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BECOME AN
IMPACT SCHOOL



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MISSION READY 2026 IMPACT SCHOOL GUIDE



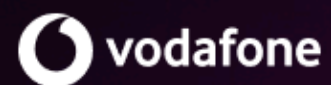
OUR MISSION YOUR SUCCESS

Mission Ready is on a mission to combat the tech skills gap in the industry by accelerating talent development in just 3 to 8 months.

We focus on industry-led, project-based, on the job experiences to enable our candidates to hit the ground running so you can grow and succeed faster.

Better Skills. Better Lives. Better World.

OUR CANDIDATES HAVE GONE ON TO WORK AT:



OUR SOCIAL IMPACT MISSION

Mission Ready HQ is on a social impact mission to reduce the tech skills gap and increase diversity & inclusion in tech through education, awareness & accessibility initiatives.

This is delivered through our charitable arm Mission Impact Foundation.

1.

Contribute to an increase in # of school students choosing tech as a career

2.

Increase opportunity for more diverse talent to enter the tech sector

3.

Increase accessibility to education & career success through financial and non-financial assistance



AS AN IMPACT SCHOOL

ACCESS EXCLUSIVE SCHOLARSHIPS

Guaranteed a minimum of 5 Impact Scholarships, giving your students exclusive access to life-changing opportunities by kick-starting their journey with our Tech Career Launchpad Micro-credential

OFFER DUAL RECOGNITION

Students can earn NZQA credits through a programme that integrates with NCEA, equipping them with essential tech skills for academic and career success.

OFFER FAST-TRACK TO TECH CAREERS

In less than a year, students can earn a tech diploma, gaining hands-on experience and mentorship to launch high-demand, high-paying careers.

ELEVATE YOUR SCHOOL'S IMPACT

Position your school as a leader in tech education, empowering students to succeed and thrive in a rapidly growing industry.

ACCESS MISSION TECHNIUS INSIGHTS

As an Impact School, you'll access Mission Technius results to guide students toward tech careers aligned with their skills, interests, and strengths.

100 SCHOLARSHIPS NOW OPEN FOR

THE TECH CAREER LAUNCHPAD

(30 CREDITS - LEVEL 3 MICRO-CREDENTIAL)

This programme offers hands-on overview in various tech roles, including:

- Data Analyst
- Sales and Marketing Specialist
- Business Analyst
- UX Designer
- Software Developer
- Tester

In addition to exploring these career paths, you will develop essential tech skills, develop capabilities to leverage Generative AI and develop skills for an entry level customer tech support role.

Timeline	Part-Time: 16 Week Launchpad		
Skill Level	Beginner		
2026 Intakes	23 February 2026 28 April 2026	25 May 2026 10 August 2026	12 October 2026
Fees	\$1,920.00 (incl. GST) NZ citizens & residents only 100 fully-funded Impact Scholarships Available		

Empower your rangatahi to unlock their potential and explore endless opportunities with Mission Ready's Tech Career Launchpad programme. This innovative programme equips rangatahi with essential skills, including:

- Equip your rangatahi with a strong understanding of the dynamic and ever-evolving tech industry.
- Allow them to explore diverse tech career pathways, empowering them to make informed decisions about their future careers.
- Teach essential tech skills, generative AI tools, and professional competencies to prepare students for the future of work.
- Help students gain a deeper understanding of their own strengths and preferences, setting them up for a successful career launch.
- Guide students in building a personalised professional development plan to map out their path to success.
- Progression: Candidates can progress to the advanced programmes, or they can jump straight into an entry service desk role

Structure & Integration

	Total duration	Weekly hourly commitment	Format	Live Session
Part-time	16 weeks	15 hours	Live online sessions + Extramural	Every Wednesday 10am - 11am
Full-time	8 weeks	20 - 25 hours	Live online sessions + Extramural	Every Wednesday 12:30pm - 1:30pm

NZQA APPROVED
MICRO-CREDENTIALS

BECOME A SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

BECOME A USER EXPERIENCE DESIGNER

BECOME A DATA ANALYST

Access Mentored work placement.
Get mission ready >

APPLIED DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY
PRODUCT SOLUTIONS
(LEVEL 6)

