

Pacific peoples in Auckland

What the numbers tell us



Languages spoken

All ethnicities and ages

Language		NZ	Auckland
Samoaan	Gagana Samoa	110,541	75,066
Tongan	Lea Faka-Tonga	37,752	29,460
Fijian	Vosa VakaViti	8,439	4,110
Cook Islands Māori	Te Reo Māori Kūki 'Airani	7,854	5,277
Niuean	Vagahau Niue	4,035	3,435
Tuvaluan	Te Gana Tuvalu	3,396	2,208
Kiribati	Te Taetae ni Kiribati	2,862	1,212
Tokelauan	Te Gagana Tokelau	2,406	528
Rotuman	Fäeag Rotuqam Ta	369	234
Tok Pisin (Papua New Guinea)	Papua Niugini Tok Pisin	354	93
Solomon Islands Pidgin	Solomon Aelan Pijin	330	102



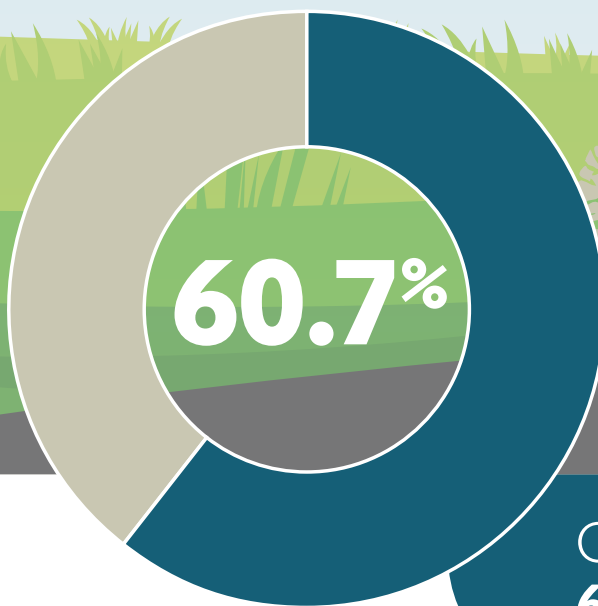
85.1% of Niuean speakers and 78.0% of Tongan speakers in New Zealand live in the Auckland region.

Our population

134,754

people in the Auckland region identify as a Pacific ethnicity and are under the age of 25.

And, 221,907 people in New Zealand identify as a Pacific ethnicity and are under the age of 25.



Of all the Pacific peoples under 25 in New Zealand, 60.7% live in the Auckland region.

People of another gender

414

people of another gender in the Auckland region under 25, identify as a Pacific ethnicity.



Of all Pacific peoples of another gender under 25, 51.9% live in the Auckland region.

798

people of another gender in New Zealand under 25 identify as a Pacific ethnicity.

LGBTIQ+ people

5,625

Pacific peoples aged 15 years and over in Auckland region identified as LGBTIQ+ and 10,116 in New Zealand. These may include people that identify as *MVPFAFF+.

Our education

The number of Pacific peoples aged 15 years and over, by the highest qualification they hold. People with no qualification are not shown.

Bachelor degree and Level 7 qualification or higher

New Zealand

Male	Female	Another gender	Total
11,244	20,925	174	32,343

Auckland region

Male	Female	Another gender	Total
6,684	12,816	96	19,593

Levels 1-6 and overseas secondary

New Zealand

Male	Female	Another gender	Total
91,662	93,882	708	186,249

Auckland region

Male	Female	Another gender	Total
55,254	60,450	390	116,097

In the Auckland region 19,593 Pacific peoples hold a qualification that is Level 7 or higher. Of these, 65.4% are female and 34.1% are male. Nationally, of Pacific peoples that hold a qualification that is Level 7 or higher, 64.7% are female and 34.8% are male.

