## **LEARNING SUPPORT**

We're passionate about working with you to support your academic success. That's why there are services to help you reach your academic goals. We have learning support staff and other resources available at the library, as well as online tools and IT support. Staff at the Centre for Teaching and Learning are there to help you with all aspects of your academic writing. For more information see: [massey.ac.nz/academic-support](https://massey.ac.nz/academic-support)



## **MĀORI STUDENTS**

Ko te kaupapa mā tātou katoa ko te whai i te mātauranga hei taonga whakapakari i te tinana me te hinengaro. Kia uia koe, me ngā wawata kei roto i a koe.

We have over 3,000 Māori students studying on-campus or by distance. There is a wide range of services available for Māori students, including Māori Advisers, student groups, scholarships, grants and awards, Marae (Wellington), Māori student counsellors (Albany and Manawatū), and Māori student associations at each campus.

## **PASIFIKA STUDENTS**

Fale Pasifika is a group that holds a culturally-appropriate community located on each campus. It is manned by staff who assist Pasifika students in making informed decisions on their study journey. Students can access Pasifika Advisers who will help them transition at the start of their studies and continue to provide guidance over the study years to understand the academic conventions involved at tertiary level.

## **INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS**

The International Student Support Office (ISSO) on each campus provides comprehensive advice and welfare services to all international students, and is also a resource centre for students and their families. International Student Support staff can help you work through any difficulties you may experience while living and studying in New Zealand.

## AUCKLAND / ŌTEHĀ CAMPUS

Home to around 1.4 million people, Auckland is a fast-paced international city known for its diverse cultural communities. Built around a beautiful harbour and many beautiful beaches, the city is well connected to the North Shore, home of our Auckland campus.



# AUCKLAND ŌTEHĀ CAMPUS

LOCATED ON THE  
NORTH SHORE OF  
NEW ZEALAND'S  
LARGEST CITY,  
AUCKLAND



The first and only 5 star Qualmark Accredited student accommodation in New Zealand.

The Auckland campus is located in Albany which is a short drive from the city lights and downtown lifestyle of central Auckland, New Zealand's largest and most exciting city. The campus is surrounded by a wide range of amenities, including numerous cafés, shopping centres, cinema complexes, art galleries, libraries, a performing arts facility, extensive leisure and sport facilities including the QBE Sports Stadium. The region covers 120km of coastline and includes more than 30 sandy swimming beaches.

In February 2015, Te Ohanga Village, the first stage of our on-campus student accommodation, was opened. The Village is located in the heart of the campus, very close to student central where students socialise, make friends and use the dining hall.

Also very close at hand is the recreation centre, cafés and food outlets and the popular student bar, The Ferguson.

Within Te Ohanga Village, there is Te Rito, a social room for all residents to use, which includes a study room, games room, lots of open space for social gatherings, Sky TV, a music room, a large outside patio area with barbeques and a 24 hour laundry.

The Accommodation team offer 24 hour support to all residents and residential assistants live on-site within the Halls. The team offer a range of activities to involve the community such as an orientation programme, regular activities on and off campus, such as movie nights, activities nights, academic support workshops, inter hall competitions, horse riding, and beach days. There is always something exciting on offer!



		Car parks	Catered Meal plans vary	Private lockable rooms	Single gender options	Broadband internet	Access to Te Rito	Number of beds	Age range
Halls of Residence	Individual rooms in a halls environment	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	70 per hall	17+
Apartments	4/5 bedroom flat shares	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	70	21+
Studio Units	Single occupancy en suite units	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	12	25+

Note: Additional charges apply for car parking and broadband. Details available at [accommodation.massey.ac.nz](http://accommodation.massey.ac.nz)

## TE OHANGA HALLS OF RESIDENCE (TUI, PUKEKO, WEKA)

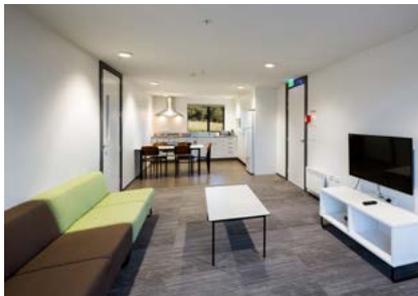
Living in the Halls of Residence means you'll be living amongst a student community in the heart of the campus.

