

Know your faith

Grow your faith at TCI

2019







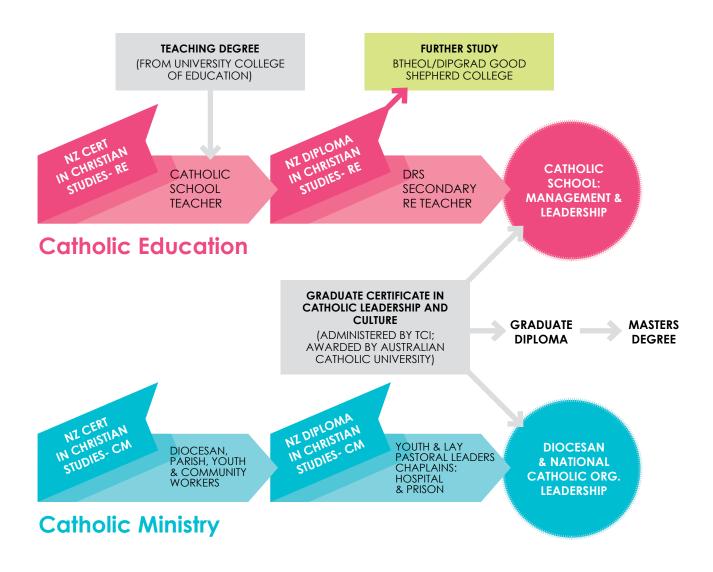
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WHAT IS TCI ABOUT?

The Catholic Institute of Aotearoa New Zealand: Te Pūtahi Katorika ki Aotearoa was established by the New Zealand Catholic Bishops to provide formation and qualifications in Religious Education, Ministry and Theology for the people of God in New Zealand to support their faith and enable people to be effective in their ministries.

Career Pathways





NEW QUALIFICATIONS

NZ Certificate in Christian Studies (Level 5) – Religious Education

80 credits; 0.67 efts; 7 papers

Pre-service:

For students at University Colleges of Education

In-service:

For Catholic School Teachers

NZ Diploma in Christian Studies (Level 6) – Religious Education

120 credits; .1.0 efts; 8 papers

Pre-requisite:

Level 5 qual in RE/Theology

For:

- Directors of Religious Education
- Teachers: NCEA Religious Education
 - Catholic school leaders

NZ Certificate in Christian Studies (Level 5) – Christian Ministry

60 credits; 0.5 efts; 6 papers

For:

- Lay pastoral leaders (1st step)
- Diocesan, parish & youth workers
- Hospital & prison chaplains/visitors
- Those wanting to know their faith

NZ Diploma in Christian Studies (Level 6) – strands: Christian Leadership, Pastoral Ministry, Theological Studies

120 credits; .1.0 efts; 8 papers

Pre-requisite:

Level 5 Ministry/Theology qual

For:

- Lay pastoral leaders (2nd step)
 - Parish & youth leaders
 - Hospital/prison chaplains
- Those wanting to make a difference in the world

(Post) Graduate Certificate in Catholic Leadership and Culture

0.5 efts, 4 papers

Level 8 qualification

Awarded by Australian Catholic University

For leaders in Catholic organisations and schools

Find out more at: www.tci.ac.nz/programmes



We are blessed with many outstanding Catholic educators, but there are not enough teachers with the right formation and qualifications to staff all schools adequately in terms of the Catholic Character.

As a long-time Māori Catholic educator, I am delighted that the Catholic Institute has worked hard to make the qualifications needed by our teachers more accessible and Māori Spirituality is integral to the qualifications.

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NZ Catholic Bishops

THE CATHOLIC EDUCATION OF SCHOOL AGED CHILDREN

It is really important that teachers know what they are talking about - if they don't know their stuff then you can't learn properly.

Catholic school student

Accessible Courses:

Online, Face to Face Classes, Distance and Blended Learning

STUDY ANYWHERE!

Access courses on your:

- Computer
- Mobile phone
- Tablet

Engaging, online learning:

- Latest technology
- User friendly
- Collaborative
- Interactive

Some 2019 Blended Courses (Face to face classes with online support)		
RE501 Religious Education Today		
RE502 Spirituality for Teachers		
SC501 Understanding the Old Testament		
SC502 Interpreting the New Testament		
TH501 What Catholics Believe		
TH502 What is Theology?		

Sample of 2019 Online Courses		
New Zealand Certificate in Christian Studies		
Semester 1	SC501 Understanding the Old Testament	
	TH501 What Catholics Believe	
	TH503 Church and Sacraments	
	TH504 Catholic Social Teaching	
Semester 2	SC502 Interpreting the New Testament	
	TH502 What is Theology?	
Religious Education Strand		
Semester 1	RE501 Religious Education Today	
Semester 2	RE502 Spirituality for Teachers	
Christian Ministry Strand		
Semester 1	PM501 Prayer and Liturgy	
	PM504 Pastoral Ministry Praxis	
	PM505 Catholic Youth Ministry	
Semester 2	PM502 Spirituality for Ministry	

More courses available in your diocese. For details:

www.tci.ac.nz/timetables

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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

How much will it cost to study the New Zealand Certificate or Diploma at TCI?

Please go to www.tci.ac.nz/fees for all course costs.

Are scholarships available to assist with fees?

Yes! Scholarships are available. You can find out about these at www.tci.ac.nz/fees

Are these qualifications eligible for interestfree student loans and fees-free for first time students?

Yes! You can apply for a student loan or fees-free (if you qualify) for the NZ Certificate in Christian Studies and the NZ Diploma in Christian Studies.

How do I enroll?

If you are a new student, please go to www.tci.ac.nz and click on Enrol Now or email office@tci.ac.nz. Returning students should receive a re-enrolment pack by email.

How can I find out what courses are available in my area?

Go to www.tci.ac.nz/timetables

How do I know what courses I need for a qualification?

You can find this out at: www.tci.ac.nz/programmes

I am not too sure what qualification is right for me...

Talk to a site-coordinator (there is one in each diocese); www.tci.ac.nz/intouch will give you a list of contacts. Or contact our main office 04 819 8380.

I am enrolled in one of the old qualifications, how long do I have to finish this qualification?

All qualifications on the old schedule must be finished by June 2019.

I do not think I will finish by June 2019 - what can I do?

We can transfer you to one of the new qualifications. Email Zach: z.duke@tci.ac.nz for more options.

How do I contact TCI?

Email: office@tci.ac.nz; Phone: 04 819 8380 For all diocesan sites:

http://www.tci.ac.nz/intouch