

<b>Title</b>	<b>Remove graffiti and apply protective coatings</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>10</b>

<b>Purpose</b>	<p>This specialist unit standard is for people working in the coatings area of the painting and decorating sector.</p> <p>People credited with this unit standard are able to: plan and prepare to remove graffiti; prepare site and materials for removing graffiti; remove graffiti; apply preventative application material; and clean up and store equipment used for removing graffiti.</p>
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<b>Classification</b>	Construction Trades > Painting and Decorating
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<b>Available grade</b>	Achieved
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### Explanatory notes

- 1 Legislation and references relevant to this unit standard include – Health and Safety in Employment Act 1992; Resource Management Act 1991; Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act 1996; available at <http://legislation.govt.nz>; AS/NZS 2311:2009 *Guide to the painting of buildings*, available at <http://www.standards.co.nz/>.
- 2 Definition  
*Worksite requirements* refer to job instructions to candidate on agreed work to be carried out.
- 3 This unit standard must be assessed against in a realistic workplace environment. The candidate must be under realistic time pressures, and use relevant commercial equipment and approved industry techniques.

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### Outcomes and evidence requirements

#### Outcome 1

Plan and prepare to remove graffiti.

#### Evidence requirements

- 1.1 Work instructions and operational details are obtained and confirmed in accordance with worksite requirements.
- 1.2 Safety instructions are followed in accordance with worksite and legislative requirements.

- 1.3 Signage and barricade requirements are identified and implemented in accordance with worksite and legislative requirements.
- 1.4 Tools and equipment are selected to meet the job requirements, and checked for serviceability prior to commencement of work in accordance with worksite requirements.
- 1.5 Material quantities are calculated to meet the job requirements in accordance with worksite requirements.
- 1.6 Any environmental requirements are identified in accordance with worksite and legislative requirements.

## **Outcome 2**

Prepare site and materials for removing graffiti.

### **Evidence requirements**

- 2.1 Site is set up for graffiti removal and preventative application processes to suit surfaces to be treated in accordance with worksite requirements.
- 2.2 Adjoining surfaces to application area are protected in accordance with worksite requirements.
- 2.3 Ventilation is provided in application area to maintain safety of self and others in accordance with worksite and legislative requirements.
- 2.4 Storm water protection systems are installed, where appropriate, in accordance with worksite requirements.

## **Outcome 3**

Remove graffiti.

### **Evidence requirements**

- 3.1 Preparation processes are selected to suit substrate surfaces and graffiti circumstances in accordance with worksite requirements.
- 3.2 Type of coating previously used to cover graffiti is identified in accordance with worksite requirements.
- 3.3 Graffiti removal processes are applied to affected area in accordance with manufacturer's specifications and worksite requirements.

## **Outcome 4**

Apply preventative application material.

### **Evidence requirements**

- 4.1 Substrate surfaces are cleaned and prepared for preventative application coatings in accordance with manufacturer's specifications and worksite requirements.
- 4.2 Type of preventative coating to cover the graffiti is identified and prepared in accordance with manufacturer's specifications and worksite requirements.
- 4.3 Preventative application coating to cover the graffiti is applied in accordance with manufacturer's specifications and worksite requirements.

### Outcome 5

Clean up and store equipment used for removing graffiti.

### Evidence requirements

- 5.1 Unused materials are sealed and stored in accordance with worksite and legislative requirements.
- 5.2 Work area is cleared and materials are disposed of, reused, or recycled in accordance with worksite and legislative requirements.
- 5.3 Tools and equipment are cleaned, checked, maintained and stored in accordance with manufacturer's specifications and worksite requirements.

<b>Planned review date</b>	31 December 2019
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### Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	18 August 2011	31 December 2016
Review	2	19 February 2015	N/A

<b>Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference</b>	0048
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This CMR can be accessed at <http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/framework/search/index.do>.

### Please note

Providers must be granted consent to assess against standards (accredited) by NZQA, before they can report credits from assessment against unit standards or deliver courses of study leading to that assessment.

Industry Training Organisations must be granted consent to assess against standards by NZQA before they can register credits from assessment against unit standards.

Providers and Industry Training Organisations, which have been granted consent and which are assessing against unit standards must engage with the moderation system that applies to those standards.

Requirements for consent to assess and an outline of the moderation system that applies to this standard are outlined in the Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR). The CMR also includes useful information about special requirements for organisations wishing to develop education and training programmes, such as minimum qualifications for tutors and assessors, and special resource requirements.

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**Comments on this unit standard**

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