The dining hall is only a very short walk from your room, and is also very closely located to the gym, library and other key facilities. Your fully furnished room will contain everything you need to study and relax. There is a competitive spirit amongst the Halls at the many events on offer so life will never be dull living in a hall community.



## TE OHANGA APARTMENTS (TĪTOKI, MATIPO, TĀNEKAHA)

Our four and five bedroom apartments are generally offered to more mature students, who want to live independently, cooking and cleaning for themselves, however, they are still very much a part of the Village community. All that is on offer in Te Ohanga village is also available to those living in an apartment.



## TE OHANGA STUDIO UNITS (TĀNEKAHA)

These units are fully equipped with a small kitchenette and are available to mature students over the age of 25 who wish to live more independently yet still be part of the Village community. All that is on offer in Te Ohanga village is also available to those living in a studio unit.



## TE RITO (STUDENT COMMUNAL SOCIAL AREA)

This is the communal social area where all residents can gather to study, watch TV, play games, organise social events or simply get a group of friends together to enjoy a barbecue on the large patio area. The laundry area attached to Te Rito is open 24 hours for residents to wash and dry their clothes, and linen.



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**YOUR FUTURE KNOWS  
NO BOUNDS**



## MANAWATŪ / TURITEA CAMPUS

The Manawatū Campus in Palmerston North is where it all began over 90 years ago. "Palmy" is a young person's city with nearly half of the population under 25!

There's heaps to do from cycling on and off road, visiting cafés and taking part in sports or arts and cultural activities. While you're here try kayaking, rafting, skiing or tramping. Getting around on the free bus is a big added plus.



# MANAWATŪ TURITEA CAMPUS

THE MANAWATŪ  
CAMPUS IS KNOWN FOR  
ITS CLUBS, ON-CAMPUS  
ACCOMMODATION,  
STUDENT CENTRE  
WITH FOOD HALL IN A  
BEAUTIFUL PARK-LIKE  
SETTING



We have a range of Qualmark accredited accommodation options to suit your style and budget. We are proud that our Halls hold a Qualmark Silver Enviro Award for environmental and sustainability practices.

Living on the Manawatū campus gives you easy access to the gym, Sport and Rugby Institute, equestrian centre for your horse, community athletics track, computer labs, cafés and, of course, the library - a popular place to meet for coffee and/or study. Massey Manawatū is home to four Halls communities, each with its own flavour and feel, so you're sure to find the perfect fit for you and your study needs.

RAs (Residential Assistants) live in halls to help arrange activities such as the residents' ball, social leagues, crazy sports day, quiz and theme nights and barbeques. They'll also provide help and guidance if you need it. The dining hall is a great place to meet people from across the campus or to enjoy a coffee, made by one of the friendly baristas. Our meal packages work on a flexible system which allows you to use your daily credit at the time that suits you.

"Palmy" / Manawatū is home to more young people than most places in New Zealand and it shows, with plenty on offer, such as walking or cycling along the river, tramping, going to the nearby beaches, eating at great affordable ethnic eateries, chilling at the Esplanade, getting involved in the local music scene or taking part in Summer Shakespeare – there's something for everyone.

				Car parks	Catering provided	Computer lab	Alcohol-free	Broadband internet	Linen provided	Number of beds	Ideal age range
Turitea	Miro/Tawa/Tōtara/Matai	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	50 per hall	18-23
	McHardy Hall	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	46	18-23
	Colombo Hall	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	66	18-23
	Kiwitea Hall	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	19	Mature international
	Walter Dyer Hall	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	94	18-23
	Ruahine and Tararua Units	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	8 six-roomed units	Mature students
	Craiglockhart and Bindaloe Halls	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	23	18-23
The Courts	City and Egmont Courts	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	90 rooms per court	18-23
	Kairanga and Rotary Courts	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	60 rooms per court	18-25
Atawhai	Atawhai	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Single units only	9 family units 13 single units	Postgraduate/ mature	
Fergusson Hall		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	82	18-23

