# **Basics of Investing**

## Approx. 6 hours

The aim of this online course is to enable learners to develop an understanding of financial markets and how the stock market operates. Learners will explore a range of financial instruments and gain skills to make their own investment decisions and build efficient portfolios.

## What you will learn

By the end of this course, ākonga will be able to:

- Describe major financial markets and financial instruments across the globe and in New Zealand
- Create an investment plan based on the risk profile of an investor

## More detail about this course

This course is tailored for those eager to delve into financial markets, instruments, and savvy decisionmaking. It is especially suited for individuals keen on managing their investments and constructing effective portfolios.

The course explores:

- Financial markets, stock markets, regulatory bodies and market participants
- Financial instruments stocks, mutual funds, exchange traded funds, bonds, KiwiSaver
- Creating an investment plan using concepts of risk and return

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## **Entry requirements**

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