

Achievement Standard

Subject Reference	Media Studies 3.8		
Title	Write a media text to meet the requirements of a brief		
Level	3	Credits	3
		Assessment	Internal
Subfield	Social Science Studies		
Domain	Media Studies		
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This achievement standard involves writing a media text to meet the requirements of a brief.

Achievement Criteria

Achievement	Achievement with Merit	Achievement with Excellence
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Write a media text to meet the requirements of a brief. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Write a convincing media text to meet the requirements of a brief. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Write a compelling media text to meet the requirements of a brief.

Explanatory Notes

- This achievement standard is derived from the Level 8 strands and related achievement objectives in the Social Sciences Learning Area of *The New Zealand Curriculum*, Ministry of Education, 2007, and is related to the *Teaching and Learning Guide for Media Studies*, Ministry of Education, 2010 at <http://seniorsecondary.tki.org.nz/>.

This standard is also derived from *Te Marautanga o Aotearoa*. For details of *Te Marautanga o Aotearoa* achievement objectives to which this standard relates, see the [Papa Whakaako](#) for the relevant learning area.

- Write a media text* involves applying media conventions with control to meet the requirements of a brief. With control means conventions are applied consistently.

Write a convincing media text involves the deliberate selection and application of media conventions to engage an audience.

Write a compelling media text involves the effective selection and application of conventions to command and capture audience attention.

- 3 *A brief* is a set of instructions identifying the requirements of the product, including the target audience, format, legal and ethical requirements, and purpose of the text.
 - 4 Media conventions are the commonly used features specific to the text and must be appropriate to the medium, format, product and audience, eg genre and narrative conventions.
 - 5 *A media text* may be written for print, web, broadcast or moving image mediums. It may include: feature article, script, review, editorial or opinion piece, media release.
 - 6 Conditions of Assessment related to this achievement standard can be found at www.tki.org.nz/e/community/ncea/conditions-assessment.php.
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Quality Assurance

- 1 Providers and Industry Training Organisations must have been granted consent to assess by NZQA before they can register credits from assessment against achievement standards.
- 2 Organisations with consent to assess and Industry Training Organisations assessing against achievement standards must engage with the moderation system that applies to those achievement standards.

Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference

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