









## Orientation and Settlement Workshops

(FREE)

July – September 2009

Time & Date	Workshop	Details
11 July, Saturday 9.00 am – 1.00 pm Three Kings	IRD Workshop 	<b>Understanding the NZ taxation system</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do you know about the role of Inland Revenue?</li> <li>Do you need information on the New Zealand Tax system?</li> <li>Do you need to understand how to do the returns and how to read tax summaries?</li> <li>Do you need to know about the Working for Families Tax credit system?</li> <li>Do you know about Kiwi Saver?</li> <li>Do you know what you can claim as a rebate from Inland Revenue?</li> </ul>
25 Jul, Saturday 9.30 am – 4.00 pm Three Kings	The Treaty of Waitangi 	Learn more about the Treaty of Waitangi. Develop an understanding about your relationship as a new settler to Maori as the first peoples of New Zealand
1 Aug, 26 Sept, Saturday 10 am – 2.00 pm Three Kings	Special Interest Group for Immigrant Engineers (SIEGE) 	One on One Consultation to assist immigrant engineers to overcome their personal and professional barriers towards gaining professional employment
7 Aug, 14 Aug, 21 Aug, 28 Aug, 4 Sept, 11 Sept, Friday 9.30am – 12.30 pm Three Kings	Safety in Auction 	<b>Increase awareness on community and personal safety. Topics include:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Legal system in New Zealand</li> <li>Personal Safety</li> <li>Home Safety</li> <li>Family Safety</li> <li>Shoppers Safety</li> </ul>
15 Aug, Saturday 9 am – 4 pm Three Kings	Home Ownership - buying your first home NZ 	<b>Learn about:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The pros and cons of home ownership</li> <li>Home buying process</li> <li>Costs, planning and budgeting</li> <li>Home loan and deposits</li> <li>House maintenance</li> <li>Common myths</li> </ul>
19 Sept, Saturday 9 am – 4 pm Three Kings	Relating Well 	<b>Learn skills for settling successfully into NZ</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How is New Zealand different?</li> <li>What is it like to move from one country to another?</li> <li>Tips on Coping with Change</li> </ul>

All workshops free unless otherwise stated. To register or for more information, please call 625 2240 or email [reception@arms-mrc.org.nz](mailto:reception@arms-mrc.org.nz). Location: Auckland Regional Migrant Services 532 Mt Albert Rd, Three Kings Plaza, Three Kings.