40783 Carry out carpentry demolition tasks for renovations

Kaupae Level	3
Whiwhinga Credit	3
Whāinga Purpose	This skill standard is for people intending to complete qualifications and credentials in the carpentry trades.
	People with this skill standard have the skills to carry out carpentry demolition tasks for renovations under limited supervision.
	This skill standard may contribute to New Zealand qualifications designed for construction trades.

Hua o te ako me Paearu aromatawai | Learning outcomes and assessment criteria

Hua o te ako Learning outcomes	Paearu aromatawai Assessment criteria		
Carry out carpentry demolition tasks for renovations.	 Tools, equipment, and materials required for demolition tasks are identified and selected. 		
	b. Hazards associated with the demolition site are identified, and appropriate personal protective equipment is selected and used.		
	c. Demolition tasks are performed safely, ensuring the protection of remaining structures from damage.		
	d. Methods and tools used during demolition are appropriate to the materials being removed and comply with given instructions.		
	Demolition debris is sorted and disposed of in accordance with site waste management procedures.		
	f. Site is restored to a clean and safe condition in accordance with supervisor's instructions.		

Pārongo aromatawai me te taumata paearu | Assessment information and grade criteria

Assessment specifications:

To achieve this standard the candidate must be capable of carrying out basic demolition tasks for residential renovation work under limited supervision, in a construction workplace, to industry standards.

Industry standards must reflect industry best practice, workplace procedures, and be within acceptable tolerances as defined in New Zealand codes, standards and regulations.

Basic demolition tasks refer to the removal or dismantling of non-load-bearing structures and fixtures, while ensuring safety and minimising damage to surrounding elements under limited supervision.

Under limited supervision refers to candidates carrying out the requirements of this skill standard with basic guidance and indirect supervision from a suitably skilled tradesperson. They are expected to source some information independently from plans, specifications, or relevant New Zealand Standards.

This standard must be assessed in the workplace.

Evidence for this standard must be demonstrated:

- to current and relevant Legislation, Standards, and Codes (including safety),
- in an environmentally sustainable manner,
- within an acceptable timeframe,
- with acceptable behaviours.

Ngā momo whiwhinga | Grades available

Achieved

Ihirangi waitohu | Indicative content

Tools, equipment, and materials:

- Common tools used in basic demolition.
- Personal protective equipment (PPE) requirements.
- Equipment handling and selection based on tasks.

Site assessment:

- Identifying potential hazards.
- Demolition plan.
- Environmental considerations, including dust suppression and noise control.

Demolition techniques:

- Methods for dismantling non-load-bearing structures or fixtures.
- Safe use of hand and power tools during demolition.

Safety practices:

- Adherence to health and safety guidelines for demolition tasks.
- Responding to supervisor feedback during tasks.

Handling materials:

- Separation of reusable materials from waste.
- Safe lifting and carrying techniques to avoid injury.

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Waste sorting and disposal:

- Site waste management plans.
- Sorting materials for recycling, reuse, or disposal.

Site cleanup:

- Restoring the site to a clean and safe condition, including sweeping, removing debris, and organising tools.
- Reporting any damaged tools or equipment to the supervisor.

Storage of tools and equipment:

- Cleaning and maintenance of tools after use.
- Storing tools and equipment securely according to workplace procedures.

Rauemi | Resources

Programme Guidance information available from qualifications@waihangaararau.nz.

Pārongo Whakaū Kounga | Quality assurance information

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