

## Education & Employment Transition

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### About the programme:

1. Connects young people launching their careers with employers
2. Assisting 200 (16-19 year olds) since April 2008
3. Deliver Induction Course on work readiness
4. Arrange Work Experience and Employment Opportunities
5. Provide 12 months post employment mentoring support

**Name of Programme:** First Foundation 4-year Tertiary Scholarship  
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### About the programme:

First Foundation is an organisation driving the transformation of NZ's poorest neighbourhoods.

A unique partnership between a Scholar, their Scholarship Partner, Mentor and School, and First Foundation itself.

The partnership begins at secondary school, with the scholarships awarded taking effect in Year 13 (seventh form). For the next four years, our Scholarship Partners provide paid, part-time work experience for their scholars and each year contribute a monetary amount to help meet the student's tertiary fees and to fund First Foundation's support and development programmes. Students are supported by mentors, and their progress is monitored by First Foundation.

Founded in 1998, 189 students have participated in the programme.

Earlier this year, First Foundation was presented with the award for New Zealand Trust of the Year 2008 by the New Zealand Trustees Association.

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**Name of Programme:** **MATES Junior (Mentoring and Tutoring Education Scheme)**  
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## About the programme:

1. Focus: assisting in the 'troubled transition' to secondary school. Yr 8/9
2. First pilot year 2008/9: Greenmeadows Intermediate to James Cook High and Alfriston College
3. Second pilot year 2009/10: Manurewa Intermediate to James Cook High and Manurewa High
4. Mentoring provides a warm and constructive relationship within which to address attitudinal, behavioural and academic skills/attributes needed in secondary school.
5. Project leader: Ann Dunphy. Mentors studying for B.Ed or B.A/B.Sc

**Name of Programme:** **MATES (Mentoring and Tutoring Education Scheme)**  
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## About the programme:

1. MATES has been operating since 2002 and is now operating in 10 secondary schools around Auckland.
2. MATES works with Year 12-13 students identified by their schools as 'having the potential to succeed in tertiary education'.
3. Through a combination of mentoring and tutoring, MATES aims to encourage academic achievement, raise aspirations and enhance self-confidence.
4. MATES links up successful University students with matched secondary school students in a programme that includes an individual mentoring relationship, small group tutoring, and group workshops that focus on skills such as leadership and self management.
5. In 2010, MATES will be expanding from 120 mentors to 180 mentors