



OTUMOETAI COLLEGE INTERNATIONAL STUDENT PROGRAMME

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Studying: Year 12 Level 2 Drama, Mathematics, Hospitality,
English & Outdoor Education.
Year 13 Level 3 Outdoor Education, Hospitality,
Drama, Calculus & Level 2 Practical Art.

Goal: Learn English and experience another lifestyle.



1) Why did you choose New Zealand to study?

Because I heard that, this was a really cool place to go to if you like adventures and outdoor activities.

2) What is the best thing about studying at Otumoetai College?

All the different subjects on offer, some of which I chose such as Hospitality, Outdoor Education, Drama, Performing Arts and Calculus. I also enjoy the diversity of cultures and nationalities of students at Otumoetai College.

3) What do you enjoy most about being in New Zealand?

I really enjoy the relaxed lifestyle that people have. Here you have time to visit the beaches and parks and enjoy the nature.

4) Do you enjoy living with a New Zealand homestay family?

Yes, very much. I have learned so much from them and together we have walked the Tongariro Crossing, been Blackwater Rafting and skiing up Mt Ruapehu.

5) What would you say to a student from your country considering coming to New Zealand to study?

I would say it is a great opportunity to learn many things especially about yourself. I would advise them to embrace the differences in our cultures and to always see the bright side of things.

6) What are your career aspirations?

I would really like to go to University to study Health.

7) What do you plan to do after your New Zealand education is completed?

I will finish school in Chile and then apply for University