



AGRICULTURE & HORTICULTURE



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STUDENT PROFILE

NAME Omae Fumiaki | **COUNTRY** Japan

PROGRAMME Diploma in Horticulture, Napier campus

"I can tell my lecturers love to share their knowledge! I enjoy the practical aspects of class and my lecturers make the theoretical parts interesting. Outside class I've been able to learn about New Zealand culture. The local people are very welcoming and I've already had a lot of amazing new experiences here."

STUDY HIGHLIGHTS

- Excellent facilities including laboratories, glasshouses with hydroponic systems and our own training farm that is run by students and tutors;
- Hawke's Bay and Gisborne are renowned for producing some of New Zealand's best fruit, vegetables, meat and wine.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

- Farm Manager - Dairy, Sheep, Cattle
- Agricultural Contractor
- Rural Banking
- Orchard Manager
- Rural Suppliers
- Research & Development
- Consultancy
- Fertiliser Sales Representative
- Nursery Manager
- Agribusiness Owner / Manager
- Horticultural Contractor

PROGRAMME INFORMATION

NZ CERTIFICATE IN AGRICULTURE (VEHICLES, MACHINERY AND INFRASTRUCTURE)*

Technical skills are essential for anyone interested in working in the primary industry sector. Qualified and competent machine operators, agri-vehicle drivers and fencers are highly sought after. This qualification will give you the skills to operate and maintain a range of vehicles and machinery and the practical skills to build and maintain infrastructure within the agricultural industry.

Entry Requirements: IELTS 5.0 (academic) in all bands or equivalent.

Level	3
Length	13 weeks
Start date	Various start dates throughout the year
Fee	\$6,700
Campus	Napier, Gisborne
IELTS	5.0

NZ CERTIFICATE IN AGRICULTURE (FARMING SYSTEMS)*

This qualification will provide you with the ability to access new agricultural technologies that will assist you to understand key farming ideas. On completion of the programme you will be able to provide input into sustainable practices and day-to-day decisions that improve farm performance and are underpinned by safe work practices.

Entry Requirements: IELTS 5.0 (academic) in all bands or equivalent.

Level	3
Length	28 weeks
Start date	18 February, 22 July
Fee	\$12,700
Campus	Napier, Gisborne
IELTS	5.0

NZ CERTIFICATE IN HORTICULTURE (GENERAL)*

If you enjoy working outdoors then this is the qualification for you. It is a mix of theory and hands-on practical training that teaches the core horticultural subjects of plant science and naming, pest and disease, gardening skills and soils. This programme will give you an excellent skill base for personal use, further study at a higher level or in specialist fields.

Entry Requirements: IELTS 5.5 (academic) in all bands or equivalent.

Level	3
Length	20 weeks
Start date	18 February, 22 July
Fee	\$9,000
Campus	Napier, Gisborne
IELTS	5.5

NZ CERTIFICATE IN AGRICULTURE (BREEDING LIVESTOCK FARMING)*

This qualification is aimed at those wanting to move into a management level position within the agriculture sector. You will develop an in-depth understanding of farm report systems and be able to benchmark farm performance. This qualification also starts to explore the management of environmental impacts and day-to-day use of vehicles, plants and machinery.

Entry Requirements: IELTS 5.0 (academic) in all bands or equivalent.

Level	4
Length	41 weeks
Start date	18 February, 22 July
Fee	\$17,900
Campus	Napier, Gisborne
IELTS	5.0



NZ CERTIFICATE IN SUSTAINABLE PRIMARY PRODUCTION*

People who complete this qualification will be able to develop their own or community land in a sustainable manner. You will be able to evaluate, plan, implement and monitor sustainable practices as they are applied to the land. The programme is aimed at those who already have qualifications or experience in the horticulture sector who are looking to build on this knowledge.

Entry Requirements: IELTS 5.5 (academic) with no band score lower than 5.0 or equivalent.

Level	4
Length	22 weeks
Start date	18 February, 22 July
Fee	\$10,400
Campus	Napier, Gisborne
IELTS	5.5

NZ DIPLOMA IN HORTICULTURE PRODUCTION

This qualification has been developed with industry to provide specialist technical skills and knowledge in the Nursery sector. You will be given access to a range of resources and industry experts during the programme that will enhance your understanding and build on skills you may already have.

Entry Requirements: IELTS 6.0 (academic) with no band score lower than 5.5 or equivalent.

Level	5
Length	1 year
Start date	18 February
Fee	\$19,300
Campus	Napier, Gisborne
IELTS	6.0

**For student visa requirements, these qualifications will need to be studied in conjunction with another programme. For more information please contact: international@eit.ac.nz*

