


Business Mentors' start-up programme gets you access to the skills, knowledge and understanding of a successful business person who knows what it feels like to start a new venture.

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Business Mentoring Programme

Our Start-up Business Mentoring Programme provides six months of accelerated mentoring for people who have a new business idea or are looking for help in starting a new business.

Mentors with experience in business start-ups offer guidance, act as a sounding board, test your thinking, help you to validate your idea and support you in the development of a robust business plan.

Who is the Business Mentoring Programme for?

This programme is designed for people who have a business idea and:

- Want to explore the idea in a confidential environment
- Want to know where to start and who to talk to
- Want to assess the feasibility of their idea
- Want to put the right foundations in place for their business
- Want to build a business plan for the new business and to be able share the plan with funders, service providers and other stakeholders
- Want help to understand their legal obligations
- Don't want to make easily avoidable mistakes

Who are the mentors and what do they do?

Our Mentors are experienced business people with expertise in new ventures and have an understanding of the steps needed to validate a business idea or get a new business off the ground.

Mentors volunteer their time to work alongside a Start-up client for a six month period. A mentor will step you through a feasibility assessment and support you to build a robust business plan if you decide to proceed.

How do you turn your great business idea into a fully-fledged business?

A business mentor with experience in business start-ups will make sure you get it right from the start.

- ☒ Register online at businessmentors.org.nz
- ☒ Complete online application
- ☒ Pay our one-off registration fee
- ☒ Our agent will contact you to arrange your mentor match

