



University  
of Otago

ŌTĀKOU WHAKAIHU WAKA



Dunedin Tertiary  
Open Days

He Rā Tirotiro Wānanga



BUSINESS

Tourism

Develop the entrepreneurial, creative and strategic skills needed to be a change-maker in the tourism and hospitality industries.

9:30–9:50am

Archway 1 Lecture Theatre

Management | Human Resource Management | International Business

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Archway 4 Lecture Theatre

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St David Lecture Theatre

Finance | Sustainable Finance

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Marketing

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1–1:30pm

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Castle 1 and Castle 2 Lecture Theatres

Dentistry

Join us for a tour of Otago's state-of-the-art Faculty of Dentistry – the only dental school in Aotearoa.

10:30–11am and 11–11:30am | Tour | Faculty of Dentistry, 310 Great King Street North

Genetics

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Anatomy Museum, second floor, Lindo Ferguson Building

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Dance

Student performance of popular culture and contemporary dance works.

12–1pm

Outside the Staff Club by the Pathway statues

Music

Develop your skills as a performer, composer, songwriter or music producer. Plus, join us for a studio tour at our Performing Arts Centre.

1–1:50pm

Te Korokoro o te Tūi, main recording studio, 141 Union Street East

Psychology

See Sciences for presentation details.

1–1:50pm

St David Lecture Theatre

Classics at Tūhura

An interactive exploration of the Classics collection at Tūhura Otago Museum, including ancient coins and vases. Spaces are limited to 20 people, register online to secure your spot: [events.otago.ac.nz/2024tod/classics](https://events.otago.ac.nz/2024tod/classics)

1–2pm and 2–3pm

Barclay Theatre, Tūhura Otago Museum, 419 Great King Street

Theology

Learn how to understand life, meaning, beliefs and identity at a deeper level.

1:30–1:50pm

Archway 3 Lecture Theatre

Theatre Studies

Improvisation workshop.

3–4pm

Allen Hall Theatre

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Marine Science

Come and visit Otago's Marine Science teaching lab in Portobello. Allow for one hour at the facility, plus 45 minutes travel either end. To book your space, email [portobello.marinescience@otago.ac.nz](mailto:portobello.marinescience@otago.ac.nz). Transport will be provided:

Leave Visitor's Centre 10:45am, return 1:15pm

Leave Visitor's Centre 12:15pm, return 2:45pm

Portobello Marine Laboratory, Otago Peninsula

Surveying

Join us for a hands-on experience using surveying equipment and measurement technology.

11am–1pm | Activity | Union Lawn (weather dependent – cancelled if wet)

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Geography and Environmental Management

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Archway 4 Lecture Theatre

Geology

Hear about life and career opportunities as a geologist.

12–12:20pm and 2–2:20pm

Benson Common Room, Geology Building

12–3pm | Geology Museum open | South end, Geology Building

1pm | Demonstration | Trashcano – volcanic eruption | North end, Geology Building

Forensic Analytical Science

From crime scene analysis and biosecurity to wildlife forensics and forensic identification, analytical science techniques are crucial in criminal investigations.

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1:30–2:30pm | On-site field trip | Marples Building, 340 Great King Street

Meet at the front steps for a short field trip to the Leith River to look at stream invertebrates. Weather dependent – cancelled if wet.

2pm, 2:30pm, 3pm, 3:30pm | Tour | Marples Building, 340 Great King Street

Meet at the front steps for a tour of the Department of Zoology.

Botany

Delve into the diversity, evolution and function of plants.

1–1:20pm

Archway 3 Lecture Theatre

1:30–2:15pm | Tour | Department of Botany, 464 Great King Street North

Join us for a tour of our department's facilities, including research labs, herbarium, glasshouses and controlled climate chambers.

Physics

Use physics to explore central concepts such as energy, force, particles and waves to answer fundamental questions about nature.

1–1:50pm

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Psychology

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**2–2:20pm**

**College of Education Auditorium**

### Economics

Learn how to apply data, statistics and theory to make smarter economic decisions and positively impact society in a range of careers.

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### Biochemistry

Study life at the molecular level and contribute to finding innovative approaches to challenges in medicine, biotechnology and agriculture.

**10–10:20am**

**Castle 2 Lecture Theatre**

### Medical Laboratory Science

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**Burns 1 Lecture Theatre | Burns 2 Lecture Theatre**

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### Pathology

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### Anatomy

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**12–12:50pm**

**Anatomy Museum, second floor, Lindo Ferguson Building**

### Bioengineering

Explore the application of engineering principles to address challenges in biology and medicine. Available for postgraduate study only.

