



NGAA KAAKANO LEADERSHIP PROGRAM REGISTRATION

Ngaa Kaakano is a 8 week accelerator program that focuses on 4 pou...

1. Local | Kirikiriroa
2. Ko wai au | Identity
3. Leadership | Mana Motuhake
4. Systems Change | Te aoo hurihuri

It's our mission to provide opportunitites for rangatahi (18-30) to grow as community contributors.



CHECKLIST

- ☐ I am based in Waikato or Kirikiriroa
- ☐ I am 18-30 years old
- ☐ I can make 99% of all the dates
- ☐ I care about making a difference
- ☐ Choose 2 questions on the next page to answer (one you will answer by video and the other you will respond by writing)
- ☐ I have my CV /project and social media links organised
- ☐ I am ready to apply!!!



Local | Kirikiriroa

Restoring whakapapa to whenua

1. What does Kirikiriroa mean to you?
2. Have you ever learned about the place-based histories of Kirikiriroa or your own rohe? If so, what stood out to you?
3. What's the name of the whenua you call home (where you feel most connected)? Tell us a story about that place.

Ko Wai Au? | Who Am I?

Identity and belonging

1. Ko wai koe? How would you introduce yourself in a way that feels true to your wairua?
2. Is there a part of your whakapapa, identity or whānau story that you are currently exploring or reconnecting with?
3. What does 'belonging' mean to you right now in your life?

Leadership | Mana Motuhake

Authentic leadership and inner power

1. What does leadership mean to you?
2. Can you share a moment where you stood up for something or someone – even in a small way?
3. What strengths or qualities do others often see in you, and how do you use them in your life?

Systems Change | Te Ao Hurihuri

Disruption and collective futures

1. If you could change one thing in your community or in the world, what would it be and why?
2. What do you think needs to shift in how decisions are made in your community?
3. What gives you hope about the future?



TIMETABLE

First Waananga	Week One	Week Two	Week Three
in-person	in-person	in-person	in-person
Pou: Local	Pou: Local	Pou: Ko wai ahau	Pou: Ko wai au

Week Four	Week Five	Week 6	Final Noho
in-person	online	in-person	in-person
Pou: Mana Motuhake	Pou: Leadership	Pou: Leadership + systems Change	In- person Systems Change Noho