Have prior knowledge or
experience? Start here >

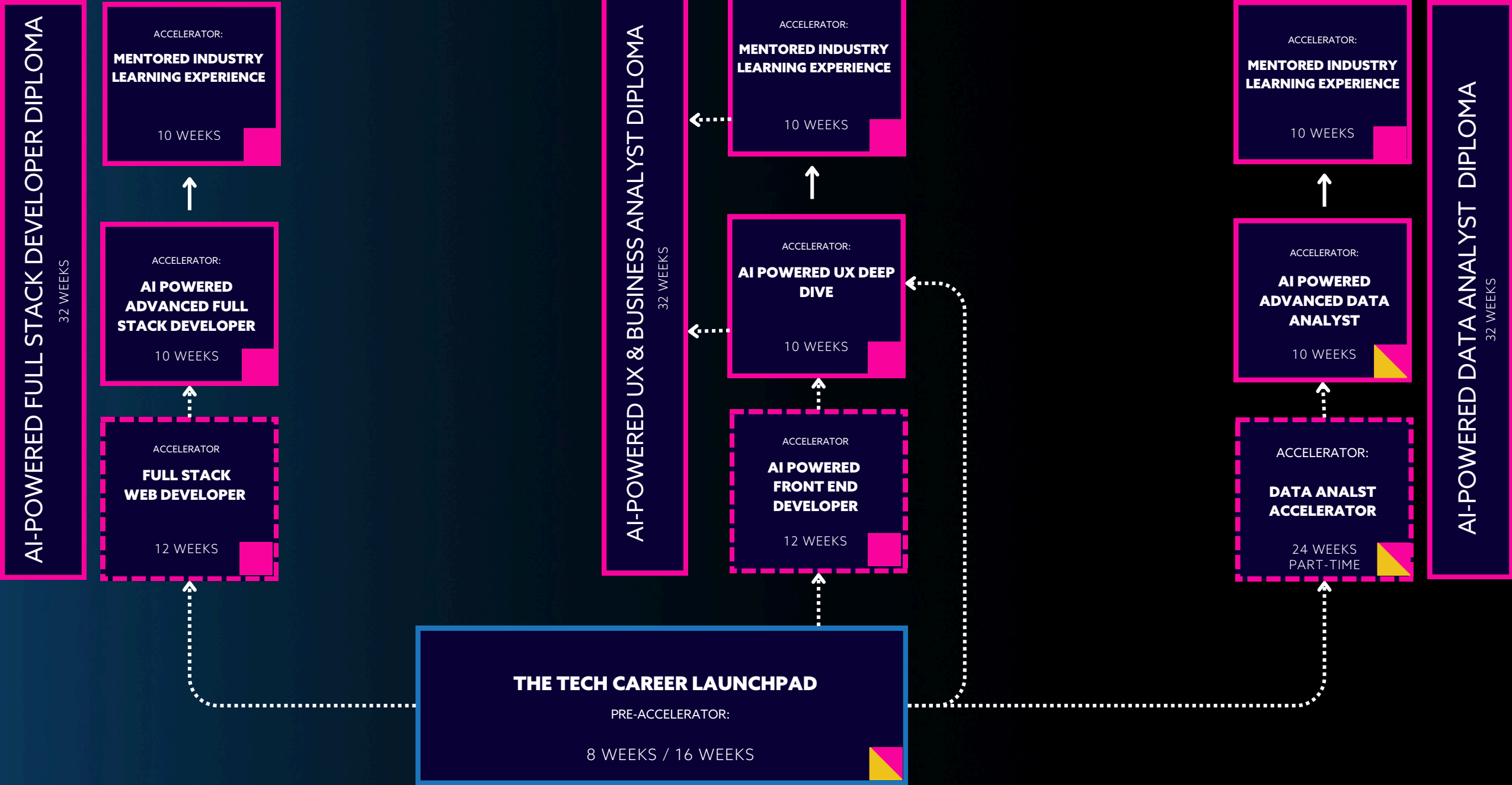
DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY
PRODUCT SOLUTIONS
(LEVEL 5)

No coding experience? Start here >

CERTIFICATE IN TECHNOLOGY
PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT ESSENTIALS
(LEVEL 4)

Need a career plan? Start here >

CERTIFICATE IN TECH CAREER
EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT
(LEVEL 3)



Availability ■ Part-time (20 weeks) ■ Full-time (10 weeks)





MISSION TECHNIUS FOR SCHOOLS

Mission Technius provides an engaging and interactive career quiz that helps high school students uncover where they truly belong in the tech industry. As an impact school, your institution will receive valuable insights and detailed student data, empowering you to tailor educational strategies that inspire curiosity, boost engagement, and support student success.

PERSONALISED CAREER GUIDANCE

The Mission Technius quiz evaluates individual interests and aptitudes, providing tailored tech career recommendations for each student.

COMPREHENSIVE ROLE SUGGESTIONS

Students receive insights into various tech roles, such as Data Analyst, UX Designer, and Software Developer, aligning with their unique profiles.

SKILL IDENTIFICATION

The quiz highlights students' strengths and potential areas of interest, aiding in the development of relevant skills for future tech careers.

ENHANCED EDUCATIONAL STRATEGIES

As an impact school, access to aggregated student data allows educators to guide and support your students better.

TECH CAREER LAUNCHPAD

Access fully funded scholarship



ACCELERATED DIPLOMA

Access Fees Free Funding to become a
Full Stack Developer,
Business Analyst or Data Analyst.



