

Option 2:

Understanding Architectural Plans

- Apply architectural terms to building plans and drawings using manual techniques
- Draw floor plans to scale using pen and ink

OR

Landscape Principles and Design

- Exploration of landscape options using drawing and design techniques
- Measure a site and complete a landscape plan



Donna Morrison
Former Interior Design Student

"The Certificate in Interior Design at Waiariki was an excellent option for me. Not only did it accommodate school hours, but it provided a comprehensive programme and enabled me to surround myself with other creative people. It helped me to realise my goal to become an interior designer."

Tuition Fees

Fees are to be paid at the start of each course date. You will be invoiced by post for the papers you are studying.

Student Services

Waiariki Institute of Technology takes pride in having a diverse and safe campus, with an emphasis on providing student support, social events and activities.

For information on any of these services on campus phone: **0800 924 274**
or email: **enquiries@waiariki.ac.nz**

How and Where to Apply

Download an Application and Enrolment Form from the Waiariki website:

www.waiariki.ac.nz

For course advice or to discuss your study plans contact:
0800 924 274

or visit your regional Waiariki campus:

Rotorua	Mokoia Campus Mokoia Drive P 07 346 8999
Taupo	Corner Heu Heu and Kaimanawa Streets P 07 376 0030
Tokoroa	29 Bridge Street P 07 885 0200
Whakatane	33 Cutler Crescent P 07 306 0050

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Interior Design

Certificate in Interior Design Level 4



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Level	4
Credits	120
Length of Course	1 year
Starting Dates	February
Finish Dates	November
Study Options	Full time, part time and flexi-study may be available
Fees	Visit www.waiariki.ac.nz or call 0800 924 274
Campus	Rotorua

GENERAL ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Open to any person 16 years and over.

ABOUT THE QUALIFICATION

Are you passionate about design? Do you have a fascination with colour and texture? Whether you wish to work within the industry or gain knowledge for your personal use, this course will provide the skills required to realise your goals and / or dreams. You will be provided with the basic knowledge needed to work in the exciting and creative world of interior design. The course covers all aspects of domestic interior design from planning architectural concepts to selecting interior materials.

HIGHLIGHTS/BENEFITS

- Friendly and interesting classes combining practical design skills with artistic flair
- Interacting with local interior designers
- Off-campus visits
- Guest speakers

FURTHER STUDY

- Diploma in Interior Design
- Industry training

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Interior designer, assistant, sales representative, retail sales person, consulting or retailing interior design materials such as paint, wallpaper, fabric, furnishings or working with industry planners

SUBJECTS

Soft Skills and Communication

- Use of communication skills and techniques
- Verbal, non-verbal, problem solving, time and stress management
- Email and Internet

Skills for Successful Design*

- Examine the principles and elements of design and apply them to resolve design challenges
- Learn and document design language and processes

**This course is a pre-requisite to the Domestic Interiors, Presenting to Clients and Professional Training courses.*

Famous Buildings and Designers

- Identify key buildings from early history through to today
- Understand the contribution of architects, furniture and fabric designers to interior design

Domestic Interiors

- Explore the function of space room by room
- Demonstrate an understanding of placement

Presenting to Clients

- Learn techniques for assembling colour boards
- Gain skills for presenting to clients

Professional Training

- Record work experience in the design industry
- Learn to source interior related products and services
- Understand planning and design briefs

Option 1:

Drawing

- Demonstrate competence in analytical drawing
- Employ the principles of composition
- Apply the skills of perspective to drawings

OR

Electronic Room Plans

- Working in virtual three-dimensional space, select, justify and use a relevant 3D file



KEY TO PATHWAYS

Choose the area you want to study

Star and Gateway are programmes you can take in secondary school to prepare for tertiary-level study

These are the qualifications you can earn at Waiariki

These are the qualifications or positions you can pursue beyond Waiariki

