

Speak English with Confidence



Te Wānanga o Aotearoa





# Welcome to DynaSpeak

Nau mai, haere mai ki DynaSpeak

English is a world language for business or travel, so the way you learn it affects how quickly you reach your goals. DynaSpeak's unique teaching programme including dynamic Mainstream Immersion really gets you talking, making all the difference! The world's most beautiful country, an effective programme that gets you speaking English with confidence, the choice is easy: **with DynaSpeak, you will succeed.** 

## Why choose DynaSpeak?

- Great teachers.
- Outstanding facilities.
- Global friendships.
- Fast track your English.

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Since 1992 DynaSpeak has had one goal, to deliver the most effective English Language programme possible. Our promise to you is simple, an excellent programme designed to help you succeed, in the most beautiful country in the world and with 24 hour support. I look forward to seeing, and speaking with you, at DynaSpeak.

Patrick Ibbertson, School Director.







# **DynaSpeak Classes**

### **Mainstream Immersion Class**

In Phase 1, the DynaSpeak Mainstream class gets you speaking, fast! You'll overcome the main barriers through actually speaking and building confidence. Two hours per day, 10 hours per week in a class of just 9 students, maximum. With Mainstream Immersion, you really are speaking English, with confidence!

### **Elective Classes**

Learning needs two things: confidence, and actually using the language and structure. During Phase 1 of the Full Time DynaSpeak programme, these Elective Classes, 3 hours per day, rising to 20 hours per week in Phase 2, provide you with the structure and practice you need to use the speaking skills you have developed in the Mainstream Immersion Class. Elective Classes build all the key skills of Listening, Grammar, Speaking, Reading and Writing.

Accelerate your learning in Phase 2 by combining Elective Pro25 with MI Class for 35 hours per week of super intensive DynaSpeak learning.



## **General English, Elective Option 1**

DynaSpeak General English (GE) classes are especially designed to balance intensive listening and speaking training with grammar, reading and writing. All of the main features of English are taught and practised to increase your skills and confidence. Additional Tutorials allow you to focus on your Individual Study Plan under the guidance of your Elective Dean.

## **Academic English, Elective Option 2**

DynaSpeak English for Academic Purposes (EAP) prepares you for further study at university and tertiary colleges in New Zealand and overseas. Specialist tutors, small classes and Tutorials focus on your specific goals including Cambridge, IELTS, TOEFL or TOEIC exams. Options for One-to-One tuition and guidance with your Individual Study Plan provide a fast track to academic success.

### **Foundation Year, Elective Option 3**

DynaSpeak Foundation Studies (FS) is delivered in collaboration with leading University Foundation Providers, offering direct entry to all eight New Zealand universities, institutes of technology and excellent universities in the United States, United Kingdom, Ireland, Canada and Australia. Direct entry to your Foundation programme through DynaSpeak provides choice and flexibility in planning your future.

### Business & Workplace Communication, Elective Option 4

DynaSpeak Business & Workplace Communication (B&C) offers practical English for successful business and real-life communication. As a Working Holiday or business-oriented student you will experience live interviews, write your resume (CV), present seminars and practice face-to-face, phone and video communication. DynaSpeak integrates TOEIC Exam preparation, with optional practice tests and feedback, into programme and Tutorials. Learn business etiquette, communication styles, document writing and standard formats while your English ability rapidly advances.





# **Staff and Facilities**

## DynaSpeak Staff

The DynaSpeak Team is here to support you 24 hours a day. You are taught by specialists, fully trained and qualified in the subject they teach. All academic staff will support and encourage you to achieve your study goals. The support staff ensure your study and New Zealand experience are everything you hoped for. DynaSpeak is committed to quality and keeping our promise to be the most effective English language programme possible.



## **DynaSpeak Facilities**

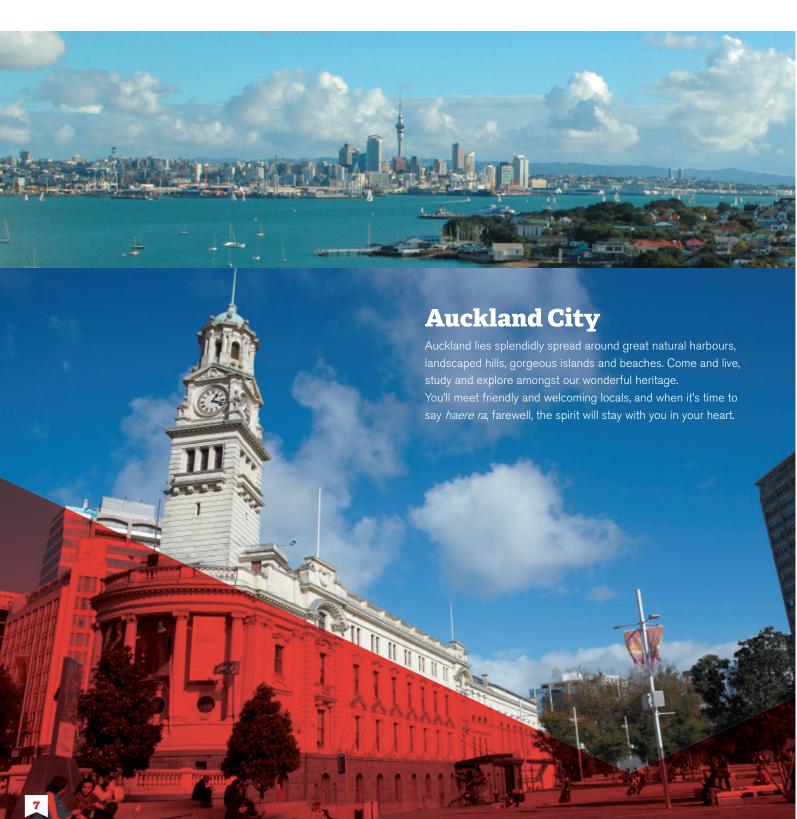
The school has 360 degree views of the city, Auckland Harbour, Sky Tower and Albert Park. DynaSpeak provides spacious social and self-study areas, computers, 21 bright modern classrooms, five video theatres, library, Student Learning Centre, student lockers and free Wifi network for your laptop or mobile phone.