Note: Parking and broadband attract charges in most halls. Details available at [accommodation.massey.ac.nz](http://accommodation.massey.ac.nz). See also [www.fergussonhall.co.nz](http://www.fergussonhall.co.nz)



■ "I spent my first term in Tararua hall. I loved my private room and all the facilities inside the hall. It has been one of my extraordinary experiences here at Massey Palmy. I've met some of my best friends here and have been able to interact with peers who have a similar drive towards their studies like I do, as well as able to hang out with peers from various cultural backgrounds! Ah-mazing!"  
Yurika Arianti

### TURITEA COMMUNITY

Living in the Turitea community means you'll enjoy living with other new students in the heart of the campus. These halls are very close to the bus stop, beach volleyball court, the dining hall, and lecture theatres. There are seven separate halls, each with its own special character. Some are alcohol-free, while others specifically cater for mature international students. Miro, Tōtara, Tawa, and Matai are state-of-the-art, while majestic McHardy overlooks the picturesque Oval at the heart of campus. Depending on your catering package, you can expect to pay about \$283-\$381 per week (2018). For more information, 2019 fees, contact details, photos, application details, video tours, and to apply go to [accommodation.massey.ac.nz](http://accommodation.massey.ac.nz)

### THE COURTS COMMUNITY

The Courts are known for their competitive spirit at halls events and are popular for their centralised courtyards. Just a short walk to the heart of campus and next to the sports fields, they make it easier for those who like to keep fit! The Courts offer catered and self-catered options, are fully furnished, and have lots of places to socialise. Each court has 60 or 90 single rooms, but you'll live in a four or six person pod within the larger hall. Depending on your catering package, you can expect to pay around \$160-\$316 per week (2018).

### ATAWHAI COMMUNITY

Atawhai is situated in a quiet cul-de-sac, and is just a short, but steep, (5 to 10 minute) walk from campus. Atawhai is offered specifically to mature (mostly postgraduate) students (both international and domestic) and their families. All units are completely self-contained. Family units are two bedroomed homes. Individual mature students have a single bedroom in a five bedroom unit, shared with four other students. Students and families who live at Atawhai receive the same level of residential support as those who live on-campus. Living at Atawhai will give you a fantastic opportunity to be part of a strong community. Families can expect to pay around \$220 per week (2018), plus electricity costs. Rooms in a single unit will cost around \$160 per week (2018).

### MOGINIE COMMUNITY

Situated on Monro Hill, Moginie has a fabulous view over the entire city. On a clear day, you can see Mounts Taranaki and Ruapehu. This community is just a five minute walk from campus (through an underpass) and offers five Halls. These halls cater for a range of needs and include the smallest and largest halls on campus. Craiglockhart and Bindaloe are female-only halls and Walter-Dyer ("Wally-D") is our newly refurbished and largest hall, with capacity for 95 students and

is also alcohol free. Tararua and Ruahine units provide self-catered accommodation for mature (mostly undergraduate) students. At Moginie, you'll pay around \$160-\$371 per week (2018), depending on which hall and which catering package you choose. Our Monro Commons is being refurbished to be a great place to socialise and relax with friends. For more information, 2019 fees, contact details, photos, application details, video tours, and to apply go to [accommodation.massey.ac.nz](http://accommodation.massey.ac.nz)

- "The best way to truly experience and appreciate Massey University's diverse community of people and cultures."  
Loresio Tefau
- "A good environment to live, learn and enjoy university life with easy access to most available study resources."  
Ricardo William

### FERGUSSON HALL

Fergusson Hall offers self-catered accommodation on spacious grounds, close to Massey University. With a beach volleyball court, a sports field, garden areas, and inspiring views, 'Ferg' is known for the community and family spirit that develops at the hall each year. The Hall consists of two Residence areas known as Keiller House and The Cottages. Keiller House is a beautiful two-storey homestead that offers 44 uniquely-shaped bedrooms. The Cottages are smaller communities within the larger Hall (comprising 10 fully furnished bedrooms in each of the four Cottages). There are two large communal cooking areas, shared dining and common rooms, a games room, large computer lab, and communal study areas. Living at Fergusson Hall will cost \$153-\$200 per week (2018), depending on your room preference. See [www.fergussonhall.co.nz](http://www.fergussonhall.co.nz) for photos and more information.



