



# NEW ZEALAND FREE TO FLOURISH IMMERSION

20 - 25 September 2026

SUN  
20 SEP

## Arrival and Exploration

Arrive in Wellington in time to settle into Wellington. Spend the evening getting to know your Immersion leaders and group at a casual dinner.

MON  
21 SEP

We begin the week with Future Makers workshop hosted by Derek Wenmoth and Maurie Abraham, two of New Zealand's foremost education leadership consultants who will lead us to explore our personal leadership identity and how that informs our personal and collective why.

TUE  
22 SEP

## Amesbury School

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WED  
23 SEP

## Otaki College

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THU  
24 SEP

## Wainuiomata High School

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FRI  
25 SEP

## Reflection and Planning

We close out the Immersion with an inquiry along the Wellington waterfront, and a closing workshop hosted again by Future Makers who will challenge us to reflect, process and plan for action back in our own communities

This Immersion promises to be an incredible mix of learning, inspiration, and connection – we can't wait to share it with you!

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## Cost and Logistics

The cost of the Immersion is approx \$3,300 AUD per person. This includes all accommodation, daytime meals, local transport, school visits, and workshop facilitation. Flights to and from Wellington and dinners are not included.

