How are my results recorded?

Any credits you achieve will be recorded against your name and National Student Number (NSN).

You can log in to see your records at www.nzqa.govt.nz/login

Information on how to do this will be sent to your school in June.

Results released to universities and polytechnics

In January 2021, NZQA will send all Level 2, Level 3 and University Entrance results (authorised for release) to all New Zealand universities and some polytechnics to help these institutions process pre-enrolments. If you do not want your results to be released, you must tell your school. You need to check with institutions for limited entry programme requirements.

If you are going to study overseas, you should contact the institution(s) where you intend to study as early as possible. Make sure you understand their enrolment requirements, procedures and deadlines. Australian universities can access your results directly from NZQA systems, unless you have specifically requested that your results are not made available to tertiary institutions.

Thinking about doing digital exams?

Before deciding to enter a digital exam in 2020, consider if you are using a computer to learn and find out your school’s plans for digital exams, including subjects.

Which subjects will have digital exams available in 2020?

Agricultural & Horticultural Science, Art History, Business Studies, Chinese, Classical Studies, Education for Sustainability (L2 only), English, French, German, Health, History, Home Economics, Japanese, Latin (L1 &2 only), Media Studies, Psychology, Samoan, Social Studies, Spanish, Te Reo Māori and Te Reo Rangatira.

How do I get ready for a digital exam?

Along with the revision you would do for a paper exam, you need to get familiar with the digital exam platform and, if you are using your own device, check it is set up for a digital exam. Our Student Exam Hub (https://www.nzqa.govt.nz/ncea/ncea) will help you ‘Become familiar with digital exams’ and learn about the platform. You can also find digitised past exam papers as well as the ‘Digital Exams Device Check’ to prepare your device.

For more information, contact your school or visit our website www.nzqa.govt.nz/ncea
Kia ora and welcome

How do I become a candidate for NCEA or NZ Scholarship?
When your school or kura first sends your entries to NZQA in March, you automatically become a candidate for NCEA. As a candidate, you must follow all the Assessment Rules. If you are studying any courses with Te Aho o Te Kura Pounamu, or another provider such as a polytechnic, you must tell your school. That way all your results can be recorded on your New Zealand Record of Achievement.

For more information look at: www.nzqa.govt.nz/ncea/ncea-results/

Gaining NCEA Level 1, 2 or 3

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If you have questions about literacy and numeracy, talk to your school or kura.

Please check the 2020 Examination Timetable (www.nzqa.govt.nz/timetable) with your teachers to see if you have exam clashes. Your school and NZQA can help you manage these.

Entry for the NCEA and NZ Scholarship is free of charge for Domestic Students.

Fees for International Students
International Fee-Paying students must pay the following amount to enter NCEA and/or NZ Scholarship:

- NCEA entry $383.30 per candidate
- Each NZ Scholarship subject $102.20 per subject

I am an International Student, how do I pay?
- Pay your fees to your school or kura. They will be able to tell you when and how much to pay.
- Your school will pay all the fees they have collected to NZQA by 31 October 2020.

Can I change where I will sit my external NCEA exams?
If there is a good reason why you cannot sit all your exams at your exam centre, first talk to your school or kura. They will contact NZQA to discuss if this is possible.

What if I need help to sit assessments?
- If you have sensory, physical, medical or learning difficulties, you may be able to get help during the year for assessments. This help is called Special Assessment Conditions.
- If you need help, your school or kura must apply to NZQA on your behalf to approve this help.
- If help has been approved, your school or kura should have already talked to you about this and arranged this for you.
- For more information regarding Special Assessment Conditions, please refer to the following link: www.nzqa.govt.nz/sac

How do I gain entrance to a New Zealand university?
University Entrance (UE) is the minimum requirement for getting into a New Zealand university. Many universities and other tertiary providers have further programme entry requirements so you will need to check with them as well.

To gain University Entrance you will need:
- NCEA Level 3
  - Three subjects at Level 3 made up of:
    - 14 credits each, in three UE approved subjects
  - Literacy - 10 credits at Level 2 or above, made up of:
    - 5 credits in reading
    - 5 credits in writing
  - Numeracy - 10 credits at Level 1 or above.

Go to www.nzqa.govt.nz/ue or ask your teachers for further information.