**1–1:20pm**

**Burns 2 Lecture Theatre**

### Microbiology and Immunology

Study the fundamental science of microorganisms, as well as biotechnological, industrial, medical, food and agricultural applications that enhance our understanding of life processes.

**1–1:20pm**

**Burns 1 Lecture Theatre**

### Pharmacy

Become a trusted member of the healthcare team – assess and treat health conditions, prescribe medication, and give life-saving vaccinations.

**1–1:20pm and 3–3:20pm**

**Castle 1 Lecture Theatre**

### Dental Surgery | Dental Technology | Oral Health

Dental Surgery, Oral Health and Dental Technology students train alongside one another, giving you experience of working in an integrated, professional dental team from the start. Our state-of-the-art facilities include a simulation clinic and a training clinic – run from the largest dental practice in Aotearoa.

**1–1:50pm**

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Physiotherapy

Assess, treat and prevent a wide range of physical limitations and dysfunction, and gain expertise in exercise therapies, and manual rehabilitation techniques.

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Burns 1 Lecture Theatre

2–2:30pm | Tour | School of Physiotherapy, 325 Great King Street

Meet in the ground floor foyer.

Pharmaceutical Science

Delve into the science behind the discovery, design, development, formulation and use of drugs.

1:30–1:50pm and 3:30–3:50pm

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Neuroscience

Study the brain and the neurons responsible for our thoughts, feelings and actions.

2–2:20pm

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Pharmacology and Toxicology

Study the effects of drugs on biological systems and their use in medicines to treat disease, and play a vital role in the development of new and safer drugs.

2–2:20pm

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Archway 1 Lecture Theatre

History

Explore fascinating accounts of human societies through the ages, encountering political upheaval, cultural transformation, revolution, war and decolonisation.

9:30–9:50am

Archway 2 Lecture Theatre

Theology

Learn how to understand life, meaning, beliefs and identity at a deep level.

9:30–9:50am

Mark Parker, University College

Bachelor of Performing Arts

A rare opportunity to explore more than one performing art form – music, theatre and dance – blended into a single degree.

10–10:40am

Allen Hall Theatre

Religious Studies

From a social science not theological perspective, you'll analyse religion as a product of the desires, questions and passions of our world's diverse cultures.

10–10:20am

Mark Parker, University College

Teaching and Education

Investigate how education changes lives, how learning happens, and how we identify and address patterns of success and failure in education. You can also study to become a qualified teacher through our initial teacher education (ITE) programmes – graduates can apply for registration and certification as New Zealand teachers in the early childhood, primary and secondary education sectors.

10–10:50am

College of Education Auditorium

Languages and Cultures

It's about more than speaking another language – it's understanding the depth and complexity of other cultures. Explore our offerings in Chinese, Japanese, French, Spanish, Global Studies, and Tourism.

10:30–10:50am

Quad 2 Lecture Theatre

Theatre Studies

Workshop/games to illustrate some key principles of Theatre, followed by a Q&A session.

10:45–11:30am

Allen Hall Theatre

Archaeology

What can you find out by digging up the past? Explore the development of human culture and how complex societies have emerged.

11–11:20am

Archway 2 Lecture Theatre

11am and 2pm | Tour | Ground floor, Richardson Building (by the lifts)

Join us for a 40-minute tour of the archaeology labs. Spaces are limited.

Media, Film and Communication

Increase your awareness of media's role in transforming social and cultural relations and delve into art forms that have the power to inform, shock and entertain.

11:30–11:50am

Archway 3 Lecture Theatre

Social Anthropology

What does it mean to be human in a diverse, complicated and changing world? Challenge your perceptions of humanity and explore our surprising differences.

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Dance

Presentation and student performances in popular culture and contemporary dance, followed by a Q&A session.

12–12:45pm

College of Education Gymnasium Dance Studio

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English and Linguistics

Explore language and communication – from the controversial classics and poetry to creative writing, crime fiction, or writing for games and interactive media.

1–1:20pm

Archway 1 Lecture Theatre

Sociology and Gender Studies

Explore how our everyday lives relate to the social structures that shape gender, identity, relationships and power.

1–1:20pm

Quad 2 Lecture Theatre

Music

Develop your skills as a performer, composer, songwriter or music producer. Plus join us for a studio tour at our Performing Arts Centre after the presentation.

1–1:50pm

Te Korokoro o te Tūī, main recording studio, 141 Union St East

Psychology

See Sciences for presentation details.

1–1:50pm

St David Lecture Theatre

Classics, Latin and Greek

Art and archaeology, murder and mythology, gods and gladiators – gain insight into the fascinating worlds of the Ancient Greeks and Romans.

1:30–1:50pm

Archway 1 Lecture Theatre

Politics

Explore people, power, conflict and co-operation.

