

Ratonga Taiohi Pānui

what you need to know



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Macawa ni Vosa Vakaviti
Fijian Language Week 2023

**Me vakabulabulataki, vakamareqeti,
ka vakaqacotaki na vosa Vakaviti**
Nurture, Preserve and Sustain the Fijian language

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work-based learning

have you considered work-based learning for your taiohi?

Te Pūkenga Work-Based Learning providers, [Competenz](#), [Connexis](#), [BCITO](#), [MITO](#), [Service IQ](#), [Careerforce](#), [HITO](#) and [Primary ITO](#) offer great programmes for a range of sectors.

Each website lists jobs and programmes available across the motu – including heaps of apprentice roles for everything from beauty therapists to automotive mechanics.

fees free

Work-based learning is [Fees Free](#) for first-time learners. It covers up to \$12,000 for one year's study or two years' training, paid directly to a young person's tertiary education organisation.

[Youth Guarantee fees free tertiary programmes](#) provide 16-19-year-olds who have left school with opportunities to study towards NCEA or equivalent qualifications at tertiary providers free-of-charge.



[Complete this eLearning module to learn more about funding education](#)



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industry partnerships drop-in session recap

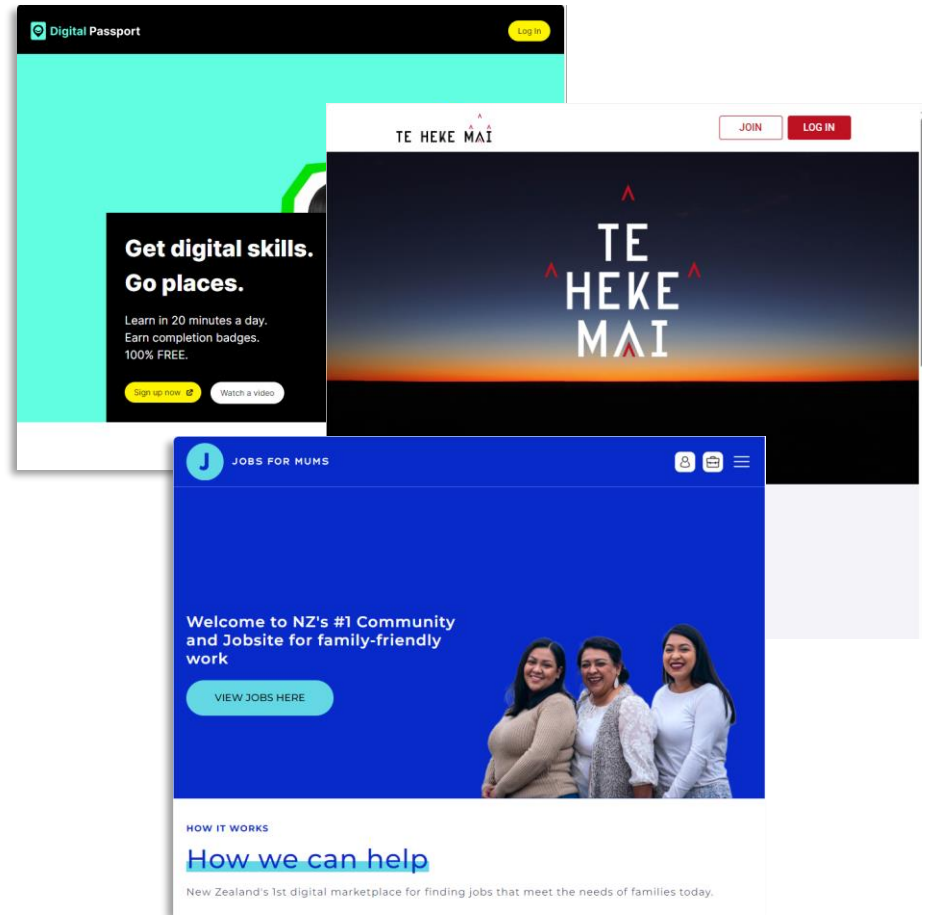
missed the session? here are the key things you need to know

On Wednesday we had the industry and partnerships team at our drop-in session. They covered what they do with a focus on their Digital Suite of tools that you and your taiohi can use.

