

Subject:	Superstudies	
NCEA Level:	Two	
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Standard		Title	Credits
US 12354	I	Describe implications of independent living including renting and flatting.	4
US 10780	I	Complete a work experience placement.	2
US 4253	I	Produce a targeted resume.	2
US 24709	I	Prepare a balanced budget for an individual.	3
US 24707	I	Set a personal financial goal and plan its implementation.	3

I means the Unit Standard is assessed internally.

What will I learn?

The first part of the year focuses on relevant career-related Unit Standards and include a Gateway placement at the end of Term 1, either in Auckland or in our local area.

The second part of the year sees us focus on “Breakthrough to Excellence” which is an internationally recognised self-development programme. These help students to prepare for their transition from school to the workplace or on to tertiary education as well as gaining useful ‘life skills’ from the Flatting and Financial Management Unit Standards.

How will I learn?

Learning activities include discussions, workbooks, practical exercises, DVD’s and field trips.

What should I have already done?

NCEA Level 1 Superstudies provides a useful background for this course.

Where does the subject lead?

This subject provides essential skills for continuing on into Year 13 or if leaving school, appropriate preparation for living away from home.

How is the course assessed?

As NCEA Level 2 Superstudies is based on Core Skill Unit Standards, students will be required to do the assessment tasks provided. There will not be an external examination.

Other details: (costs, field trips etc)

There will be a work experience based trip to Auckland or locally in Term 1. During the year a range of career-related experiences are available.

End of course qualifications.

Credits towards the National Certificate of Educational Achievement Level 2.