

## Tuia Rangatahi Programme



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### **Tuia Rangatahi Programme Information evening**

We invite Rangatahi and their whānau who may be interested in applying for this programmes to join us at our information evening. A brief overview of the programme will be provided by Nelson City Council staff and Mayor Rachel Reese. This will be an opportunity for you to ask questions about the programme and learn about what it can offer. Light refreshments will be provided.

**5:00pm – 6:00pm**

**Monday 27 January 2020**

**Ngāti Kuia Office**

**192 Rutherford Street, Nelson.**

**RSVP [casey.anderson@ncc.govt.nz](mailto:casey.anderson@ncc.govt.nz)**

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Applications are now open, check out our website for more information.

### **Background**

The Tuia programme is long term, inter-generational approach to develop and enhance the way in which young Māori contribute to communities throughout New Zealand. This programme involves local Mayors selecting a young Maori from their district to mentor on a one-to-one basis, to encourage and enhance leadership skills. It is envisaged the rangatahi (young person) will be mentored on a monthly basis, involving both informal meetings and formal occasions that will assist the young person's development as a local leader. The relationship also provides both partners with the opportunity to gain a

deeper insight into inter-generational issues, cultural values and experiences. Rangatahi will also have the opportunity to build peer networks with graduates of the Programme, obtain support and receive leadership training by attending four leadership development wānanga over the course of the year.

Download the [2020 Prospectus](#), for more information:

### **Who can apply?**

We're looking for rangatahi Māori (18-25 yrs) from the Nelson region who are actively contributing to the well-being of their community at some level, and have the potential to be a leader in their community.

You must be supported by your community (iwi/hapū/marae/whānau or Māori community based organisations).

### **What does it involve?**

You need to be able to commit to the following:

1. Attending 4 weekend rangatahi wānanga held on marae around the country.
2. Monthly 'one to one' mentoring meetings with the Nelson City Council's Mayor and/or Deputy Mayor, and other opportunities.
3. Engaging in, or developing a community service project in your community.

### **How can you apply?**

To register your interest, click on the link <https://shape.nelson.govt.nz/tuia-rangatahi-programme> or send the following to [casey.anderson@ncc.govt.nz](mailto:casey.anderson@ncc.govt.nz):

- Your name and contact details
- The name and contact details of the community organisation (whānau, marae, hapū, iwi etc) that have agreed to support you.
- The reasons why you should be selected for the Tuia mentoring programme

Applications close on **Friday 14 February 2020**.

If you have any questions or require more information please contact:

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