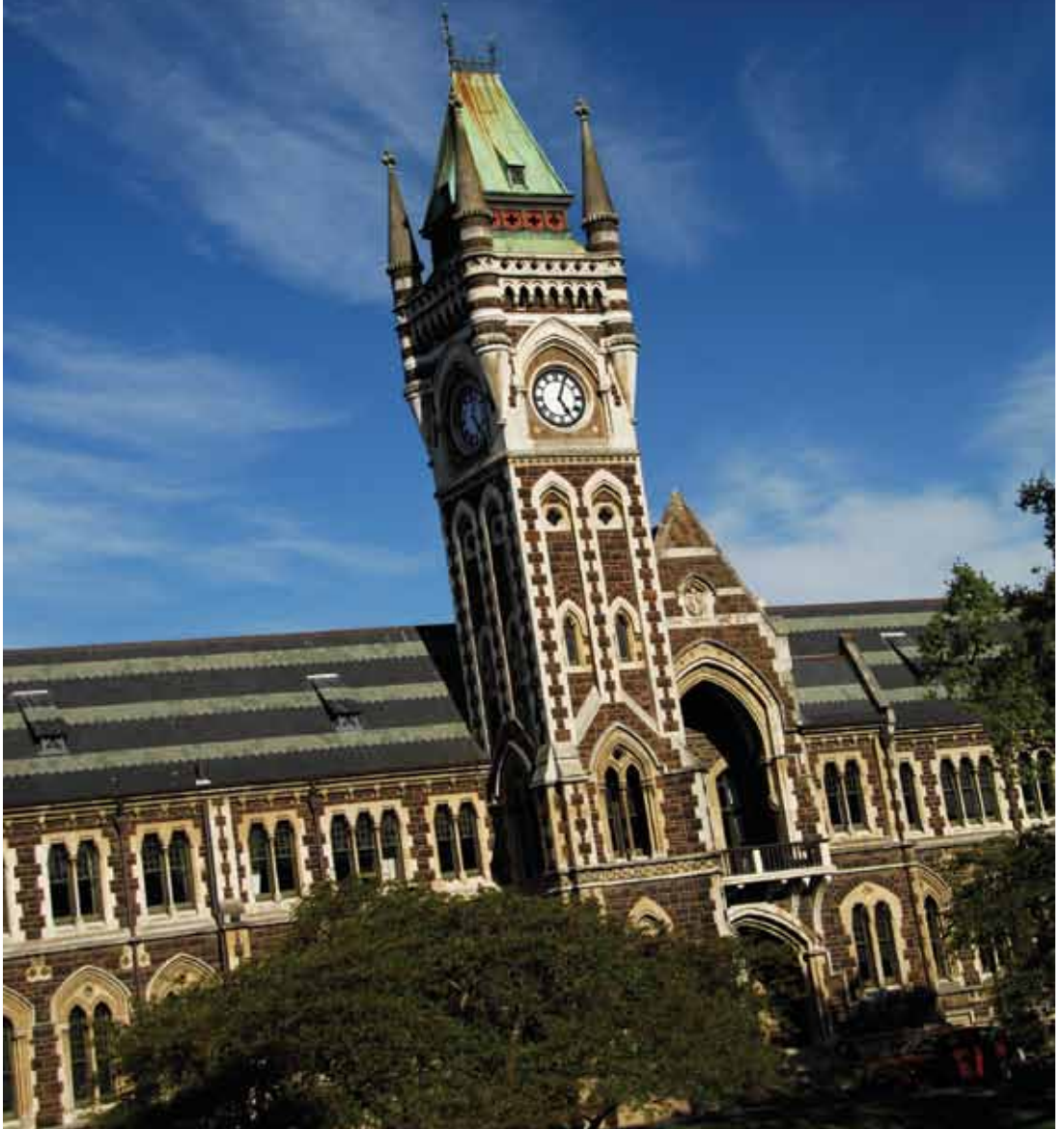




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OTAGO
Te Whare Wānanga o Ōtāgo
NEW ZEALAND

The University of Otago Language Centre & Foundation Year



New Zealand

Population of 4.3 million with a land mass similar to the United Kingdom and Japan.

New Zealand is a land of natural beauty and it is also one of the world's most exciting adventure playgrounds.

New Zealanders are friendly and have earned a reputation for being both enterprising and innovative.

Find out more about New Zealand at:
www.newzealand.com



Dunedin

The southernmost of New Zealand's major cities and the largest city in the province of Otago.

Situated on a natural harbour, Dunedin is one of the best eco-tourism destinations in the world.

Temperatures range from an average 14 – 24 degrees Celsius in summer (December to February) and from 5 – 13 degrees Celsius in winter (June – August).

Dunedin is the gateway to the internationally known resort towns of Queenstown and Wanaka famed for their adventure sports including skiing. Imagine surfing in the morning in Dunedin and then skiing in Central Otago in the afternoon.