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#masseymanawatuhalls



# 'PALMY PEOPLE': FOR OFF-CAMPUS STUDENTS

Due to demand, our halls may be oversubscribed and we may not be able to offer you a place, or you may have already decided to find private accommodation. If this is the case, you'll still be able to take part in the vibrant residential community through Palmy People. This allows students living off-campus to be part of events on-campus and connect with the Palmerston North community. It provides a point of contact to help you fit into uni life.



■ “Before I moved into the Halls I was really nervous because I was unsure I would make many friends, but when I got there everyone was pretty much in the same boat and it made it a lot easier to make friends. I have made a lot of lifelong friends from my year in the Halls and gained some awesome memories and would definitely recommend the Halls.”

## MANAWATŪ CONTACTS

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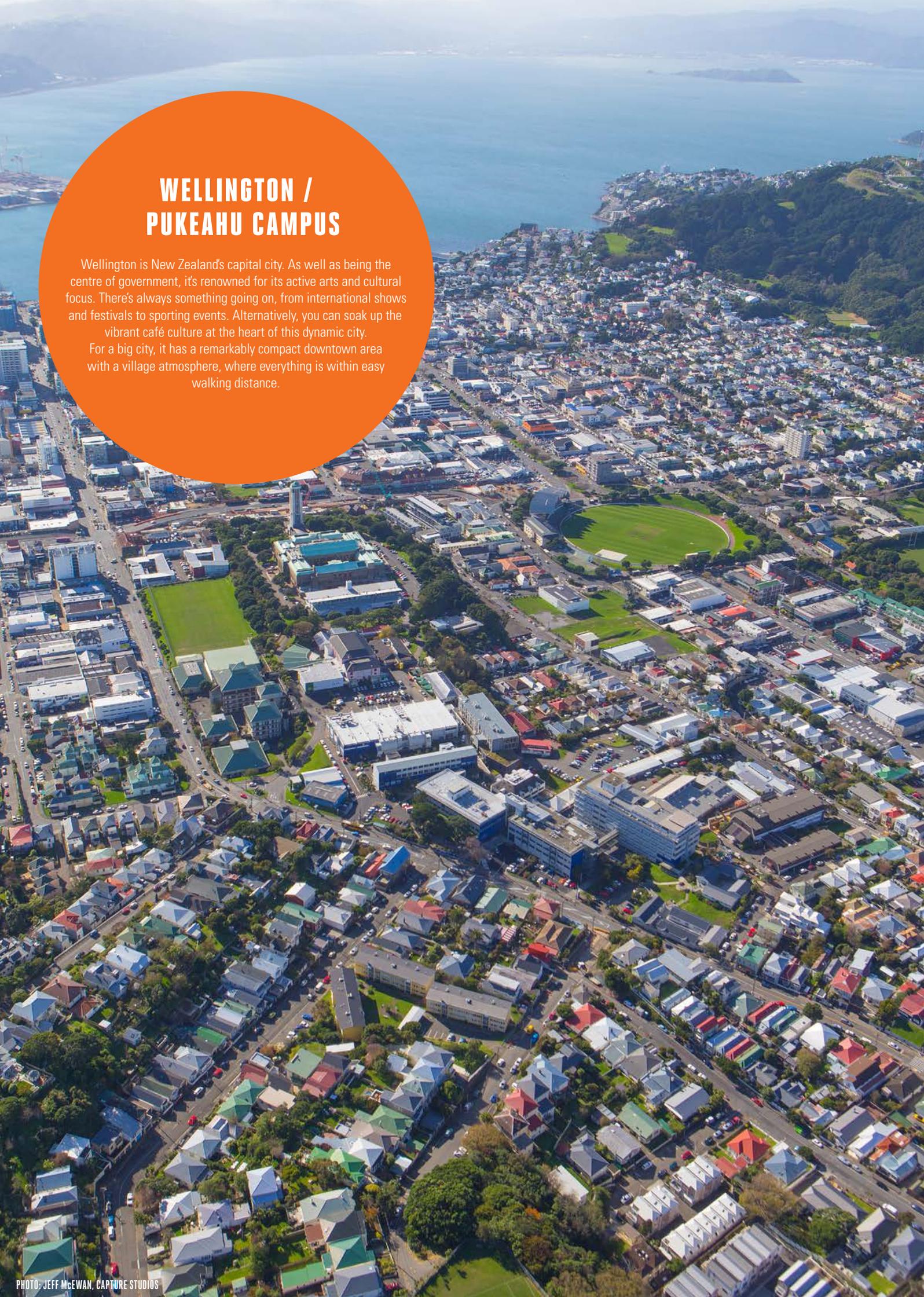
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## WELLINGTON / PUKEAHU CAMPUS

