Title	Read and assess texts on a topic		
Level	2	Credits	3

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to read and assess texts on a topic.

Classification	Communication Skills > Reading
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

- Texts must be written (not visual or oral) and can be soft or hard copy. They must be of sufficient length and complexity to provide adequate evidence of competence. Suitable texts will require learners to use the skills outlined at koru/step 5 on the *Read with Understanding* strand of the *Learning Progressions for Adult Literacy*, available at The Literacy Learning Progressions Literacy Progressions (tki.org.nz).
- 2 Texts must be selected by the candidate, and may be from a given range. Texts must be identified and/or submitted for moderation purposes.
- 3 Definition Read means the candidate can extract meaning from written text. It is not a test of memory. The text may be referenced and re-read during assessment against the standard.
- 4 All activities relevant to this standard must reflect ngā kaupapa o te Tiriti o Waitangi (the principles of the Treaty of Waitangi).
- All activities must, as relevant to candidates and/or this standard, reflect the peoples of the Pacific and other cultures, and their world views.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Read and assess texts on a topic.

Range three texts.

Performance criteria

1.1 Each text is summarised in terms of content relevant to the specified topic.

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1.2 The relevance of each text to the specified topic is assessed in terms of its usefulness, credibility, interest, and currency.

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Comments on this unit standard

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