

FIELD MĀORI

Review of *Tourism Māori* qualifications

National Certificate in Tourism Māori (Level 3) [Ref: 1076]

National Certificate in Tourism Māori (Level 4) [Ref: 1077]

National Diploma in Tourism Māori (Level 5) [Ref: 1096]

NZQA Māori Qualifications Services (MQS) has completed the review of the qualifications listed above.

Date new versions published

May 2011

The next qualification review is planned to take place during 2012.

Summary of review and consultation process

These qualifications were reviewed as part of their regular review cycle and to take into account feedback from stakeholders who had requested that amendments be made to the compulsory sections of the qualifications.

Consultation was undertaken with the Tourism Māori Whakaruruhau and providers delivering the *Tourism Māori* unit standards. The consultation found that the compulsory sections of the qualifications did not fully meet the needs of the learners and subsequently the qualifications have been redeveloped to allow greater flexibility and higher relevance for all candidates.

All changes made to the qualifications were made in consultation with and endorsed by the Tourism Māori Whakaruruhau, accredited providers and other stakeholders between June and November 2010.

Main changes resulting from the review

- Standards added to and removed from the compulsory sections of each qualification.
- Changes to the elective sections of the qualifications.

National Certificate in Tourism Māori (Level 3) [Ref: 1076]

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Changes to structure and content

- Standard 17784 has been added to the Compulsory Section.
- Standards 18210, 18226, 18231, 18238, and 20489 have been removed from the Compulsory Section, but can still be used to meet the requirements of the Elective Section.
- In the Elective Section
 - Standards 18224, 18232, and 18237 are no longer listed but can still be used to meet the requirements of the Elective Section.
 - The *Computing* subfield has been restricted to just standards from the *Generic Computing* domain.
 - The *Health Education* domain, within the *Health and Physical Education* subfield, has been added.

- The restriction to selected subfields under Field *Māori* has been removed and standards can now be chosen from anywhere in the field.
- Field *Sciences* has been removed.
- The *Service Sector Skills* subfield has been replaced by the *Visitor Services* domain.

Transition

People currently enrolled in programmes leading to the award of version 2 of the qualification may complete that version before 31 December 2012, or transfer to version 3 of the qualification.

Version 2 of this qualification contains standards that have been replaced by later standards. For the purposes of this qualification, people who had gained credit for the replacement standards are exempt from the requirement to gain credit for the expiring or expired standards – see table below.

Credit for	Exempt from
23758	18210
23760	18224
23761	18232
23766	18238
23768	20489
24728	18231

National Certificate in Tourism Māori (Level 4) [Ref: 1077]

Review category	B	See Key to Qualification Review Categories at the end of report
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Changes to structure and content

- The National Certificate in Tourism Māori (Level 3) [Ref: 1076] was removed as a prerequisite.
- Standard 25954 has been added to the Compulsory Section.
- Standards 5070, 16168, and 17388 have been removed from the Compulsory Section but can still be used to meet the requirements of the Elective Section.
- In the Elective Section:
 - Standards 17386 and 17390 are no longer listed but can still be used to meet the requirements of the Elective Section.
 - The minimum level for standards from the Elective Section has decreased from Level 4 to Level 3.
 - The *Management* subfield has been replaced by the *Business Administration* and *Business Operations and Development* subfields.
 - The *First Line Management* domain has been removed.
 - The *Outdoor Recreation* subfield, under the Community and Social Services field, has been added.
 - The *Recreation and Sport – Programmes and Events* domain, under the *Community and Social Services* field and *Recreation and Sport* subfield, has been added.

- The *Computing* subfield has been restricted to just standards from the *Generic Computing* domain.
- Subfield *Communication Skills*, under the *Humanities* field, has been removed.
- The restriction to the *Tourism Māori* subfield under Field *Māori* has been removed and standards can now be chosen from anywhere in the field.
- The *Tourism* subfield has been restricted to just standards from the *Visitor Services* domain.

Transition

People currently enrolled in programmes leading to the award of version 1 of the qualification may complete that version before 31 December 2012, or transfer to version 2 of the qualification. Please note that candidates who wish to finish version 1 but have not yet completed standard 5070 have until December 2011 to do so.

This qualification contains a standard that replaced expiring standards. For the purposes of this qualification, people who have gained credit for the expiring standards are exempt from the requirement to gain credit for the replacement standard - see table below.

Credit for	Exempt from
17388, 17390	25954

Reverse transition has been included to ensure that all candidates currently enrolled in version 1 of the qualification are able to complete the requirements of that version. This qualification contains the lapsing *First Line Management* domain, which has been replaced by other classifications – see table below.

Standards from	Are treated as Standards from
Business > Administration	Business > Management > First Line Management
Business > Business Operations and Development	Business > Management > First Line Management

National Diploma in Tourism Māori (Level 5) [Ref: 1096]

Review category	B	See Key to Qualification Review Categories at the end of report
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Changes to structure and content

- The overall credit value for the qualification has decreased from 146 to 120 credits.
- Standards 3706, 3707, 17387, and 17394 have been added to the Compulsory Section.
- Standards 16045 and 17790 have been removed from the Compulsory Section.
- Standards 17393, 17792, 17794, and 17796 have been removed from the Compulsory Section as they are expiring. It is recommended that they are not used to meet the requirements of the Elective Section unless the provider is able to complete all assessments against these standards before 31 December 2012.

- In Elective 1
 - Elective requirements have changed to specify 10 credits at Level 5 or above.
 - The *Management* subfield has been replaced by *Business Operations and Development*.
 - The *First Line Management* domain has been removed.
 - The *Computing* subfield, under the *Computing and Information Technology* field, has been removed.
- In Elective 2
 - Elective requirements have changed to specify 20 credits at Level 5 or above.
 - The *Communication Skills* subfield has been added.
 - The *Tourism* subfield has been restricted to just standards from the *Visitor Services* domain.
- Elective 3 has been removed.

Transition

People currently enrolled in programmes leading to the award of version 1 of the qualification may complete that version before 31 December 2012, or transfer to version 2 of the qualification.

Reverse transition has been included to ensure that all candidates currently enrolled in version 1 of the qualification are able to complete the requirements of that version. This qualification contains the lapsing *First Line Management* domain and *Management* subfield, which have been replaced by other classifications – see table below.

Standards from	Are treated as Standards from
Business > Business Operations and Development	Business > Management > First Line Management
Business > Business Operations and Development	Business > Management

Any candidate who thinks they have been disadvantaged by these arrangements should, in the first instance, contact Māori Qualifications Services (MQS) at the address below.

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Key to Qualification Review Categories

Category A The qualification is published as a new version with the same NQF ID	Changes are made to SSB name, contact details or purpose statement
	No change is made to title, rules or components of the qualification
	No transition arrangements are required
Category B The qualification is published as a new version with the same NQF ID	Changes are made to title, rules or components
	The new version of the qualification recognises a similar skill set to that recognised by the previous version
	The SSB is confident that people awarded the new or previous version are comparable in terms of competence
	Transition arrangements are required if candidates must gain additional/different credits for the new version
Category C A new (replacement) qualification is published with new NQF ID	Significant changes are made to the qualification in terms of components, structure, type or level
	The SSB views people with the replacement qualification as being significantly different in terms of competence from those with the replaced qualification
	Transition arrangements are required
	Transition may be limited to phase-out dates
Category D Qualification will expire. There is no replacement qualification	Qualification is no longer required by industry
	The qualification is designated as expiring and a last date for meeting the qualification requirements is set