

Title	Plan and construct timber features for landscape work		
Level	4	Credits	15

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to: plan materials required and identify consent requirements for timber landscape features; and build timber landscape features.
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Classification	Horticulture > Landscape
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

- 1 Legislation and standards relevant to this unit standard include but are not limited to:
 - Building (Forms) Regulations 2004;
 - Building Act 2004;
 - Health and Safety at Work Act 2015;
 - Resource Management Act 1991;
 - NZS 5828:2004, *Playground equipment and surfacing*, available from <http://www.standards.govt.nz>; and any subsequent amendments.
- 2 Definition
Workplace procedures refer to the procedure and standards set by the client or employing organisation for construction of timber features and must be consistent with plans and specifications and equipment manufacturers guidelines.
- 3 Evidence is required for four features of which three are different types of features, which may include but are not limited to – decks, walkways or boardwalks, large fencing project (greater than 6m), pergolas and seats, shelters, storage areas; decorative features such as picket fence, complex screens.
- 4 All evidence presented in this unit standard must be in accordance with workplace procedures.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Plan materials required and identify consent requirements for timber landscape features.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Measure and confirm types and quantities of timber, fixings and fastenings from drawings and specifications.
- 1.2 Select and order suitable types and quantities of materials.
- 1.3 Identify consent requirements under the Building Act 2004, the Building (Forms) Regulations 2004 and local authority regulations.

Outcome 2

Build timber landscape features.

Performance criteria

- 2.1 Select, prepare, and use suitable tools and equipment.
- 2.2 Prepare and secure the safety requirements of the site.
- 2.3 Construct timber features and carry out associated work.
- 2.4 Select and use or apply suitable fastenings and fixings.
- 2.5 Apply surface finishing in accordance with end use, material quality and application standard.
- 2.6 Install or use safety warnings when work is accessible to the public.
- 2.7 Work safely around other people and machinery on site.
- 2.8 Remove surplus material and reinstate the site on completion of the job.

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Registration	1	30 January 1995	31 December 2019
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Comments on this unit standard

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