Wellington is New Zealand's capital city. As well as being the centre of government, it's renowned for its active arts and cultural focus. There's always something going on, from international shows and festivals to sporting events. Alternatively, you can soak up the vibrant café culture at the heart of this dynamic city.

For a big city, it has a remarkably compact downtown area with a village atmosphere, where everything is within easy walking distance.

# WELLINGTON PUKEAHU CAMPUS

THE CITY LIES BETWEEN  
A MAGNIFICENT  
HARBOUR AND  
ROLLING GREEN HILLS.  
WELLINGTON CONTAINS  
MANY SHOPS, EXCITING  
GALLERIES, AS WELL AS  
GREAT RESTAURANTS  
AND CAFES

Wellington is New Zealand's capital city. As well as being the centre of government, it's renowned for its active arts and cultural focus. There's always something going on, from international shows and festivals to sporting events. Alternatively, you can soak up the vibrant café culture at the heart of this dynamic city. For a big city, it has a remarkably compact downtown area with a village atmosphere, where everything is within easy walking distance. The city lies between a magnificent harbour and rolling green hills. Wellington contains many shops, exciting galleries, as well as great restaurants and cafés. Massey University Wellington is centrally located, so you can easily take advantage of everything on offer in the city. It's just a short walk to the famous Cuba Street, Courtenay Place and Lambton Quay entertainment and shopping areas, as well as the city's central business district. Like the city, the campus has a compact and friendly atmosphere. The campus includes the

heritage Museum Building, Tokomaru, the state-of-the-art creative arts building, Te Ara Hihiko, and the newly redesigned library. Wellington International Airport, the inter-island ferry terminals, and the railway station are all just a 15 minute drive away. Key student services and facilities include a gym, the student centre, a bookshop, the Tussock café and bar, and whānau and Pasifika rooms. Massey Wellington's two halls, The Cube Hall and Kāinga Rua (Second Home), are located a short walk from the campus, and within walking distance from all the city's attractions.

### THE CUBE

The Cube is situated just across from the campus, so it's literally a case of roll out of bed and into class! At The Cube, you will live in one of sixty three shared self-catered apartments with two or four other Massey students, or in one of eleven single studio apartments. For more information go to [massey.ac.nz](http://massey.ac.nz) and search for 'Wellington accommodation'.

The fully furnished units contain everything you will need to study, relax, and cook. With lots of other Massey students in the same building, there are study groups, weekend activities, and the opportunity for friends to be made. Students living in The Cube can also take advantage of the academic support and social events offered by our dedicated residential staff. The Cube is a first year hall, which is also open to international students.

### KĀINGA RUA

Kāinga Rua is a new hall that offers students the opportunity to live with full privacy in spacious single and twin share rooms with en-suite bathrooms, while using shared common areas to cook and eat. It is perfect for those wanting to transition from school to university but who are not yet ready to take up the commitments of sharing a flat. This hall caters to first and second year students and international students.



