

# Waka Kōpapa

## LEADING TOGETHER

**'TAKING the LEAD'**, a 4-module online course covering practical strategies for educators responsible for learners with additional needs including all Gifted Coordinators, SENCos, RTLBs, future Coordinator's and related professionals.

Waka Kōpapa were ideal for moving small groups of people together. In the same way, this leadership development course helps to move groups of educators along on their journey as leaders in gifted education, focusing on strengthening your capacity and capability for developing and leading learners with additional needs, such as gifted learners within your school or kura. Waka Kōpapa is designed to encourage networking opportunities while also providing individual support.

### Modules

#### 1: Roles and responsibilities

#### 2: Policies, systems, procedures

#### 3: Critical issues

#### 4: Your strategic plan

### Your commitment

For each module, participants are required to:

- **Read the module**
- **Complete a shared task on the Gifted Aotearoa online Workspace on Slack**
- **Complete an individual task, submitted by email**

Participants are also encouraged to use the Gifted Aotearoa Workspace to network and share questions, ideas and opportunities. Participants who submit all shared and individual tasks will receive a Certificate of Participation.

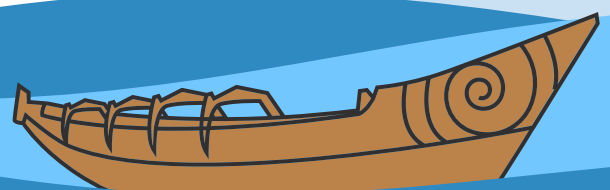
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### Important dates for June 2019 Intake of Waka Kōpapa:

- **Registrations open:**  
Monday 4th March, 2019
- **Registrations close:**  
Friday 7th June, 2019
- **First module emailed:**  
Friday 14th June, 2019
- **Last module tasks due:**  
Friday 27th September, 2019



Registration for Waka Kōpapa: [June 2019 Intake](#)

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