

Title	Install reinforcing steel used for footings and foundations for concrete slab construction under supervision		
Level	3	Credits	4

Purpose	<p>People credited with this standard can, under supervision:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • install reinforcing steel used for footings and foundations for concrete slab construction; and • clean and store plant, tools, and equipment used to install reinforcing steel for footings and foundations for concrete slab construction.
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Classification	Construction Trades > Carpentry
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

- 1 Scope of practice
Working *under supervision* means the ability to work to construction workplace standards under the supervision of a commercially competent practitioner whose role is to ensure the completed construction meets industry and regulatory requirements. This standard does not recognise commercial competence.

- 2 Assessment
This unit standard must be assessed under the supervision of a commercially competent practitioner in construction workplace conditions that reflect:
 - current health, safety, industry, and workplace requirements; and
 - industry requirements for commercially acceptable timeframes.

Evidence generated for assessment against this standard must be verified by a person who has current expertise in the building and construction trades and has had the opportunity to regularly observe the candidate in the workplace.

- 3 Range
Evidence generated for assessment against this standard must reflect workplace and industry requirements specified in:
 - documented worksite specifications, procedures, and practices;
 - manufacturer recommendations, specifications, and technical data sheets;
 - applicable specifications from other sources such as an architect, designer, engineer, or supervisor;
 - applicable material safety data sheets;
 - NZS 3109:1997 *Concrete construction*;
 - NZS 3604:2011 *Timber Framed Buildings*;
 - NZS 4230:2004 *Design of reinforced concrete masonry structures*;

- the New Zealand Building Code.

Evidence generated for assessment against this standard must reflect the requirements of:

- Building Act 2004;
- Health and Safety at Work Act 2015;
- Resource Management Act 1991;
- Building Regulations 1992;
- Building (Forms) Regulations 2004;
- Health and Safety in Employment Regulations 1995.

4 References

NZS 3109:1997 *Concrete construction*. Available from Standards NZ

(<http://www.standards.co.nz>).

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Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Install reinforcing steel used for footings and foundations for concrete slab construction under supervision.

Range bars, mesh, stirrups, links, starter bars.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Receive and store reinforcing steel for a concrete slab construction job.
- 1.2 Fabricate reinforcing steel to specification for concrete slab construction.
- 1.3 Select, place, and secure reinforcing steel for a concrete slab construction job.

Range one of – floor slab, slab-on ground;
two of – footings, foundations, ground beams, walls, masonry;
must include – bending, cutting, tying.

Outcome 2

Clean and store plant, tools, and equipment used to install reinforcing steel for footings and foundations for concrete slab construction.

Range plant includes – any machinery, vehicle, vessel, aircraft, equipment (including personal protective equipment), appliance, container, implement, or tool; any component of any of those things; anything fitted or connected to any of those things;
personal protective equipment includes – anything used or worn by a person (including clothing) to minimise risks to the person's health and safety;
air-supplied respiratory equipment.

Performance criteria

- 2.1 Clean workplace, tools, and plant used to install reinforcing steel for footings and foundations for concrete slab construction.
- 2.2 Store tools, plant and equipment used to install reinforcing steel for footings and foundations for concrete slab construction.

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This CMR can be accessed at <http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/framework/search/index.do>.

Comments on this unit standard

Please contact the Waihangara Ara Rau Construction and Infrastructure Workforce Development Council qualifications@waihangaraarau.nz if you wish to suggest changes to the content of this unit standard.