Some of the free tools include:

- [Digital Passport](#) – online learning modules
- [Jobs for Mums](#) – family friendly job site
- [LinkedIn learning](#) – online learning modules (text 'LinkedIn' with your name and number to 226 for free access)
- Virtual Reality training – real-world working environments through VR headsets. (Text 'VR' and your address to 590 to book a session)
- [Te Heke Mai](#) – online coaching and mentoring service

And more! Check out their presentation for more information and resources: [Industry Partnerships Digital Suite \(youthservice.govt.nz\)](#)



upgrades for MyMSD, MyStudyLink and Apply Online

some features will be unavailable this weekend

MyMSD

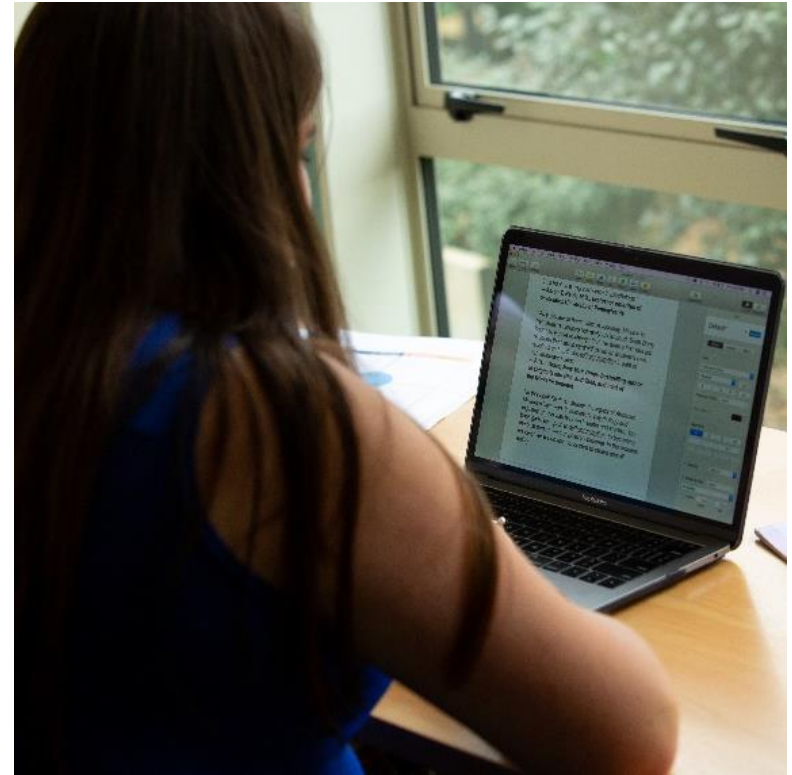
On **Saturday 14 October** 8–10pm the MyMSD system will be getting upgraded.

There may be times when taiohi can't log in. When they can log in, they'll be able to check payments, but might not be able to declare wages, see their payment card balance, or update their details.

MyStudyLink and Apply Online

On **Sunday 15 October** 7am–12pm, we're doing some maintenance on MyStudyLink and Apply Online.

Taiohi will still be able to view their information, but won't be able to apply, update their details or make changes.



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have you voted yet?

remember to exercise your right to vote before 7pm this Saturday

The voting in the General Election is only open for two more days.

If you or your young people haven't voted yet, now is the time.

In the last election, 22% of enrolled 18 to 24-year-olds didn't vote – and only 66% are actually enrolled!

Find the nearest hub for you and your taiohi here:
[Find a voting place | Vote NZ](#)

(and remember, if you or your young people aren't enrolled it isn't too late! Enrol at your voting place or [online](#)).



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upcoming drop-in sessions

our drop-ins focus on the technical aspects that are unique to our service

exiting youth service
Tuesday 17 October, 10am



Taiohi may leave Youth Service for a variety of reasons, at any time. It's a good idea to keep an up-to-date exit plan ready to go for your taiohi. In this session, we will cover how the exit process works – bring your questions about supporting young people to exit Youth Service.

Join via [Teams](#)

transitions – youth service to studylink
Tuesday 31 October, 10am



With NCEA exams less than a month away, some of your taiohi might be thinking about applying for StudyLink. In this session we will cover the things you need to know for supporting your taiohi through this process.

Join via [Teams](#)

**You can find the full drop-in session schedule
on our provider site here:**

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