

# The Degree of Ako: Bachelor of Teaching and Learning (BTchLn – 360 points)

These regulations must be read in conjunction with the General Regulations for the University.

## 1. Version

- (a) These Regulations came into force on 1 January 2025.
- (b) This degree was first offered in 2023.

## 2. Variations

In exceptional circumstances the Amo Matua, Ako | Executive Dean of Education or delegate may approve a personal programme of study which does not conform to these Regulations.

## 3. The structure of the qualification

To qualify for the Degree of Ako: Bachelor of Teaching and Learning a student must:

- (a) Be credited with a minimum of 360 points towards the qualification; and
- (b) Be credited with all courses listed in Schedule C to these Regulations; and
- (c) Be credited with an endorsement listed in Schedule S as follows:
  - i. A minimum of 300 points from Schedule S: Group 1 to these Regulations for students in the Early Childhood endorsement; or
  - ii. A minimum of 300 points from Schedule S: Group 2 to these Regulations for students in the Primary endorsement; or
  - iii. A minimum of 300 points from Schedule S: Group 3 to these Regulations for students in the Mātauranga Māori endorsement

## 4. Admission to the qualification

To be admitted to Ako: Bachelor of Teaching and Learning a student must have:

- (a) Satisfied the Admission Regulations for admission to the University; and
- (b) Satisfied English language competency requirements as determined by the Matatua Aotearoa | Teaching Council of Aotearoa New Zealand; and
- (c) Met the requirements stipulated in the Children's Act 2014 prior to gaining entry into the programme; and
- (d) Either:
  - i. For students enrolled in the Early Childhood or Primary endorsement: Completed an interview with a Selection Committee and other selection requirements; or
  - ii. For students enrolled in the Mātauranga Māori endorsement: Completed a hui with the Endorsement Coordinator (or Selection Committee) and completed selection requirements, including Te reo Māori language competency; and
- (e) Been approved as a student by the Amo Matua, Ako | Executive Dean of Education or delegate.

## 5. Subjects

The Degree of Ako: Bachelor of Teaching and Learning may be awarded endorsed in Early Childhood, Primary, or Mātauranga Māori.

## 6. Time limits

- (a) The time limit for this qualification is 6 years.
- (b) If a student has not been enrolled for a period of more than 18 months, the student will require permission from the Amo Matua, Ako | Executive Dean of Education or delegate to re-enrol in the qualification. This will include appropriate checks in line with the Children's Act 2014.

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## 8. Progression

This qualification adheres to the General Regulations with the following stipulations:

- (a) Should a student fail any professional practice course, they may only re-enrol in that course with permission from the Amo Matua, Ako | Executive Dean of Education or delegate.
- (b) Professional Practice courses may only be attempted twice.
- (c) Students must maintain good character throughout the programme, including time in university-based study and professional practice in schools. Students must act in ways consistent with the UC Student Code of Conduct and the Code of Professional Responsibility for teachers; otherwise the student may be required to undergo a reassessment for suitability to remain in the programme.

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Year 3

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AKOP253	Weaving the Curriculum: The Arts and Health and Physical Education	15	YC2	Campus	P: 30 points from 100-level AKOP
			YC2	Distance Learning	
			YC2	Nelson	
AKOP254	Weaving the Curriculum: Science and Technology	15	YC2	Campus	P: 30 points from 100-level AKOP
			YC2	Distance Learning	
			YC2	Nelson	
AKOT210	Te Reo M ori 2: ma te kaiako	15	YC	Campus	P: AKOT110
			YC	Distance Learning	
			YC	Nelson	

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AKOM193	Mana Tangata 1	15	YC2	Campus	
			YC2	Distance Learning	
AKOM194	Te Puna Marautanga 1	15	YC	Campus	
			YC	Distance Learning	
AKOM195	Mana Whenua	15	YC2	Distance Learning	
			YC2	Campus	

Year 2

Course Code	Course Title	Pts	2025	Location	P/C/R/RP/EQ
AKOM291	Mana Atua: Tipuranga Tamaiti 2	15	YC	Campus	P: AKOM191 and AKOM192
			YC	Distance Learning	
AKOM292	Te Puna Marautanga 2	15	YC	Campus	P: AKOM192 and AKOM194
			YC	Distance Learning	
AKOM293	Mana Reo 2	15	YC1	Campus	P: AKOM192
			YC1	Distance Learning	
AKOM294	Mana Tangata 2	15	YC2	Campus	P: AKOM193
			YC2	Distance Learning	
AKOT232	Whanaungatanga: Relationally connected	15	YC2	Campus	P: 30 points from 100-level AKOE or AKOM
			YC2	Distance Learning	

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For the remaining 60 points required in Year 3, students choose from the following:

Either Early Childhood pathway:

Course Code	Course Title	Pts	2025	Location	P/C/R/RP/EQ
AKOA363	Mana Ako 4: Early Childhood Practice Exploration	15	A	Campus	P: AKOA262
			A	Distance Learning	
AKOA364	Mana Ako 5: Early Childhood Practice Exploration	15	A	Distance Learning	P: AKOA363
			A	Campus	

or Primary pathway:

Course Code	Course Title	Pts	2025	Location	P/C/R/RP/EQ
AKOA361	Mana Ako 4: Primary Practice Exploration	15	A	Distance Learning	P: AKOA262
			A	Campus	
AKOA362	Mana Ako 5: Primary Practice Exploration	15	A	Distance Learning	P: AKOA361
			A	Campus	

One course (15 points) from:

Course Code	Course Title	Pts	2025	Location	P/C/R/RP/EQ
AKOE373	Curriculum: Designing holistic and bicultural learning experiences	15	YC1	Campus	P: 45 points from 200-level AKOE, AKOM, or AKOT
			YC1	Distance Learning	
MAOR212	M ori and Indigenous Development	15	SI	Campus	P: Any 15 points at 100-level from HIST, MAOR, SOWK, or TREQ, or any 60 points at 100-level from the Schedule V of the BA. R: HIST262, HIST379 EQ: HIST262

And select one course (15 points) from the following table:
