

National Certificate in Fencing (Level 4)

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Credits 122

This qualification has been **reviewed**. The last date to meet the requirements is 31 December 2019.

This qualification has been reviewed and replaced by New Zealand Certificate in Fencing (Level 5) [Ref: 2700].

Transition Arrangements

The last date for entry into training or programmes leading to this qualification [Ref: 1466] is 31 December 2017.

The last date to meet the requirements of this qualification is 31 December 2019 at which time it will be discontinued

People currently working towards the replaced qualification must complete its requirements by 31 December 2019.

It is anticipated that no existing candidates will be disadvantaged by these transition arrangements. However, anyone who feels that they have been disadvantaged may appeal to Primary ITO at the address below. Appeals will be considered on a case by case basis.

For detailed information see [Review Summaries](#) on the NZQA website.

NQF Registration Information

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	December 2008	December 2019
Review	2	June 2015	December 2019
Republish	2	October 2016	December 2019

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Purpose

This qualification is for people who wish to gain the skills to specialise in the design and construction of a range of on-farm fencing and yard types.

People credited with this qualification are able to plan, design, and install on-farm fencing and timber yards; design, construct, and hang wooden single or double gates; and install a fence line. They are also able to install fence netting and a mains energizer, and identify and rectify faults; and have knowledge of electric fencing components and systems.

Electives are designed to recognise fencing requirements which may vary according to available equipment, geographical location, terrain, and soil type. Elective 1 allows people to select methods for installing poles and rails for yards depending on the equipment they have on hand. Elective 2 recognises the additional skills and equipment people may have to apply to particular fencing situations.

On completion of this qualification people can progress to a range of agriculture or agribusiness management qualifications.

Credit Range

	Compulsory	Elective 1	Elective 2
Level 3 credits	8	-	0-9
Level 4 credits	64	12	0-10
Level 5 or above credits	29	-	-
Minimum totals	101	12	7-12
Qualification total	120-125		

Requirements for Award of Qualification

Award of NQF Qualifications

Credit gained for a standard may be used only once to meet the requirements of this qualification.

Unit standards and achievement standards that are equivalent in outcome are mutually exclusive for the purpose of award. The table of mutually exclusive standards is provided in section 7 of the New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA) Rules and Procedures publications available at <http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/ncea/acrp/index.html>.

Reviewed standards that continue to recognise the same overall outcome are registered as new versions and retain their identification number (ID). Any version of a standard with the same ID may be used to meet qualification requirements that list the ID and/or that specify the past or current classification of the standard.

Summary of Requirements

- Compulsory standards
- Elective 1 – A minimum of 1 standard as specified
- Elective 2 – A minimum of 2 standards as specified

Detailed Requirements

Compulsory

The following standards are required

Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries > Agriculture > Fencing

Id	Title	Level	Credit
39	Install fence netting	3	8
24824	Construct wooden horizontal end assemblies for fencing	4	5
24829	Install and nail rail panels, and hang wooden single and double gates	4	6
24831	Install a mains energizer for an electric fence, identify and rectify faults	4	4
24838	Select materials and construct strainer with wooden diagonal stay assembly	4	8
24841	Plan, design, and prepare for installation of, on-farm fencing	5	15
24842	Plan, design, and prepare for installation of, open timber yards	5	14
24843	Design and construct a wooden gate	4	4
24847	Prepare to operate, and operate a post driver	4	12
24848	Install a fence line	4	25

Elective 1

A minimum of 1 standard

Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries > Agriculture > Fencing

Id	Title	Level	Credit
24844	Install poles and rails for yards	4	12
24845	Drive poles and install and nail rails for yards	4	12

Elective 2

A minimum of 2 standards

Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries > Agriculture > Fencing

Id	Title	Level	Credit
10996	Prepare, select, and hang flood gates	4	6
24825	Construct tie back assemblies for fencing	3	3
24839	Select materials, and construct strainer with breast plate assembly	4	4
24846	Prepare to operate, and operate a hand held post hole borer	3	6

Transition Arrangements**Version 1**

Version 1 was republished to align the last date for entry and last date for assessment to those in the replacement qualification, the New Zealand Certificate in Fencing (Level 3) with strands in Rural and Industrial [Ref: 2699].

This qualification was developed as a result of a planned review of the Fencing qualifications.

For detailed information see [Review Summaries](#) on the NZQA website.

This qualification contains standards that replace earlier standards. For the purposes of this qualification, people who have gained credit for the expiring standards are exempt from the requirement to gain credit for the replacement standards – see table below.

Credit for	Exempt from
41	24824, 24825
19130	24838, 24839

Certification

This certificate will display the logos of NZQA, the Agriculture Industry Training Organisation and the accredited organisation.

Classification

This qualification is classified according to the NQF classification system and the New Zealand Standard Classification of Education (NZSCED) system as specified below.

DAS Classification		NZSCED	
Code	Description	Code	Description

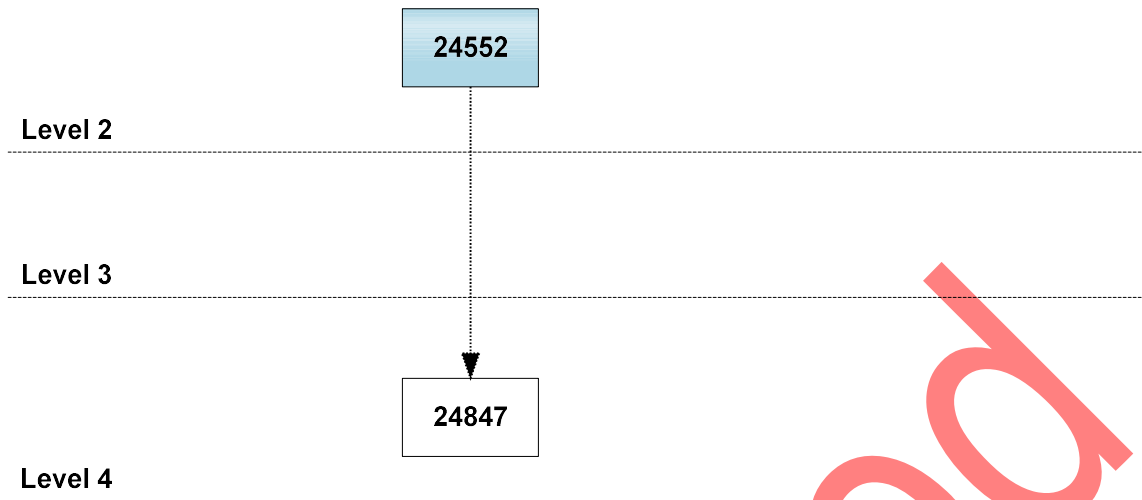
DAS Classification		NZSCED	
Code	Description	Code	Description
137	Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries > Agriculture > Fencing	050112	Agriculture, Environmental and Related Studies > Agriculture > General Land Skills

Quality Management Systems

Providers and Industry Training Organisations must be accredited by a recognised Quality Assurance Body before they can register credits from assessment against standards. Accredited providers and Industry Training Organisations assessing against standards must engage with the moderation system that applies to those standards. Accreditation requirements and the moderation system are outlined in the associated Accreditation and Moderation Action Plan (AMAP) for each standard.

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Prerequisite Diagram



Key

- Recommended
- Not in qualification

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