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Starting From the end: the quintessential pathways of quality

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Learning from the poets

**What we call the beginning is often the end
And to make an end is to make a beginning.
The end is where we start from.**

T S Eliot *Little Gidding* The Four Quartets



Symposium Theme

Pathways

Transitions

Bridges



The Idealised Pipeline



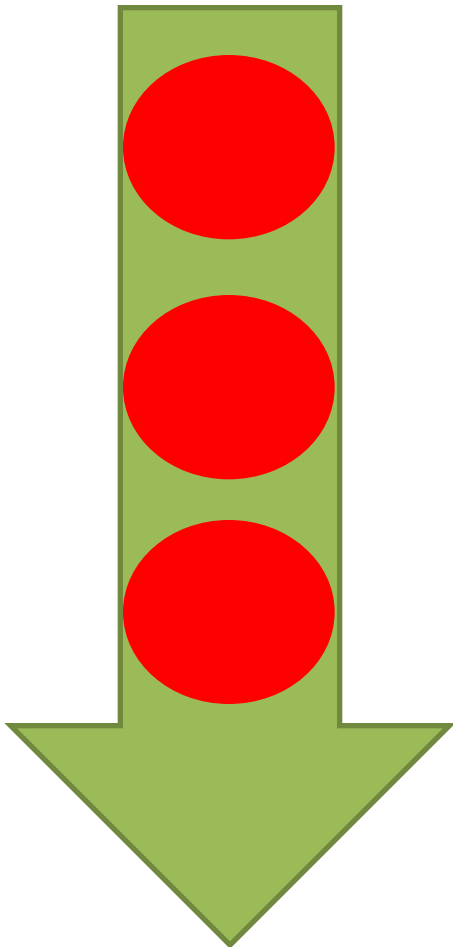
Beginnings, Endings and Pathways

A pathway has to start somewhere and lead to somewhere

Transition points are not starting points.



Connecting the dots



2 years of quality ECE

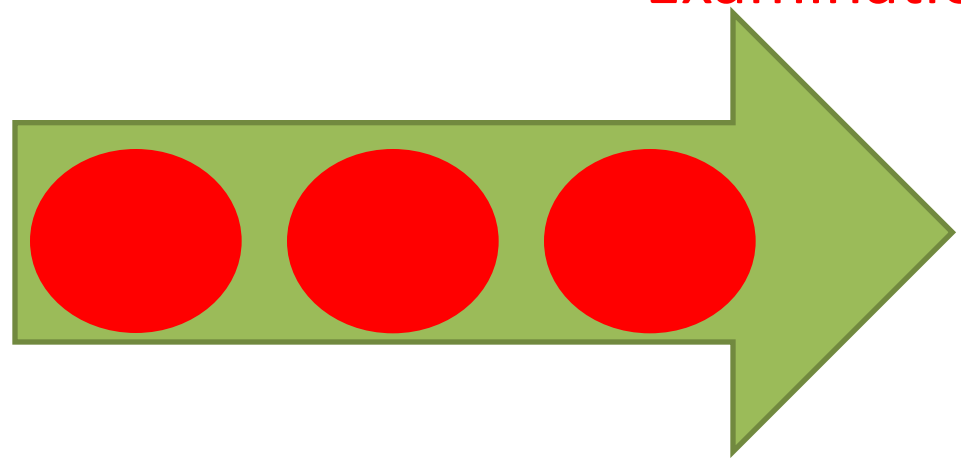
Graduating from High School

Obtaining a post-secondary
qualification



The disrupting elements

Health	8 Teachers	8 Teachers pa
Housing	?? Schools	Pedagogies
Family	Pedagogy	Subjects
ECE		Examinations



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7. Pathways require educators to work in collaborative teams with complementary skill sets, including others in the community
8. Pathways are purposeful, planned, and deliberate.



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Connectedness

PATHWAY PLANNING

Vocational Pathways

“Stroking the iron filings”

Years 11- 12

Years 9 -10

CIAGE

Programme Planning

Curriculum Design

Level 3+

CIAGE

Linkages

Jobs



Connectedness

PATHWAY PLANNING

Trades Academy

Literacy / Numeracy

Site Responsibilities

CIAGE

IEP / Pathway

Skill Development

On-going Qualls

Continuity

CIAGE

IEP Projection

Links btwn Providers



The MIT Story – 2007 - 2010

63 prog. Instances / 44 sec. schools / 3,500+ students

Law Changes / Funding / Duty of Care / Prog. Category

- MIT Tertiary High School (NCEA / CTE Qualifications)
- Trades Academies in 4 Secondary Schools
- Customised Trades Training
- Trades Training Hub
- Internships / Cadetships
- NEETs Programme
- Pacific Secondary Tertiary Development Project
..... and there's more to come.



“The journey is the reward.”

Steve Jobs

**We shall not cease from exploration
And the end of all our exploring
Will be to arrive where we started
And know the place for the first time.**

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