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NZLC WELLINGTON STUDENT ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS 2020



NZLC Wellington is located in the heart of the city, with easy access to public transport. There are a variety of accommodation options to choose from, including:

- ✓ Homestay
- ✓ City Accommodation
- ✓ Flatting

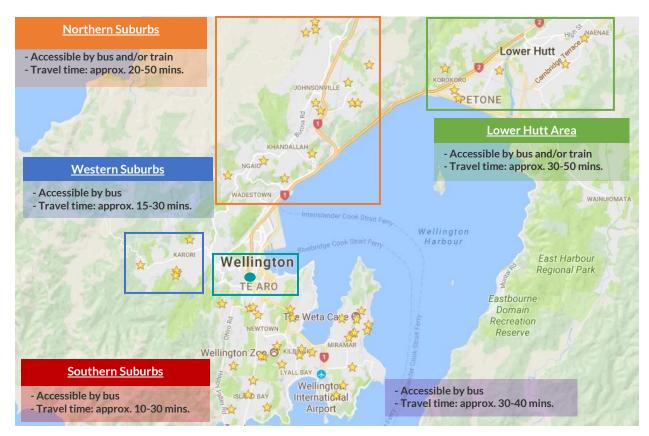
| | Homestay | City Accommodation | Flatting |
|-----------------------------|--|--|--|
| Cost per week | Half Board: \$290 (18 years +) | From \$355/w | \$160 - \$350/w |
| Minimum stay | 1 week | 2 weeks | Depends on flat (usually 3 -6 months) |
| Located in the city centre? | No | Yes | Depends on flat |
| Power included? | Yes | Yes | No (normally additional shared cost) |
| Internet included? | Yes | Yes (fees apply for additional data) | No (normally additional shared cost) |
| Food included? | Half Board: Breakfast and dinner every day + lunch on weekends | No | No |
| Furnished? | Yes | Yes | Depends on flat |



HOMESTAY

Staying with a friendly and caring homestay family is one of the best ways to experience the Kiwi culture, and at the same time practise English outside the classroom. Our homestay families are very carefully selected and regularly inspected by our NZLC Accommodation Department.

Homestays are generally located 30 - 50 minutes travel distance by public transport. The map below shows the distribution of our homestays (marked by yellow stars) in the Wellington city region, and the estimated travel time between each zone and NZLC Wellington:



It is very important for us and the homestay family to know if you have any special requests or needs, so we can make your stay as comfortable as possible. **Please specify your requests on the NZLC Enrolment Form.**



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CITY ACCOMMODATION

In addition to NZLC's homestay option, NZLC Wellington offers an accommodation arrangement service (\$250) where students who are 18 years or older can choose to be placed in one of our City Accommodation options below. This option is ideal for students who want to live independently and in a convenient downtown location.

Budget Option - Laneway Backpackers

Laneway Backpackers offers a central city location at a budget-friendly price, and just a 5-7 minute walk from NZLC. All rooms are located near the shared bathroom facilities, communal kitchen and dining/lounge area. This accommodation is ideal for couples or solo travellers on a budget and long term stay.

Room Rates: (Minimum Stay = 2 weeks (14 nights))

| Room Type | Capacity | 2020 | 2021 |
|--------------|----------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Double | 1-2 | \$355/week | \$395/week |
| Room | | (additional night is \$51) | (additional night is \$57) |

Accommodation Facilities:

- Shared bathroom with toilet, shower and vanity unit.
- Shared kitchen with microwave, kettle, toaster, fridge and oven.
- Dishware, cutlery, cookware and cooking utensils available for shared use.
- Shared laundry with ironing facilities, coin-operated washing machines and dryers.
- Shared lounge with dining table and chairs, sofas and Freeview TV.

Room Facilities:

- 1 x Queen bed, desk, chair and clothes rack
- Bed linen and towels

Other Information:

| Bond | \$200 refundable cash bond required at check-in and payable to the property directly | |
|-----------------|--|--|
| Cancellation | 7 days' notice required. More than 7 days' notice: no penalty. Less than 7 days: 50% of one weeks' rent payable. All cancellations must be made in writing. | |
| Damage | Any damage caused by guests will be charged at the time of check-out Lost key charge: \$63.25 | |
| Cleaning | Weekly service, including linen and towel change / Shared areas cleaned daily | |
| Reception Hours | Monday – Saturday: 8.00am – 12.00am and Sunday: 10.00am – 6.00pm Check-in from 2.00pm and check-out by 10.00am | |
| Wi-Fi Internet | Free Wi-Fi is limited to 1GB per room per day. Additional data at \$5 for 500MB, \$8 for 1GB, \$15 for 2GB, \$20 for 5GB | |

