

Surface Mining & Quarrying programme  
for secondary school students

rockup<sup>®</sup>  
Surface Mining & Quarrying Career

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Gain a micro-credential approved by NZQA  
with eLearning and practical learning in the  
surface mining and quarrying industry.

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# A GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR YEAR 11 TO 13 STUDENTS

RockUp® offers secondary school students the chance to earn a micro-credential approved by NZQA, credits towards NCEA, and a great introduction to the surface mining and quarrying industry. Supported by MITO, in partnership with secondary schools and local businesses, RockUp® has both eLearning and practical workplace learning. Completed unit standards can be used towards the next step in the MITO traineeship in the surface mining and quarrying industry.

Upon completion students will achieve the RockUp® – Surface Mining and Quarrying Micro-credential (Level 3, 9 credits), which will be listed on their NZQA Record of Achievement.

GATEWAY					
UNIT STANDARD	TITLE	LEVEL	CREDITS	eLEARNING	PRACTICAL
17696	Describe and apply basic skills and knowledge required to work at a surface extraction site	2	4	✓	✓
23648	Demonstrate knowledge of and follow safe working practices at an extractive site	3	5	✓	✓

## What is the fee per student?

The fee for RockUp® is \$200\* per student, per year.

## How does the student access eLearning?

The student must have a unique email address and access to an internet-enabled computer, tablet or mobile phone. After enrolment, the student will receive an email with their log-in details to MITO's learning management system.

## What is a micro-credential?

Smaller than a qualification, micro-credentials certify achievement of a specific set of skills and knowledge and are approved by NZQA.

## Can you help with the work placement?

Yes, we can help identify a surface mining and quarrying site near your school.

## Get me started!

Call MITO's Vocational Careers Advisor on **0800 88 21 21** or email [info@mito.org.nz](mailto:info@mito.org.nz) to get the enrolment process underway.

## About MITO

MITO is a business division of Te Pūkenga – New Zealand Institute of Skills and Technology. We support on-job learning and career development for the automotive, transport, logistics and extractive industries.

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\* Excludes GST and is valid for 2024