

New Zealand Trade & Enterprise Capability Development Vouchers for Farming Businesses

Within each Region of New Zealand - The Regional Business Partner network is supported by NZTE and Callaghan Innovation, the Crown entity charged with accelerating commercialisation of innovation by all businesses in New Zealand. The network is made up of 14 Regional Business Partners around New Zealand.

The Regional Business Partners have specialist business advisors who are available to meet with businesses and work with business owners and/or key managers to identify needs and opportunities to grow the business.

NZTE Capability Development Vouchers Support for Farmers

If you have aspirations to grow your farm business in the area of Health & Safety you might also be eligible for an NZTE Capability Development Voucher, which is offered through the Regional Business Partners network.

OnFarmSafety New Zealand is registered with NZTE to provide advice, information, and coaching to eligible growth focused farming businesses seeking support for Health & Safety development in their agribusiness. If you are a rural business seeking health & safety advice and support, get in touch with your local Regional Business Partner or OnFarmSafety New Zealand and have a conversation about where to next.

NZTE Capability Development Vouchers are available to businesses to use as partial payment towards the cost of capability development and training in these areas: Business Planning, Business Systems, Business Sustainability, Capital Raising, Export, Finance, Governance, Lean Manufacturing/ Business Operations, Managing Resources, and Marketing.

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NZTE Capability Development Voucher Eligibility

Is my Agribusiness eligible to access a Capability Development Voucher?

To be eligible for a voucher an Agribusiness must be:

- Operating with 50 or less Full Time Equivalent Staff
- Be GST registered in New Zealand
- Operating in a commercial environment - i.e. is currently trading
- Be privately owned or a Maori Trust or Incorporation under the Te Ture Whenua Maori Act 1993 or similar organisation managing Maori assets under multiple ownership
- Have undergone assessment by a Regional Business Partner.

Each Agribusiness should also..

- Be growth orientated.
- Demonstrate commitment to improving management capability. Indicators of commitment include the fact they have sought advice, have worked through the assessment process and a willing to co-fund capability building activities and make the required time commitment.
- Have an identified gap in its agribusiness capability that can be addressed through management capability building and training.

To receive a Capability Development Voucher

Businesses must be registered on the Accelerate Success website

www.acceleratesuccess.co.nz

This website has been especially developed for the programme.

We suggest you talk to your local Regional Business Partner or the staff at OnFarmSafety New Zealand.

Cost..

Capability Development Vouchers can be used to co-fund training and capability development up to a maximum of \$5000 per year for eligible businesses.