1:30–1:50pm

Archway 4 Lecture Theatre

Philosophy

Develop your powers of argument, analysis, and critical reasoning. We focus less on what you believe, and more on the quality of your reasons for believing it.

2–2:20pm

Archway 4 Lecture Theatre

Social and Community Work

Engage with individuals, whānau and communities to promote human rights, help improve people's life outcomes and pursue social justice.

2–2:20pm

Archway 3 Lecture Theatre

SCIENCES

Geology

Gain an in-depth understanding of Earth's 4.5 billion years of history and prepare for the future by uncovering clues preserved in rocks, fossils and strata.

9–9:20am

Quad 2 Lecture Theatre

1pm | Tour | Benson Common Room, Geology Building

Join us for an intro to Geology at Otago, including a tour of our teaching labs and on-site museum.

9am–5pm | Geology Museum open | South end, Geology Building

Computer Science and Data Science

Delve into machine learning, computer animation, gaming, software design or robotics, and learn how to extract useful information from large-scale data sets.

9:30–9:50am

Terrace Lounge, Union Building

10am–12pm | Demonstration | Room G28, Owheo Building

Drop in: Step into the future of computing and get a sneak peek demo into what could, one day, be everyday applications of drones, robots, and virtual reality.

Physics

Use physics to explore central concepts such as energy, force, particles and waves to answer fundamental questions about nature.

9:30–9:50am

Quad 2 Lecture Theatre

2pm | Tour | South Lab, ground floor, Science 3 Building

Join us for a tour of our four research labs – each with its own theme and associated demos. Spaces are limited, sign up at our expo booth.

Energy Science and Technology

Gain the technical knowledge and problem-solving skills to reduce carbon emissions and guide critical decision-making in the energy sector.

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Mathematics | Computational Modelling (COMO)

Learn how to apply mathematical innovation to solve practical problems across a variety of fields, including AI, engineering, finance, cybersecurity and modern science. COMO will teach you how to design and apply computational models.

10:30–10:50am

Terrace Lounge, Union Building

Statistics

Gain the skills to help businesses, researchers and governments interpret data and solve real-world problems.

11–11:20am

Terrace Lounge, Union Building

Exercise and Sport Science | Sport Development and Management | Physical Education and Health

Learn how the body and mind responds and adapts to exercise, and gain the skills to help improve health, fitness, wellbeing and performance. Explore how sport intersects with – and impacts – education, culture, commerce, health and tourism. Or dive into the intricacies of human physiology, how it's enhanced by physical activity, and how our psychology can help and hinder participation.

11–11:50am

St David Lecture Theatre

12:15–1:30pm | Demonstrations | 55 Union St West

Visit the School of Physical Education, Sport and Exercise Sciences for a rolling display of interactive lab activities typical to the study of human movement in sport and exercise, plus demonstrations for Physical Activity and Health.

Surveying | Measurement | Land Planning and Development

Surveyors and spatial scientists measure, analyse and model the world, working in a range of land, property and construction-related areas. Explore how land decisions have cultural, social, legal, economic and ecosystem implications.

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Archway 4 Lecture Theatre | Castle 1 Lecture Theatre

Chemistry

Whether it's developing new drugs or harnessing new sources of energy, you'll gain the knowledge and practical skills to spark change – in medicine, technology, and the environment.

12–12:20pm

St David Lecture Theatre

Ecology

Explore how living things interact with their environment and gain the knowledge and skills to tackle important issues relating to climate change, biodiversity and conservation.

12–12:20pm

Terrace Lounge, Union Building

Geography and Environmental Management

See Humanities for presentation details.

12–12:50pm

College of Education Auditorium



Food Science | Agricultural Innovation

With a focus on science and technology, learn how to make food systems more profitable and efficient, while reducing environmental impacts.

12:30–12:50pm

Terrace Lounge, Union Building

Marine Science

With this hands-on degree, gain the knowledge and skills to be part of a community dedicated to safeguarding the future of our oceans and marine life.

12:30–12:50pm

St David Lecture Theatre

Botany

Delve into the diversity, evolution and function of plants.

1–1:20pm

Terrace Lounge, Union Building

1:30–2:15pm | Tour | Department of Botany, 464 Great King Street North  
Follow up the presentation with a tour of our department’s facilities, including research labs, herbarium, glasshouses and controlled climate chambers.

Psychology

Study the science of behaviour, brain and cognition, and explore the complex way humans and other animals interact with the world and each other. If you can’t find us, look out for the giant brain!

1–1:50pm

St David Lecture Theatre

10am–1pm | Psychology Student Hub, 93 Union Street  
We’ll have a separate **low-sensory expo stand** for those who feel more comfortable in a quieter and less overwhelming space.