MENTORED WORK PLACEMENT

Access our network of 280+ industry partners
Gain 10 weeks real tech experience
Build valuable connections
Professional references



JOB SEARCH PROGRAMME

Access to hiring partners actively seeking tech talent
Job search coaching to help candidates stand out
CV & portfolio development

GRADUATE DEBT-FREE

With scholarships available, students can complete the Tech Career Launchpad at no cost, keeping their Fees Free funding available for their next step—a Level 5 Tech Career Accelerator Diploma. This means students can graduate with industry-ready skills without financial burden.

Your Learners Could Graduate in 48 Weeks With:

- Tech Career Launchpad: Level 3 30 Credits Micro-credential – Fully Funded (Scholarship Value: \$1,920)
- Tech Career Accelerator: Level 5 120 Credits Diploma – Covered by Fees Free (Value: \$9,960)

NCEA UNIT STANDARD CREDITS FOR SCHOOLS

Students can gain up to 13 Level 3 NCEA
Unit Standard credits

NCEA UNIT STANDARDS

NCEA Level 3 Unit Standards

- US4251 v9 Plan a career pathway
- US1307 v9 Speak to a known audience in a predictable situation
- US3491 v8 Write a report
- US1279 v8 Write in plain English

CONSENT TO ASSESS

Mission Ready does not have consent to assess NCEA standards. This is where you as an Impact School will need to step in.

All marking, moderating and awarding will need to be conducted by the student's school. Mission Ready will provide the marking rubrics, evidence will need to be provided by the student to the school.

DUAL-RECOGNITION

Students will be able to gain NCEA credits and an industry recognised level 3 NZQA micro-credential

BECOME AN IMPACT SCHOOL

How we can work together to help our rangatahi into tech

What does it mean to be an Impact School?

Dedicated Scholarships for your students and confirmation from you that these scholarships will be utilised.

Your school has 2 options to choose from, TCL with or without NCEA credits

IMPACT SCHOOL - SCHOLARSHIP + NCEA

Your school can decide on a number of scholarships you would like us to set aside for your students - minimum of 5 scholarships.

Students can gain NCEA credits if your school has the capacity to mark, moderate and award the credits.

Students will also gain the NZQA Level 3 Micro-credential.

IMPACT SCHOOL - SCHOLARSHIP ONLY

Your school will have a dedicated number of scholarships set aside for your students - minimum of 5 scholarships

Students will not need to work through the NCEA assignments, instead they will work towards gaining the NZQA Level 3 Micro-credential marked and awarded by Mission Ready

NEXT STEPS

Confirm the number of scholarships you would like us to set aside, an MOU will be provided via docusign, then share the enrolment links with your students!

PILOT PROGRAMME



Real Impact, Real Results

The Tech Career Launchpad pilot at Papakura High School proved that students thrive when given the right opportunity! With 12 students on full scholarships, earning NCEA credits and an NZQA-approved Level 3 micro-credential, this programme isn't just theory—it's a game-changer. Schools that join as Impact Partners can give their students a fast-track ticket to the booming tech industry, setting them up for high-demand careers.

From the Classroom to the Cutting Edge

This isn't your typical tech class—students dive into hands-on experiences with AI, software development, UX design, and more! The Tech Career Launchpad bridges the gap between education and the real-world tech industry, helping students build job-ready skills, earn industry-recognised qualifications, and get a head start on their careers. By becoming an Impact School, you can bring future-focused, industry-backed learning straight to your students!

“Partnering with Mission Ready has bridged the gap for our young people between education and the tech industry, giving our students a head start in their careers.”

—Papakura High School Deputy Principal Rebecca McGrath



OUR CANDIDATE SUCCESS STORIES

“ I never saw tech as an option—I thought I'd go into uni or marketing. But I decided to try this short programme, and it was incredible!

It's packed with knowledge, connections, and clear direction. By the end, I had a certification and a real pathway into tech. You get out what you put in, and it's so worth it!

SASKIA COUPER



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“ People often think tech is just for 'nerds,' but that's so far from the truth. I thought I'd fail school and end up in construction, but I discovered tech aligned perfectly with my goals.

Mission Ready showed me I had more options—and if you really want something, nothing can hold you back.

JOSHUA FAAUI



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[HEAR IT FROM JOSHUA](#)

HEAR FROM OUR INDUSTRY PARTNERS



OUR PARTNERS (300+)

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 **CIN7**

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GROUP

 JAVLN

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 *Checkmate*

 matchstiq

 **StudySpy**



BETTER **SKILLS**, BETTER **LIVES**, BETTER **WORLD**
AWARDS



NZQA

Mana Tohu Mātauranga o Aotearoa
New Zealand Qualifications Authority

CATEGORY 1
PROVIDER



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