Fields Business, Humanities, Sciences, and Social Sciences

Revision of Level 1 achievement standards

Business > Accounting

Domain	ID	Subject reference
Accounting - Generic	90976	Accounting 1.1
Accounting - Generic	90977	Accounting 1.2
Accounting - Generic	90978	Accounting 1.3
Accounting - Generic	90979	Accounting 1.4
Accounting - Generic	90980	Accounting 1.5
Accounting - Generic	90981	Accounting 1.6
Accounting - Generic	90982	Accounting 1.7

Humanities > Health and Physical Education

Domain	ID	Subject reference
Health Education	90974	Health 1.5

Sciences

Subfield	Domain	ID	Subject reference
Mathematics	Algebra	91027	Mathematics and Statistics 1.2
	Geometry	91031	Mathematics and Statistics 1.6
Statistics and Probability	Statistics	91037	Mathematics and Statistics 1.12
Science	Chemistry	90934	Chemistry 1.5
	Science - Core	90947	Science 1.8

Social Sciences > Social Science Studies

Domain	ID	Subject reference
Geography	91008	Geography 1.2

The Ministry of Education has completed a revision of the achievement standards listed above.

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Planned review date December 2014

Summary of review and consultation process

Some of the Level 1 achievement standards required changes to address issues encountered during their first year of use.

Main changes resulting from the revisions

- Accounting Explanatory Note 1 amended to include a reference to the Teaching and Learning Guide.
- Health Deletion of unnecessary wording in Explanatory Note 3.
- Mathematics Removal of the reference to 'a range of' situations, methods or procedures from the Explanatory Notes, including the paragraph expanding on the

term. This information relates to teaching and learning programmes rather than to what will be assessed.

- Chemistry Deletion of 'iron(III)' from Explanatory Note 5.
- Science Deletion of 'iron(III)' from Explanatory Note 6.
- Geography Clarification of context for assessment in Explanatory Note 3. Although teaching and learning programmes relate to different countries and regions, the evidence presented for assessment does not need to relate to different countries or regions across examination questions: for example, if question one can be answered using New Zealand as the context, this does not preclude the use of Auckland as the context for the answer to question two.

The last date for assessment of the superseded version of externally assessed achievement standards is end of	December 2011
The last date for assessment of the superseded version of internally assessed achievement standards is end of	December 2012

List of affected standards

Business > Accounting > Accounting - Generic

ID	Ref	Title	Level	Credit
90976	Accounting	Demonstrate understanding of accounting	1	3
	1.1	concepts for small entities [Externally assessed]		
90977	Accounting	Process financial transactions for a small entity	1	5
	1.2			
90978	Accounting	Prepare financial statements for sole proprietors	1	5
	1.3	[Externally assessed]		
90979	Accounting	Prepare financial information for a community	1	4
	1.4	organisation's annual general meeting		
90980	Accounting	Interpret accounting information for sole	1	4
	1.5	proprietors [Externally assessed]		
90981	Accounting	Make a financial decision for an individual or	1	3
	1.6	group		
90982	Accounting	Demonstrate understanding of cash management	1	4
	1.7	for a small entity		

Humanities > Health and Physical Education > Health Education

ID	Ref	Title	Level	Credit
90974	Health 1.5	Demonstrate understanding of strategies for	1	4
		promoting positive sexuality		

Sciences > Mathematics

Domain	ID	Ref	Title	Level	Credit
Algebra	91027	Mathematics	Apply algebraic procedures in	1	4
		and	solving problems [Externally		
		Statistics 1.2	assessed]		
Geometry	91031	Mathematics	Apply geometric reasoning in	1	4
		and	solving problems [Externally		
		Statistics 1.6	assessed]		

Sciences > Statistics and Probability > Statistics

ID	Ref	Title	Level	Credit
91037	Mathematics and	Demonstrate understanding of chance	1	4
	Statistics 1.12	and data [Externally assessed]		

Sciences > Science

Domain	ID	Ref	Title	Level	Credit
Chemistry	90934	Chemistry	Demonstrate understanding of	1	4
		1.5	aspects of chemical reactions		
			[Externally assessed]		
Science -	90947	Science	Investigate selected chemical	1	4
Core		1.8	reactions		

Social Sciences > Social Science Studies > Geography

ID	Ref	Title	Level	Credit
91008	Geography	Demonstrate geographic understanding of	1	4
	1.2	population concepts [Externally assessed]		