COMMUNITY AND SOCIETY INVESTIGATION

CAREERS:
Community and Society Investigation is a course that allows students to personalise their learning by working at their own pace. It incorporates the internal achievement standards from the Humanities: Geography, History and Social Studies. This course teaches research skills, communication and self-management.

Vocational Pathways for Research and Communication

Construction and Infrastructure (CI)

If you are interested in a career that involves physical work, working with your hands, tools, machinery and equipment and primarily focussing on building, repair or maintenance work then this sector is for you.
Types of jobs for this Vocational Pathway include:
• Building Contractor • Diver • Boat Builder • Property Manager • Electrician • Joiner • Miner/Quarry worker

Primary Industry Sector (PI)

You'll be contributing to an important and sustainable sector that's one of New Zealand's biggest employers and exporters. Whether you're from a rural background or a townie, there's something here for you.
Types of jobs for this Vocational Pathway include:
• Environmental Services • Farm Worker • Fishery Officer • Government Services • Turf Management • Production Manager • Vet • Winemaker

Service Industry Sector (SI)

With skills from this sector you can work and travel the world. It can be truly inspirational – from travel to tourism, hairdressing to hospitality, physical fitness to financial services. In these jobs you're the brand, dealing directly with people.
Types of jobs for this Vocational Pathway include:
• Research and Marketing Consultant • Receptionist • Army Soldier • Chef • Events Manager • Hairdresser • Sports and Recreation Worker • Journalist • Purchasing Officer • Sales Rep

Social and Community Services (SC)

With skills from this sector you can: work with people of different ages, life stages, abilities and cultures, counsel and treat people, promote health and offer advice, provide medical research, testing and technical support.
Types of jobs for this Vocational Pathway include:
• Careers Advisor • Vocational Consultant • Psychologist • Pilot • Police Officer • Probation Officer • Community Service Supervisor • Nurse • Health Promotion • Communication Officer • Sales Rep

Creative Industries (CR)

Whether you are looking to move onto further study, training or work, or you're unsure about your options, the yellow pathway will help you plan your study and career options in the Creative Industries.
Types of jobs for this Vocational Pathway include:
• Artist • Actor • Screen Printer • Art Director • Technical Manager • Stage/Set Designer • Creative Director

Level 1 COMMUNITY AND SOCIETY INVESTIGATION	
Prerequisite:	Open Entry
Summary of Course:	This is a course that allows students to personalise their learning by working at their own pace. It incorporates the internal achievement standards from the Humanities: Geography, History and Social Studies. This course teaches research skills, communication and self-management. This course will be made up of 4 - 6 internal papers. The final papers will be selected from the list below, depending on student's interest.

Assessment	CI	MT	PI	SI	SC	CR	Credits	Internally assessed
91001				•	•	•	4	Carry out an investigation of an historical event, or place, of significance to New Zealanders. *(L)*
91002				•		•	4	Demonstrate understanding of an historical event, or place, of significance to New Zealanders. *(L)*
91009			•	•			3	Demonstrate geographic understanding of the sustainable use of the environment *(L)*
91012				•	•	•	3	Describe aspects of a contemporary NZ geographic issue *(L)*
91013			•	•		•	3	Describe aspects of a geographic topic at a global scale *(L)*
91014			•	•			3	Apply spatial analysis with direction to solve a geographic problem
								Optional Standards
91011			•	•			4	Conduct geographic research with direction *(L) (N)*
US504							2	Produce a CV
US1978							3	Employment Rights and Responsibilities

(L) = Literacy (N) = Numeracy