

Curriculum Goals:

The Adventure Tourism Leadership Level 2 programme provides students with a broad base of technical and practical outdoor skills. Each block of the programme will focus on a different outdoor discipline. Students will have the opportunity to experience the following activities: sea kayaking, rock-climbing, caving and tramping & bush skills. The specific activities will be advised prior to each session.

The content of the programme represents the basis for an engaging, experiential, practical and varied learning experience. The programme is designed to appeal to students who respond well to learning in a practical environment. Underpinning the curriculum is the development of crucial personal and social development skills, transferable to any vocational pathway.

Programme Delivery:

This course is delivered by Whenua Iti Outdoors in a residential block format. There are three blocks in total.

Block 1: 4 days / 3 nights (Tramping and Bush Skills)

Block 2: 4 days / 3 nights (Sea Kayaking)

Block 3: 5 days / 4 nights (Rock Climbing and Caving)

(Note: The specific activities offered and locations may change subject to weather and other contingencies.)

Students will stay at different locations for each block, including local campgrounds, off site wilderness locations and on site at Whenua Iti Outdoors. Each block will focus on one of the curriculum areas (tramping & bush skills, sea kayaking and rock climbing & caving). Students can pathway from this programme onto the Whenua Iti Outdoors *Adventure Tourism Leadership Level 3* programme.

Personal and Social Development Objectives:

- Increasing willingness to learn
- Understanding and assuming personal responsibility
- Developing belief in self and increasing confidence
- Developing a positive attitude
- Recognising and developing potential
- Developing resilience skills (coping with challenge and change)
- Developing positive communication skills

Further information on Whenua Iti Outdoors courses can be found here: www.whenuaiti.org.nz

Learning Objectives:

Tramping, Bush and Survival Skills

- Complete and overnight tramp.
- Demonstrate personal and group gear preparation for an overnight tramp.
- Apply personal and group safe practices.
- Demonstrate knowledge of preparation and location for an outdoor activity

Rock Climbing

- Demonstrate novice rock climbing and belaying skills on Ewbank Grade 12 and above.
- Demonstrate basic knowledge of safe abseil techniques.
- Demonstrate safe practices for participation in high ropes course activities.

Sea Kayaking

- Demonstrate individual preparedness and paddling skills on moving water.
- Demonstrate basic safety skills and rescues for paddling on moving water.
- Communicate in a team or group which has an objective

Caving

- Demonstrate basic caving skills in a caving environment.
- Demonstrate individual preparedness and contribute to group preparedness

Adventure Tourism Leadership (Level 2) 2027 Course Outline



Assessments *

Tramping and Bush Skills				
Unit No	Title	Level	Credits	Version
26249	Demonstrate skills for an overnight tramp	2	2	2
32840	Demonstrate knowledge of preparation for an outdoor activity	2	3	1

Sea Kayaking Skills				
Unit No	Title	Level	Credits	Version
32848	Demonstrate paddling skills on moving water	2	2	1
9677	Communicate in a team or group which has an objective	2	3	11

Rock Climbing and Caving Skills				
Unit No	Title	Level	Credits	Version
20133	Demonstrate basic caving skills	2	2	2
20157	Demonstrate novice rock climbing and belaying skills on Ewbank Grade 12 and above	2	2	3
20152	Demonstrate basic knowledge of safe abseil techniques	2	1	3
473	Demonstrate safe practices for participation in high ropes course activities	2	1	7

Students will be able to complete **16 NCEA Level 2 credits** as a part of this programme.

**Please note, from time to time, some assessments may change. Students will be advised of any changes prior to the course start date.*

Methods of Assessment	Requirement for Successful Completion
Assessment will include:	To successfully complete the course, the student must:
• Practical demonstrations and activities • Written assessments • Oral presentations	• Successfully complete a minimum of 16 credits • Attend a minimum of three blocks.