A commitment to education continues to be one of Dunedin's most impressive qualities. One in four residents is a student. It is a great place to be a student.

"The University City" has a variety of restaurants, bars, cafes, music and dance venues, art galleries, museums and sports facilities.

The vibrancy and cultural diversity that the students bring to the city make it a great place to pursue your education.

FIND OUT MORE ABOUT DUNEDIN AT
www.CityofDunedin.com
www.DunedinNZ.com

University of Otago

- FIRST – The University of Otago is New Zealand's top ranked university for research and is also New Zealand's first university, established in 1869.
- Over 70% of Otago's 23,000 students come from other parts of New Zealand and the rest of the world. This includes 2600 international students from 90 different countries.
- Otago has an international reputation for excellence in all academic disciplines.
- Otago graduates are highly regarded by employers.
- Otago offers an unrivalled campus experience and vibrant cultural life.
- Otago offers an extensive range of undergraduate and postgraduate qualifications across four divisions – Business, Health Sciences, Humanities and Sciences.
- Otago has an extensive student exchange programme with over 80 partners in 31 countries.

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The University of Otago Language Centre

Located in the newest building on campus at the University of Otago.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE STUDIES

English tuition from Elementary to Advanced levels	Elementary and Pre-Intermediate – 22.5 hours of General English per week Intermediate to Advanced – 15 hours of General English plus either 7.5 hours of IELTS or English for International Communication (with TOEIC) (TOEFL iBT is available subject to sufficient demand)
<i>English for Otago</i>	English for Undergraduate Purposes – 22.5 hours of Academic English per week English for Postgraduate Purposes – 25.5 hours of Academic English per week
<i>English for Academic Purposes</i> (Spring Term only)	15 hours of Academic English and 7.5 hours of IELTS preparation per week
English for Study Groups	Special programmes designed to meet specific needs

SPECIAL FEATURES

- Five levels of English tuition from Elementary to Advanced
- 22.5 hours of classes per week, 3 classes per day
- 4.5 hours per day, 90 minutes per class
- Maximum class size = one teacher to 16 students
- Minimum age = 14 years old
- Diverse cultures and nationalities
- Non-IELTS pathways to Foundation Year and the University of Otago
- All permanent academic staff members have university degrees and TESOL qualifications
- Examination centre for IELTS, TOEIC, TOEFL iBT and Cambridge ESOL Mainsuite

FIND OUT MORE ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY OF OTAGO LANGUAGE CENTRE AT:

www.otago.ac.nz/uolcfy





The University of Otago Foundation Year

Located in the newest building on campus at the University of Otago.



- Foundation Year prepares students for degrees in all four Otago Divisions – Business, Health Sciences, Humanities and Sciences.
- There are 5 streams of study to choose from with the stream chosen depending on the intended degree at university.
- Students are taught in lecture theatres and laboratories on campus ensuring that they feel confident and familiar with the university environment.
- Students are taught in a university style with a mix of lectures, tutorials and laboratories.
- Students develop communication and problem-solving skills and gain the knowledge required for successful undergraduate study at university.
- There are free one-on-one consultation times in which teachers help students learn new information and study skills.
- Students come from over 25 countries, including New Zealand.

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FOUNDATION YEAR AT:
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experience

Services

- There is access to University of Otago resources including libraries, 24 hour computer suites and cafés and discounts on shopping, entertainment and travel.
- An in-house online student visa processing service allows students to apply for student visas through Student Support.
- Extra support is automatically provided for students who are under 18 years old.
- Student Support and Accommodation staff are on-call 24 hours for emergencies.
- Several staff speak different languages and are able to assist if communication problems arise.
- Specialist speakers and forums are also available to inform students on topics relating to student life and wellbeing.
- Academic Deans are available to advise or discuss any concerns that students may have regarding academic pathways, career prospects, extra tutoring or related issues.
- Dedicated in-house Accommodation Office helps with homestay and other accommodation options.
- Weekly sports and social activities.
- Free airport pick-up.
- Students have access to the following university services – Student Health Services, Otago University Student Association (OUSA), Unipol Recreation Services, Clubs and Societies, Careers Advisory Service, International Student Clubs, Disability and Information Support.

The University of Otago Language Centre and Foundation Year is bound by the Code of Practice for the Pastoral Care of International Students published by the Ministry of Education. Copies of the Code are available upon request from this institution or from the New Zealand Ministry of Education website www.minedu.govt.nz/goto/international

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Facilities

- Brand new purpose-built building which is part of the University of Otago Plaza
- Independent Learning Centre (ILC)
- Digital Language Laboratory
- Six University of Otago Libraries
- 26 computer areas on campus including 19 with 24 hours a day, 7 days a week access, eStops (stand up computer stations for short tasks) and wireless network throughout the campus

FIND OUT MORE ABOUT FACILITIES AT:

www.otago.ac.nz/uolcfy

www.otago.ac.nz/about

It is a great place
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