

SHORT COURSES

# Barista Essential with NZQA credit

2 WEEK COURSE

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A quality barista is the key ingredient to a successful café or restaurant. The hospitality industry is one of the fastest growing areas in the New Zealand economy. Barista skill is one of key elements to be employable that is necessary even in hotels, bars and restaurants in New Zealand, not only cafés. This 2-weeks Barista Essential with NZQA credit course gives candidates a comprehensive knowledge and a hands-on experience as a barista.

The course covers the history of coffee, general knowledge of coffee growing and production which are essential to enter the professional coffee industry.

Students also gain practical experience using a commercial espresso machine to be able to handle multiple coffee orders.

Our tutors are experienced barista professionals who have worked in the industry, gaining tips and tricks to help you make excellent coffee.

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## Duration:

2 weeks (24 hours)  
Monday - Thursday, 5.00pm - 8.00pm

## Course Content:

The barista course prepares students to work as barista in cafés and restaurants. Students will be able to:

- Understand NZ coffee industry and current trends
- Essential knowledge of coffee origin and production
- Understand the critical elements of storing to maintain high quality coffee
- Learn about decaffeination and roasting
- Familiar with commercial espresso machine
- Understand proper grinding, dosing, distribution, tamping and espresso shot timing
- Prepare a consistently excellent espresso and perfectly textured milk
- Understand how to make good coffee minimum 3 black coffees and 4 white coffees
- Practices with techniques to make multiple coffees as a barista
- Maintain and clean necessary equipment
- Basic latte art

### Students complete 1 NZQA unit standard:

- 17288 – Espresso Beverages for Services (5 credits)

## Entry Requirement:

- Aged 16 years and over
- English at intermediate level or higher

### Certification:

- Service IQ Certificate of Achievement (unit standard)
- A2I Certificate of Attendance – Barista Essentials

Fee: \$495



## 2018 Auckland Course Dates:

Start Date	-	End Date
29 January	-	9 February*
12 February	-	22 February
26 February	-	8 March
12 March	-	22 March
26 March	-	6 April*
9 April	-	19 April
23 April	-	3 May
7 May	-	17 May
21 May	-	31 May
5 June*	-	14 June
18 June	-	28 June
2 July	-	12 July
16 July	-	26 July
30 July	-	9 August
13 August	-	23 August
27 August	-	6 September
10 September	-	20 September
24 September	-	4 October
8 October	-	18 October
23 October*	-	1 November
5 November	-	15 November
19 November	-	29 November
3 December	-	13 December

\*The course will take an extra day on Friday due to the public holiday on Monday that week.

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