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	Room type	Self-catered	On-site events	Internet	Lined provided	Distance to campus	Number of beds
Cube	Studios, 3 bed and 5 bed units	✓	✓	Packages available for purchase	Only to International students	5 minutes	252
Kāinga Rua	Single and Twin share rooms with en suite bathrooms	✓	✓	Packages available for purchase	Only to International students	5 minutes	160

## WELLINGTON CONTACTS

### ACCOMMODATION SERVICES

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### PROFESSIONAL AND CONTINUING EDUCATION

(PaCE) HOMESTAY ACCOMMODATION  
Accommodation and  
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# MĒNĀ HE PĀTAI ĀU

## QUESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE



### INTERNATIONAL STUDENT: WHAT ELSE DO I NEED TO KNOW?

All international students under the age of 18 must live in Massey approved homestay, designated caregiver accommodation or with their parents. New Zealand law requires that all international students attend International Student pre-commencement which is part of the campus Orientation. Watch out for emails about this from the International support office to ensure you are on campus in plenty of time, or keep an eye on [isso.massey.ac.nz](http://isso.massey.ac.nz) for updates.

### CAN I SMOKE IN MY ROOM?

Smoking is not common in New Zealand and the country is moving to being completely smoke free in 2025. Massey University is committed to being smoke free across all its campuses, including all University student accommodation. We work alongside students to encourage them to be smoke free too. If smoking is a problem for you we can offer assistance to quit through our Medical Centres.

### MATURE STUDENT: WILL I BE THE OLDEST STUDENT IN MY HALL?

Unlikely! There are more mature students at Massey than you'd think. For those who are over 23 there are different options, depending on which campus you plan to study at. For those of you going to Auckland, we

would advise you to choose an apartment or studio unit. On our Manawatū campus, take a look at Atawhai, Tararua and Ruahine units, Rotary and Kairanga Courts, and, if you're an international student, Kiwitea Hall. In Wellington, staff can advise you about the local rental market.

### POSTGRADUATE STUDENT: WILL I BE ABLE TO LIVE WITH OTHERS AT A SIMILAR STAGE IN THEIR STUDY?

If you're in Manawatū, that's a yes! We highly recommend Atawhai, Tararua and Ruahine, or Kiwitea Hall. The Post-Grad Club is a great club to be involved with as it connects you to other students of similar study programmes, interests and ethnic groups. At Auckland we do advise you to choose an apartment or studio unit. On the Wellington Campus, Accommodation Services can help you by providing some insight into the Wellington rental market.

### LIVING WITH A DISABILITY: WILL YOU BE ABLE TO CATER FOR ME?

Yes, all of our campuses offer accommodation for students living with disabilities. To discuss your particular requirements and to help ensure you apply for the correct accommodation, please contact the disability officer at your chosen campus as soon as you can.

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# APPLYING FOR ACCOMMODATION

## APPLICATION PROCESS:

1. Complete the online application form, available from 1 August at [accommodation.massey.ac.nz](http://accommodation.massey.ac.nz). Don't be shy to share information with us as it helps us to ensure we provide the best service and support for your needs during your stay with us. We will not disclose your information to any other party without your permission.
2. Arrange for the confidential reference form (CRF) to be completed by your Principal, Dean, or Careers Adviser. Give them plenty of time to do so (around a month). You may request a reference from your school at this address [ccrf.dotnous.com/students/](http://ccrf.dotnous.com/students/). Applications and completed reference forms should be received by 1 October to be considered in the first round of offers. Late applications will be considered if there are places available. Reference requirements are a bit different if it's been a while since you have left school or if you have been living overseas. It's a good idea to get in touch with Accommodation Services to talk about appropriate referees.
3. Secure your place - Once you receive an offer of a place, you must pay the deposit immediately to secure your booking as your application is

only considered complete once this has happened.

- Priority is given to applicants who:
- > Are school leavers
  - > Have come from a distance
  - > Have specific additional support needs
  - > Can demonstrate how they will contribute to the community.
- Should we not be able to place you in the halls, you'll need to start looking at other options and we can help you with that. Refer to "Types of Accommodation" on page 3 of this guide for further information.

## CANCELLATIONS

In the case of cancellations, students need to advise the relevant Accommodation Services in writing by 18 January.