Zoology

Explore how animals behave, their physiology and evolution, and their interactions with each other and the environment.

1:30–1:50pm

Terrace Lounge, Union Building

10am, 10:30am, 11am, 11:30am | Tour | Marples Building, 340 Great King Street  
Meet at the front steps for a tour of the Department of Zoology and check out some specimens in our teaching lab.

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2–2:30pm

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Human Nutrition | Sport and Exercise Nutrition

What we eat affects the health, wellbeing and performance of individuals, communities and populations. Come and find out why what we eat is so important.

2:30–2:50pm

St David Lecture Theatre

STUDENT SUPPORT

Find us in The Link and Main Common Room (Union Building) during the expo.

Sunday: 10am–2pm | Monday 9am–3pm

Admissions and Entrance Scholarships

Find out more about applying to study at Otago and our undergraduate scholarships.  
Presentation: Sunday, 2–2:50pm | St David Lecture Theatre  
Presentation: Monday, 10–10:50am and 1:30–2:20pm | University College dining room

Career Development Centre

Our career advisers offer a range of support to students – 1:1 advice, interactive workshops and fairs, as well as employment skills and opportunities.  
Presentation: Future of work: A look at trends in careers and graduate employment | Monday, 11:30am–12:20pm | Mark Parker, University College

Campus tours

Tours depart near the Union Lawn statue – find the magnifying glass on the map.  
Sunday and Monday: Leaving every hour between 10am–2pm

Collegiate life at Otago – Residential colleges

Presentation: Sunday, 3–3:50pm | St David Lecture Theatre  
Presentation: Monday, 12–12:50pm | University College dining room  
College tours: Sunday and Monday, 9am–3pm, bus departing approximately every 20 minutes | Outside Visitor’s Centre, St David Complex

Disability, Information and Support

Drop in: Monday, 8:30am–4:30pm | Information Services Building, 65 Albany Street

International students

Find out more about international student scholarships, visas, support services and cultural clubs.  
Presentation: Monday, 10:30–11:20am | Mark Parker University College  
Campus tour: 11:30am–12:15pm | Leave from University College

Libraries

Drop in to one of our six on-campus libraries. Visit [otago.ac.nz/library/hours](https://otago.ac.nz/library/hours) and filter by each library for location/daily opening hours.

Locals

A college-like experience for first-year students choosing to flat, board or live at home.  
Presentation: Sunday, 10–10:20am | Archway 3 Lecture Theatre  
Presentation: Monday, 1–1:20pm | Mark Parker, University College  
Drop in: Monday, 9am–5pm | Locals HQ, top floor of the Union Building

Otago Global Student Exchange

Discover your options for a semester (or two) studying abroad at one of our 100+ partner universities across the globe.  
Presentation: Monday, 1:30–1:50pm | Mark Parker, University College

Otago University Students’ Association (OUSA)

Hear more about our huge range of events, clubs, societies, support services, and more.

Pacific Islands Centre

Drop in: Sunday and Monday, 8:30am–5pm | 520 Castle Street North

Pathway | Te Huarahi

Academic programmes to prepare students who have just missed achieving University Entrance for successful undergraduate study the following year.  
Presentation: Monday, 2–2:20pm | Mark Parker, University College

Raukaha Health Workforce Development

Tailored programmes to support Māori tauira and all students from low decile schools studying Health Sciences. Find us at the HSFY stand.

Schools’ Liaison – Navigation 101

Support and guidance for the transition from secondary school to University.  
Presentations:  
Sunday, 9:30–9:50am, 1–1:20pm, 3:30–3:50pm | Archway 4 Lecture Theatre  
Sunday, 10–10:20am | St David Lecture Theatre  
Monday: 9–9:30am and 10–10:20am | Archway 2 Lecture Theatre

Student Learning Development

Hear about our academic support programmes – we offer workshops, interactive study groups, peer support for assignments, digital resources, and more.

Student Services

Find us at the expo to learn more about some of our support and safety services – Campus Chaplains, Student Health, Campus Watch, and Te Whare Tāwharau.

StudyLink

Learn more about student loans and allowances for tertiary study.

Te Huka Mātauraka | The Māori Centre

Drop in: Monday, 8:30am–5pm | 515/519 and 523 Castle Street North

Unipol Recreation Services

Prospective students and their families can visit Unipol and use all facilities free of charge over Tertiary Open Days weekend.  
Games: 11am–2pm | Union Lawn  
Drop in: Saturday, 8am–9pm | Sunday, 9am–10pm | Monday, 6am–10pm | Unipol Recreation Centre, 130 Anzac Avenue

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