



Up Your Game.

PLAY HIGH SCHOOL RUGBY IN NEW ZEALAND

For those who want to 'live and breathe' rugby there is no better place to be than New Zealand. Now there is a new program for US High School rugby players who want to 'Up Their Game'.

The program is part of a well established international study option.

- Open to boys and girls aged 15 – 19
- Offers programs May through September
- Has superior academic standards
- Allows students to attend regular classes and live with a local family
- Students play rugby on a school team at an appropriate level
- Has a simple application process.
- Offers 2 study and play options, and one short training option



High School Rugby Semester in New Zealand.

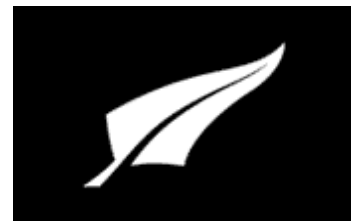
This unique program for current high school students combines superior academic programs, choice of schools, home-stay accommodation with local families, and the opportunity to join a New Zealand high school rugby team at an appropriate level. Players will benefit from top-notch coaches, highly skilled peers and immersion in New Zealand's rugby culture, including the opportunity to see some of the world's greatest players in action. This program is open to boys and girls of all skill levels. *Three or 6*



Gap Program

For students who have recently graduated from high school who want to improve their rugby skills prior to attending college. Gap students join local high school students in their final year of high school and have the opportunity to join a local team at the appropriate level. There are no compulsory study subjects so students can follow their passions, reinforce academic foundations, or experiment with a range of non-traditional subjects.

This is an ideal way to play as much rugby as possible while at the same time allowing students to broaden their horizons and enrich their knowledge in an unparalleled international learning environment. *Three or 6 month program, May – October.*



10 -14 Day Training Programs

Designed for groups of 10 or more players + coach/chaperone. These programs, offered by one of New Zealand's top rugby high schools, enable US players to get intensive training and playing opportunities during May and August. The program includes daily training, 3 games with other school teams, expert coaching, sightseeing and home-stay accommodation with a typical "kiwi" family. *May – September*

Application Process

The New Zealand schools offering this 'Up Your Game' rugby option have well established international programs managed by specialist staff. Visiting students are well cared for at school and live with local families that are vetted and monitored by the school's home-stay coordinator. Visiting students are usually placed with a 'Rugby' family which ensures total immersion in New Zealand's rugby culture.

The application process is simple and fast. The program is open to mature students with above average grades and a burning desire to play rugby alongside future great players. Nigel Morris from NZStudy.net is the US coordinator of the program and is available to assist with all aspects of the program.

Costs start from approximately USD\$1900 + airfare. Includes full home-stay accommodation, food, airport pickup, training and game costs.

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