

Go Dairying

Do you enjoy the outdoors and working with animals?

Are looking for new employment opportunities?

YES? Then this Agriculture New Zealand part time 6-12 week Go Dairying course is for you! The programme has been designed to provide you with the skills and knowledge needed to gain employment in the dairy industry as a Relief Milker, Farm Hand or gain entry to further training.

Our Go Dairying Programme is an ideal starting point for:

- People wanting to enter the dairy farming industry
- People interested in becoming a relief milker
- School students (16 and over) looking for 'after school' employment opportunities
- People with some previous experience looking for a refresher course to update their knowledge and refresh their skills

You will learn a range of skills and gain knowledge that will prepare you for employment in the Dairy industry, including:

- How to handle stock safely
- Handling and health of dairy cattle
- How milking plants work
- How to milk cows
- Knowledge of the dairy industry
- Skills you can use to gain employment on farms
- Industry recognition
- Ongoing support and friendship
- Qualifications



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This programme is offered in partnership with regional Polytechnics. If you complete all the requirements of the course, you will receive one or more Short Course Awards from the polytechnic you enrol with. You will also gain Unit Standards that contribute towards National Qualifications.

Structure

The Go Dairying Programme can be offered anywhere there are groups of 14 or more interested learners and is tailored to regional needs.

This part-time programme is interactive and fun and is delivered by specialist tutors over an average of 10 training days. You will complete a number of milkings on commercial dairy farms. If necessary, these can be spread out over a number of weekends, afternoons or mornings. You will be assessed on theory and practical components of the Go Dairying course. Most learners complete the programme in 6-12 weeks, but more time is available if required.

Fees and Enrolment Information

This programme is approved for New Zealand Domestic Learners only. Zero fees may apply. For more information contact Agriculture New Zealand.

About Agriculture New Zealand

Agriculture New Zealand is a national multi-site Private Training Establishment owned by PGG Wrightson. We are registered and accredited with the New Zealand Qualifications Authority to deliver approved training courses at levels 1-6 on the National Qualifications Framework. Agriculture New Zealand has been a specialist provider of quality agricultural and horticultural training since 1993. All of our agriculture programmes have been awarded the AgExcel Quality Mark which is endorsed by DairyNZ and Beef + Lamb New Zealand and recognises industry relevant, superior agricultural training.

Each year our skilled and qualified staff provide training to over 3000 learners throughout New Zealand. Much of the training is delivered in partnership with Telford (a division of Lincoln University), Aoraki Polytechnic and the Western Institute of Technology Taranaki (WITT). We are recognised as a specialist provider of Organic Horticulture, provide training to Landcorp staff throughout New Zealand and deliver the formal training programme on Smedley Station – a long established training farm in the Hawkes Bay.

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