



## Internship Opportunity at New Seed Solutions

*Pukekohe, New Zealand*

Discover the Southern Hemisphere's seed season and gain hands-on experience in maize hybrid breeding.

### About us

New Seed Solutions is a specialised seed production company based in **Pukekohe, New Zealand**. We focus on **maize hybridisation** for clients in the **Northern Hemisphere**, producing both **commercial hybrids** and **early-stage breeding lines**. With a reputation for quality, innovation, and precision, we play a key role in international seed development from the southern side of the world.

### Your Role

As an intern at New Seed Solutions, you'll gain hands-on experience across all stages of hybrid maize production:

- Sowing and planting
- General field care and maintenance
- Roguing (removal of off-type plants)
- Detasseling and plant grooming
- Supporting our nursery with hand pollination
- Participating in tractor work, manual field tasks, and data evaluation in the office

You'll be part of a dedicated, international team and gain insights into both **field operations** and **breeding processes**.

### Who We're Looking For


We are looking for enthusiastic individuals with a strong interest in agriculture and plant breeding. The ideal candidate should have:

- A conversational level of English
- A manual driver's licence
- Availability for a minimum of 4 months, ideally from October to April
- Interest in maize breeding and hybrid development
- Basic Microsoft Office skills (Word, Excel, etc.)
- A hands-on, motivated attitude and willingness to work both indoors and outdoors

## What You Will Gain

- A paid internship in the vibrant seed production sector
- A unique opportunity to gain practical experience abroad
- A deep dive into the maize hybrid breeding process
- Visa and accommodation support
- Possibility to accommodate reports or thesis topics
- Work in a dynamic, multicultural environment
- Experience life in beautiful New Zealand

## Ready to Apply?

Send your application or any questions to:  [office@seedsolutions.co.nz](mailto:office@seedsolutions.co.nz)

We look forward to welcoming you to our team at **New Seed Solutions** – where your learning journey grows from the ground up.