

# Save our Polytechs! Sign our Petition



Communities across Aotearoa deserve thriving, regional polytechnics that can help meet the needs of learners and the wider community.

Our polytechs provide people with opportunities to upskill, retrain and meaningfully contribute to communities - but **our polytechs are in crisis**.

The Government's cuts to vocational education and training have resulted in a reduction of classes, teachers, and support for people trying to build their skills. This means less opportunities for people out there and even less hope for those struggling under the cost-of-living crisis.

The Green Party is calling on the Government to **properly fund our polytechs, end the cuts, and work with communities to create a real plan to establish thriving polytechs across Aotearoa New Zealand**.

**Sign our petition today** and join us in calling on the Minister for Vocational Education and Training, Hon Penny Simmonds, to do just that

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