## HOMESTAY APPLICATION PROCESS:

Submit the homestay accommodation booking form which is a printed form available online at [accommodation.massey.ac.nz](http://accommodation.massey.ac.nz). Applications for homestay can be sent in at any time. However, accommodation and welfare staff require a minimum of two weeks to find suitable homestay accommodation. To find out more about homestay accommodation, contact Professional and Continuing Education (PaCE) - contact details (see page 8 for Albany, page 13 for Manawatū, and page 15 for Wellington). Students need to pay a refundable

bond and non-refundable homestay administration fee. Please refer to PaCE Homestay Accommodation and Welfare Advisers at your campus for more information as these vary by campus.

## INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Students who do not hold New Zealand citizenship or permanent residency status are classified as international students. Accommodation is guaranteed for all international students regardless of application date provided that the university has received a completed application for accommodation. However, later applicants may receive limited options or off campus accommodation. Refer to page 3 for more details or call us on **0800 MASSEY** or **+64 6 350 5599**. University accommodation is managed and regularly assessed by Massey University. You must apply if you would like accommodation on-campus. The university's undertaking to assist with accommodation is stated in the Confirmation of Place letter. When submitting your accommodation application, you will be contacted and advised of the result of your application. Please make sure you follow the procedures explained by Accommodation Services once they contact you. Please note the accommodation allocation process starts on 1 October each year, hence

students whose completed applications are received by this date will have the best chance of getting their preferred choice. Students whose applications are received later than this date may not receive their first accommodation choice and may only have off-campus accommodation options. All international students under the age of 18 must live in Massey approved homestay, designated caregiver accommodation or with their parents. Refer to "Types of Accommodation" on page 3 of this guide for further information.

## HOW TO FIND OUT MORE

If you need more information about our campuses or the accommodation options at each one, give us a call on **0800 MASSEY** or visit [massey.ac.nz](http://massey.ac.nz)

## TE TAHA PŪTEA **BUDGETING**

Whether you are living in university accommodation, renting in town, or living at home you will need to budget carefully.

Accommodation fees are payable in advance. You may need between \$2,700 and \$9,200 to pay the first instalment of your accommodation, and international students will need to pay a full semester at a time (at Wellington, students wanting accommodation for two semesters are required to pay for the full year). For New Zealand students, your student loan or allowance is not received in time to make this payment and will not cover the full cost of remaining instalments. It's therefore important to start planning and saving now.

For information about budgeting for your accommodation or assistance with calculating an individual budget, check out our website [massey.ac.nz](http://massey.ac.nz) and search for 'budgeting and financial' or contact the budget advisers available on each campus.



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#### WELLINGTON CAMPUS

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## NGĀ KARAHIPĪ SCHOLARSHIPS

### A HELPING HAND WHILE YOU STUDY

With over 350 scholarships worth more than \$6 million available every year, there's a good chance there's a scholarship with your name on it. Scholarships are available at all levels of study and for a variety of subjects.

Most scholarships are awarded for academic achievement, while others are available for excellence in areas such as leadership, arts and sports. We also have scholarships recognizing excellence amongst Māori and Pasifika students. There are also accommodation scholarships available at Auckland and Manawatū.

Plus there are numerous other scholarships listed on our website offered by a range of organisations. We can't list them all here, so to find out more, check out our website at [awards.massey.ac.nz](https://awards.massey.ac.nz) or give us a call on **0800 MASSEY (0800 627 739)**. Please be aware that scholarships are advertised and open for application three months prior to their closing date.





# YOUR NEXT STEP

## VISIT US ON CAMPUS

9 AND 15 MAY

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AUCKLAND CAMPUS INFORMATION EVENINGS

27 JUNE

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MANAWATŪ CAMPUS INFORMATION EVENING

5 JULY

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WELLINGTON CAMPUS INFORMATION EVENING

1 AUGUST

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MANAWATŪ OPEN DAY

11 AUGUST

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AUCKLAND OPEN DAY

31 AUGUST

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WELLINGTON OPEN DAY



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