Why study in Ōtautahi Christchurch?

#exploretheopportunity

**Basecamp for adventure with mountains, lakes and beaches on your doorstep**
Over 700 parks, 14 ski areas, largest mountain bike park in the southern hemisphere, mountains, beaches, rivers and lakes within Canterbury - all accessible for a day trip.

**31% cheaper rent than Wellington**
**33% cheaper rent than Auckland**
Experience an affordable lifestyle with Christchurch's rent being significantly cheaper than other main cities.

**A vibrant and diverse community of change makers, in a progressive new city**
Explore our supportive ecosystem for social enterprise and the home of social change movement.

**20% of people living in Christchurch born overseas**
Be part of a welcoming and progressive community of change makers in an international city.

**New Zealand’s newest city**
Christchurch is rapidly transforming. Explore urban regeneration and cutting-edge architecture alongside heritage buildings, a bustling hospitality scene and established green space.

**Build your future career**
Connect with innovative businesses and work on the world’s biggest and boldest tasks through regular challenges and hackathons, or internships and employment.

**Explore our future focused industries**
Christchurch offers unique learning and career opportunities for students across four Supernodes - global growth industries where we are leading the way in creating solutions for an exciting future.