

Kaihautū Action Plan 2019

Key Actions to Achieve Priorities

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Unitec Priority	Team Priority	Action	Timing
Success of all students, with a focus on priority groups (Māori, Pacific, Under 25, International) and the communities we serve (West, Central & North Auckland)	Advocates for ensuring that Māori students feel culturally nourished, supported and connected throughout their journey with Unitec	 Form Māori student focus groups in each of the 11 schools. Coaching sessions for lecturers delivering Māori content. Design internal PD courses that support Māori feeling connected at Unitec. Include Māori students in the planning for key kaupapa Māori events – e.g. Matariki, Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori. Support all other priority group initiatives. 	 End of 2019 As required As required Ongoing throughout 2019 Ongoing throughout 2019
Quality learning, teaching and applied research to develop work-ready graduates and lifelong learners	Champion the Māori success conversation throughout Unitec to ensure a high quality educational experience for Māori students.	 Attend AA and QAB hui on behalf of Te Taharangi to ensure Māori as a priority group is addressed throughout all academic committees. Engage with and support Mātauranga Māori champions as appointed by Unitec. 	As requiredAs required
Engaged and inspired staff, equipped with the capabilities to support and deliver best learning	Provide our Unitec whānau with opportunities to share best practice models for engaging with Māori students and communities.	 Embed tikanga marae, e.g. whaikōrero, waiata throughout Te Rito suite Establish Te Reo courses for beginners – Unitec staff only. Badge kaupapa Māori professional development courses – e.g. Te Rito. Create a annual forum for sharing best practice for engaging with Māori students and communities 	 End of 2019 Pilot to begin Semester 2, 2019. End of 2019 End of 2019
A financially sustainable business to invest in the future	We work within the financial policies and processes of Unitec.	 Organise training with finance team to raise awareness of policies appropriate for our work. Partner with UPC and marketing to increase Māori enrolments 	End of 2019End of 2019