- All information is valid from 1 January 2020 31 December 2021
- Please note that, as this information concerns external parties to NZLC Wellington, prices and conditions may change without notice
- The photos above for the city accommodation options are for demonstration purposes only and some of the rooms may not have windows. The
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Budget Option – Setup on Dixon

The Setup on Dixon is located in central Wellington CBD and offers an urban stay experience at a budget-friendly price. It is just a 5-7 minute walk from NZLC. All rooms include comfortable linen and are located near the shared bathroom facilities, communal kitchen and dining/lounge area. This accommodation is ideal for couples or solo travellers.

Room Rates: (Minimum Stay = 2 weeks (14 nights))

| Room Type | Capacity | 2020 | 2021 |
|--------------|----------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Double | 1-2 | \$435/week | \$475/week |
| Room | | (additional night is \$63) | (additional night is \$68) |

Accommodation Facilities:

- Shared bathroom with toilet, shower and vanity unit.
- Shared kitchen has cooking facilities such as stoves, ovens, microwaves, Fridge and freezers. Please enquire at reception should you require cooking utensils.
- Shared laundry with ironing facilities and coin-operated washing machines and dryers.
- Shared lounge with dining table and chairs, sofas and Freeview TV.

Room Facilities:

- 1x Queen bed, desk, chair, clothes rack, LCD TV, Bar fridge and Tea/Coffee maker
- Bed linen and towels

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Standard Option - The Setup on Manners

The Setup on Manners offers comfortable and affordable short-term and long-term accommodation in the centre of Wellington city, just a 5-minute walk from NZLC. Each apartment has its own kitchenette and ensuite bathroom. This accommodation is ideal for couples or solo travellers looking for a fully furnished studio in a great location.

Room Rates: (Minimum Stay = 2 weeks (14 nights))

| Room Type | Capacity | 2020 | 2021 |
|--------------|----------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Queen | 1-2 | \$600/week | \$650/week |
| Studio | | (additional night is \$86) | (additional night is \$93) |

Accommodation Facilities:

- Shared laundry with ironing facilities and coin-operated washing machines and dryers.
- Shared balcony.
- On-site undercover car parking available at \$15 per night.

Room Facilities:

- Queen bed, desk, chair, wardrobe and SKY TV
- Bathroom with toilet, shower, vanity unit and hair dryer
- Kitchenette with microwave, kettle, toaster, fridge and cooktop
- Dishware, cutlery, cookware and cooking utensils
- Bed linen and towels
- Heater

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FLATTING

You can rent a room in a house called a 'flat' that you share with other people. This is called 'flatting', and it is very common in New Zealand. This is a good option if you want to have freedom, yet live with a group of people. Living with people from other countries is a good way to practise your English and make new friends.

The cost of flatting will vary depending on the distance from the city centre, the number of people sharing, and the size and quality of the rooms. We advise students to organise a flat viewing to check the flat conditions. You can expect to pay anywhere between \$160 and \$350 per week for your room in the flat plus moving in costs, such as a bond and letting fee. You will also need to pay for expenses such as power, heating, internet and cleaning supplies.

This option is suitable for students who are planning to stay in the flat for a longer period (6 months or more). If you decide to go flatting, you can find a group of people you would like to live with and then go looking for a flat that will suit your group, or you can look for an existing flat that has a room available.

The table below is a sample budget based on an individual sharing with two other flatmates in a 3-bedroom flat:

| Expenses | Cost per person per week |
|---|--------------------------|
| Rent | \$235 |
| Power | \$15 |
| Internet | \$10 |
| Food | \$80 |
| Shared household products (cleaning supplies, etc.) | \$5 |
| Total | \$345 |

If you decide that flatting is the best option for you, it is a good idea to book either homestay accommodation or city accommodation for the first 2 - 4 weeks of your stay in New Zealand. This will allow you time to search and secure a suitable place.

Popular websites or Facebook groups to search for flats include:

- Flatmates wanted in Wellington (Facebook)
- Flats and rooms to rent in Wellington (Facebook)
- www.trademe.co.nz/flatmates-wanted
- https://www.nzflatmates.co.nz/
- https://www.easyroommate.co.nz/