DynaSpeak is situated in an attractive, air-conditioned, modern building in the heart of the business, theatre and restaurant district of Auckland City. The school has beautiful Albert Park and Auckland University on one side and New Zealand's premier shopping avenue on the other.

With bus stops right outside, the main railway station, city library, art galleries, restaurants and cafés within minutes of the school, plus the Auckland Harbour only 10 minutes walk away, you are located right in the middle of everything.



## Accommodation & Activities





## Accommodation

DynaSpeak arranges a full choice of accommodation: Homestay, University Residence or Backpacker Hostel. Accommodation arrangements are flexible and you can change to another type of accommodation during your stay. All accommodation is of a high standard and DynaSpeak ensures help is available 24 hours a day.

### Homestay

Homestay is the best way to experience the New Zealand way of life. Single and twin-share options are available. All DynaSpeak's Homestays are inspected regularly by DynaSpeak staff. When you arrive in New Zealand you will be met personally by DynaSpeak's Co-ordinator and taken to your Homestay to meet your Homestay host.

## **University Residence**

DynaSpeak's University Residences are modern high-rise apartments in the city centre so you can walk to school. There is a full range of options including air-conditioning, broadband internet in the room, telephone, laundry facilities and even cafés in the building. There are studio, one, two and three room suites and room-share is available. Let us know what you want and we will make all the arrangements.

## **Backpacker Hostel**

DynaSpeak has carefully selected the best Backpacker Hostels to recommend to you. With a wide range of price and location options to choose from, Backpacker Hostels are an affordable room-share option and a great way to meet people from all over the world.

## **Apartments (flatting)**

For DynaSpeak students who are ready to live more independently, the school can assist you with the process of finding an apartment or house-share, either with New Zealanders or with other international students. This option is suitable for longer-term students who have already settled into New Zealand life.



My name is Yuko and I am from Yokohama in Japan. Before I came to New Zealand I was worried about my homestay family and whether they would like me. I did not need to worry, my host family was very kind to me and I was sad to leave them when I went travelling. DynaSpeak is a great school and the staff and my homestay hosts are now like my second family.



## **School Activities**

DynaSpeak's Social Club is your ticket to fun and friendship. There are regular social events and excursions, with optional overnight trips to popular tourist destinations every week. Whether your interests include sports, culture or adventure, Auckland has everything.



# Travel

New Zealand is a traveller's paradise. DynaSpeak can help you to plan your dream adventure using our wide network of travel partners. Whether you want to bungee, snowboard, sky dive, swim with the dolphins or experience New Zealand's unique cultures, DynaSpeak staff are ready to make your New Zealand dream come true. DynaSpeak can also help should you want to explore the Pacific, since Australia and Fiji are only a short flight away.

Southern Discoveries, Milford Sound, M







## **Code of Practice**

DynaSpeak has agreed to observe and be 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 on request from this institution or from the New Zealand Ministry of Education website at: www.minedu.govt.nz/international

## Immigration

Full details of visa and permit requirements, advice on rights to employment in New Zealand while studying, and reporting requirements are available through the New Zealand Immigration Service, and can be viewed on their website at: **www.immigration.govt.nz** 

## **Eligibility for health services**

Most international students are not entitled to publicly funded health services while in New Zealand. If you receive medical treatment during your visit, you may be liable for the full costs of that treatment. Full details on entitlements to publicly-funded health services are available through the Ministry of Health, and can be viewed on their website at: www.moh.govt.nz

## **Accident insurance**

The Accident Compensation Corporation provides accident insurance for all New Zealand citizens, residents and temporary visitors to New Zealand, but you may still be liable for all other medical and related costs. Further information can be viewed on the ACC website at: www.acc.govt.nz

## **Medical and travel insurance**

International students must have appropriate and current medical and travel insurance while studying in New Zealand.

Please ask a DynaSpeak staff member if you require help or guidance in locating or downloading a translation of the full Code of Practice document.



DynaSpeak is the English language school of Te Wānanga o Aotearoa, a community college of opportunity within the New Zealand government's state education system.

DynaSpeak is an authorised Cambridge Examination Centre and a licensed TOEIC Test Centre. It is affiliated to Study Auckland and a member of English New Zealand and the Auckland Chamber of Commerce.





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