

Field Arts and Crafts**Reinstatement and change of expiry date of *Signmaking* unit standards**

Subfield	Domain	ID
Graphic Arts	Signmaking	1031-1036, 1038-1061, 6989, 9132, 9133, 20192-20196

Competenz has completed the reinstatement and change of expiry date of the unit standards listed above.

Date new versions published

Month 2015

Planned expiry date

December 2016

Summary and main changes

In 2012 new unit standards were written to supersede these unit standards, however the new unit standards have been deemed unfit for use. Competenz have worked with subject matter experts from industry and developed a new set of unit standards. While they are being quality assured, and new resources are being developed for learning and assessment purposes, industry have chosen to continue using the unit standards noted above. As these standards expired at the end of December 2014 they have also been reinstated.

The qualifications that result from achieving these unit standards are also under review to align more with on-job practices that industry has identified.

Detailed list of unit standards – classification, title, level, and credits

All changes are in **bold**.

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Previous expiry date	New expiry date
1031	Demonstrate knowledge of the signmaking industry in New Zealand	2	8	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1032	Demonstrate safe working practices in signmaking	2	3	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1033	Prepare surfaces and apply coatings for signmaking	2	15	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1034	Design layouts for signs	2	20	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1035	Draw, layout, and paint-in letters	2	40	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1036	Embellish letters	3	20	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1038	Demonstrate safe working practices in the use of high level access equipment for signmaking work	3	3	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1039	Design and produce a visual presentation to client specifications	4	15	31/12/2014	31/12/2016

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1040	Produce scaled artwork and transfer full size to prepared surface	3	3	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1041	Render artwork to prepared surface	3	10	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1042	Prepare, cut out, and install dimensional signage	3	10	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1043	Produce computer generated vinyl layouts and graphics for signmaking	3	10	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1044	Produce computer generated images for vinyl graphics by digitising	3	3	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1045	Produce images for vinyl graphics by scanning	3	2	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1046	Apply vinyl graphics to smooth and non-smooth surfaces	2	5	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1047	Hand paint letters and graphics	3	40	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1048	Embellish signs	3	5	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1049	Survey a site for installation of a sign	4	3	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1050	Produce an illuminated sign	3	15	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1051	Complete glass and electrical work for a neon sign	4	40	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1052	Burn in the gas and complete a neon sign	4	30	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1053	Construct a sign	2	5	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1054	Oversee delivery of a sign	2	2	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1055	Install a non-electrical sign	3	5	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1056	Assemble and test electrical sign components and circuits	4	10	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1057	Install neon or illuminated signs	4	10	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1058	Construct, set up, and remove a three dimensional display or exhibit	4	20	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1059	Gild with metal leaf	4	15	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1060	Produce examples of calligraphy	4	15	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
1061	Create special effects using an airbrush and spray gun	3	20	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
6989	Prepare and submit a written quotation for the supply of a signmaking product, repair, or service	4	2	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
9132	Use hand and power tools required for signmaking	2	4	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
9133	Produce decorative finishes and make stencils for signmaking	4	10	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
20192	Mask and spray paint a surface for signmaking	3	5	31/12/2014	31/12/2016

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20193	Demonstrate knowledge of vinyl films used in signmaking	3	5	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
20194	Demonstrate knowledge of digital printers used for signmaking	3	2	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
20195	Demonstrate knowledge of graphic software as used in signmaking	3	2	31/12/2014	31/12/2016
20196	Demonstrate knowledge of screen printing for signs	3	2	31/12/2014	31/12/2016