

9 October 2018

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Dear redacted s9(2)(a)

Official Information Act (OIA) Request

Thank you for your confirmed request of 12 September 2018 seeking, under the provisions of the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act), the following information for each charter secondary school and for each of the past four years inclusive (2014 to 2017), including Whangaruru for 2014 and 2015:

1. The proportion of credits earned via unit standards and achievement standards
2. The proportion of credits earned via internal assessment and external assessment
3. Achievement rate for internal assessment and external assessment

Attached is a spreadsheet containing the data you have requested.

As part of the commitment to open and transparent government, NZQA is proactively releasing responses to Official Information Act requests which are of public interest. NZQA will be publishing its response to your request on its website in December 2018. Your name and contact details will be removed before publication.

If you require further assistance or believe we have misinterpreted your request, please contact redacted s9(2)(a) in the Office of the Chief Executive, email redacted s9(2)(a)@nzqa.govt.nz or telephone (04) redacted s9(2)(a).

If you are dissatisfied with our response, you have the right, under section 28(3) of the Act, to lodge a complaint with the Office of the Ombudsmen, PO Box 10152, Wellington.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Karen Poutasi', is written over a light blue circular stamp.

Karen Poutasi (Dr)
Chief Executive

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Charter Secondary Schools
Proportion of Credits Earned via Achievement and Unit Standards

School	No.	Year	Unit Std Credits	Unit Std %	Achievement Std Credits	Ach Std %	Total Credits
Te Pumanawa o Te Wairua	691	2014	647	59.7%	437	40.3%	1,084
Te Pumanawa o Te Wairua	691	2015	642	32.4%	1,339	67.6%	1,981
Te Kura Hourua o Whangarei Terenga Paraoa	692	2014	679	38.2%	1,100	61.8%	1,779
Te Kura Hourua o Whangarei Terenga Paraoa	692	2015	1,361	36.8%	2,336	63.2%	3,697
Te Kura Hourua o Whangarei Terenga Paraoa	692	2016	1,069	24.9%	3,228	75.1%	4,297
Te Kura Hourua o Whangarei Terenga Paraoa	692	2017	1,749	34.1%	3,375	65.9%	5,124
Vanguard Military School	694	2014	2,169	32.1%	4,586	67.9%	6,755
Vanguard Military School	694	2015	4,491	42.8%	5,998	57.2%	10,489
Vanguard Military School	694	2016	2,734	26.1%	7,755	73.9%	10,489
Vanguard Military School	694	2017	4,097	33.8%	8,020	66.2%	12,117
Pacific Advance Senior School	714	2015	1,498	28.3%	3,792	71.7%	5,290
Pacific Advance Senior School	714	2016	1,158	26.3%	3,240	73.7%	4,398
Pacific Advance Senior School	714	2017	2,386	38.4%	3,834	61.6%	6,220

Charter Secondary Schools
Proportion of credits earned via Internal and External Assessment

School	No.	Year	Internally Assessed	Internal Credits	Externally Assessed	External Credits	Total Credits
			Credits	%	Credits	%	
Te Pumanawa o Te Wairua	691	2014	965	89.0%	119	11.0%	1,084
Te Pumanawa o Te Wairua	691	2015	1,968	99.3%	13	0.7%	1,981
Te Kura Hourua o Whangarei Terenga Paraoa	692	2014	1,619	91.0%	160	9.0%	1,779
Te Kura Hourua o Whangarei Terenga Paraoa	692	2015	3,443	93.1%	254	6.9%	3,697
Te Kura Hourua o Whangarei Terenga Paraoa	692	2016	4,001	93.1%	296	6.9%	4,297
Te Kura Hourua o Whangarei Terenga Paraoa	692	2017	4,956	96.7%	168	3.3%	5,124
Vanguard Military School	694	2014	6,315	93.5%	440	6.5%	6,755
Vanguard Military School	694	2015	9,885	94.2%	604	5.8%	10,489
Vanguard Military School	694	2016	9,748	92.9%	741	7.1%	10,489
Vanguard Military School	694	2017	11,473	94.7%	644	5.3%	12,117
Pacific Advance Senior School	714	2015	4,966	93.9%	324	6.1%	5,290
Pacific Advance Senior School	714	2016	4,241	96.4%	157	3.6%	4,398
Pacific Advance Senior School	714	2017	6,092	97.9%	128	2.1%	6,220

Charter Secondary Schools
Achievement Rates for Internal and External Assessment

School	No.	Year	Total Internal Assessment (Count)	Internal Passes (Count)	Internal Pass Rate (%)	Total External Assessment (Count)	External Passes (Count)	External Pass Rate (%)
Te Pumanawa o Te Wairua	691	2014	251	238	94.8%	51	23	45.1%
Te Pumanawa o Te Wairua	691	2015	509	470	92.3%	8	3	37.5%
Te Kura Hourua o Whangarei Terenga Paraoa	692	2014	439	409	93.2%	47	32	68.1%
Te Kura Hourua o Whangarei Terenga Paraoa	692	2015	920	862	93.7%	94	51	54.3%
Te Kura Hourua o Whangarei Terenga Paraoa	692	2016	1,109	1,037	93.5%	156	63	40.4%
Te Kura Hourua o Whangarei Terenga Paraoa	692	2017	1,419	1,293	91.1%	71	35	49.3%
Vanguard Military School	694	2014	1,920	1,795	93.5%	194	105	54.1%
Vanguard Military School	694	2015	3,157	2,861	90.6%	244	142	58.2%
Vanguard Military School	694	2016	3,104	2,733	88.0%	272	179	65.8%
Vanguard Military School	694	2017	3,774	3,261	86.4%	234	155	66.2%
Pacific Advance Senior School	714	2015	1,797	1,586	88.3%	301	81	26.9%
Pacific Advance Senior School	714	2016	1,531	1,258	82.2%	77	39	50.6%
Pacific Advance Senior School	714	2017	1,967	1,697	86.3%	98	30	30.6%

Notes:

Assessed standards are those with results of N, A, M & E

Achieved standards are those with results of A, M & E