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A quick guide to
the Bay of Plenty region



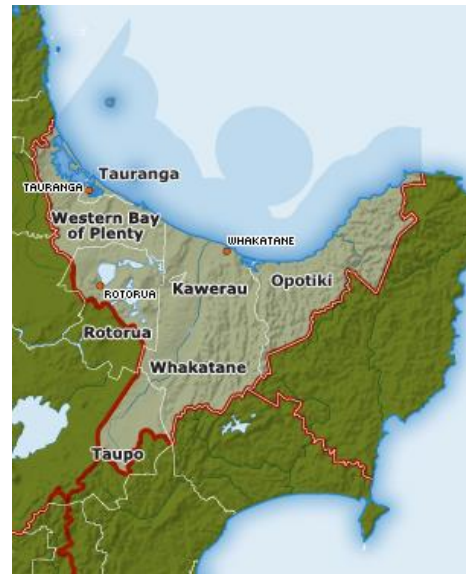
Bay of Plenty

The Bay of Plenty is a beautiful and warm coastal region stretching 260km from the Coromandel Peninsula in the west to Cape Runaway in the East. The Bay of Plenty is known as an outstanding living and holiday location. The area is steeped in culture and history and is renowned for its surf beaches, sunshine, fertile land and friendly people.

Whether you choose to reside in the coast of Tauranga or further inland like Whakatane or Rotorua you are guaranteed a relaxing lifestyle that's full of opportunities, we place roughly 10% of our candidates here.

Climate

The Bay of Plenty is known for its maritime climate, with humid summers and mild winters. It is one of the warmest regions in New Zealand, particularly along the coastline. Average daily maximum temperatures range from 9–16 °C in winter to 22–26 °C in summer. It also has one of New Zealand's highest number of sunshine hours per year.



Bay of Plenty Locations



Tauranga

Tauranga is the most populated city in the Bay of Plenty with 140,000 residents. It has harbourside features coupled with historic buildings. A bridge over the harbour connects it to the highly visited Mount Maunganui. Tauranga is described as a cosmopolitan city combined with a laid-back atmosphere.

<https://www.bayofplentynz.com/discover/tauranga>

Rotorua

Situated north of Taupo, Rotorua is known for its geothermal activity, mud pools and breathtaking geysers. Huka falls is also a must see.

<https://www.rotoruanz.com/visit/home.aspx>

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Things to do and see

Due to the Bay of Plenty's sunshine outdoor activities are enjoyed all year round. At the heart of the Bays beachy seaside is the town of Mount Manganui, it sits between a natural deep water harbour and the Pacific Ocean. Climb to the top for incredible views of the land. Home to stunning white beaches Tauranga is the perfect place to relax in the sun. Take your activities to the water for some fishing, diving, boating, swimming, and surfing. Tauranga and Rotorua are also well known for events highlighting food and wine, music such as the annual jazz festival, arts and culture, and sporting events. Both also contain thriving restaurants and cafes and a diverse nightlife.

More activities and things to experience can be found [here](#).

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Education (Primary & Secondary)

Education options in the Waikato region are plentiful. Depending on what location you decide to reside in you can search what schools are in the area, with this easy to use [Find A School website](#). In New Zealand, primary education starts at year 1 and goes to year 8 (around 5-12 years). Secondary education goes from year 9 and finishes at year 13 (around 13-17 years).

Healthcare

In regard to healthcare in New Zealand you will need to enrol with a primary health care provider. You will be able to find a general practitioner through the [Bay of Plenty District Health Board](#). For more serious situations the emergency department will be the best place to go. You can also find where to go on the District Health Board website. Health care in New Zealand is very accessible, and GP visits for children under 13 are generally free.



Banks

Here is a list of New Zealand's main banks that will protect and support your financial needs. They will help set up your new life in New Zealand. Branches are scattered throughout the Bay of Plenty region, click on the logos to view their easy to navigate websites.



Education (Tertiary)

If you are planning to commence or continue study after your move the Waikato, here is a list of well-regarded tertiary providers.

[University of Waikato at Tauranga](#)

[Bay of Plenty Polytechnic in Tauranga](#)

[Toi-Ohomai Institute of Technology](#)

[Te Wananga o Aotearoa](#)

Sport

If you play sport and want to continue your lifestyle while living in the Waikato here is a list of various [clubs available](#).

This webpage is good for [general sport news and events for all ages](#).

To learn more about the Bay of Plenty region, try these pages:

<https://www.boprc.govt.nz/>

<https://www.workhere.co.nz/region/bay-of-plenty/live-here>

<https://www.bayofplentynz.com/discover>

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