

FIELD Arts and Crafts

Review of *Arts and Crafts* qualifications

National Certificate in Dance (Level 2) [Ref: 0594]
National Certificate in Dance (Level 3) [Ref: 0595]
National Certificate in Drama (Level 2) [Ref: 0596]
National Certificate in Drama (Level 3) [Ref: 0597]
National Certificate in Music (Level 2) [Ref: 0598]
National Certificate in Music (Level 3) [Ref: 0599]
National Certificate in Performing Arts General (Level 1) [Ref: 0605]
National Certificate in Performing Arts General (Level 2) [Ref: 0606]
National Certificate in Performing Arts General (Level 3) [Ref: 0607]
National Certificate in Performing Arts Technology (Level 2) [Ref: 0612]

Skills Active, on behalf of the Performing Arts Governance Group and NZQA National Qualifications Services, has completed the mandatory review of the qualifications listed above.

Replacement qualification

New Zealand Certificate in Performing Arts (Level 3) [Ref: 3419]

New qualifications

New Zealand Diploma in Audio Engineering and Production (Level 5) [Ref: 3422]
New Zealand Diploma in Audio Engineering and Production (Level 6) [Ref: 3423]
New Zealand Diploma in Costume Construction (Level 6) [Ref: 3424]
New Zealand Certificate in Dance (Level 4) [Ref: 3413]
New Zealand Diploma in Dance (Level 5) [Ref: 3425]
New Zealand Diploma in Dance (Level 4) [Ref: 3426]
New Zealand Certificate in DJ and Electronic Music Production (Level 4) [Ref: 3414]
New Zealand Diploma in DJ and Electronic Music Production (Level 5) [Ref: 3427]
New Zealand Certificate in Drama (Level 4) [Ref: 3415]
New Zealand Diploma in Drama (Level 5) [Ref: 3428]
New Zealand Diploma in Drama (Level 6) [Ref: 3429]
New Zealand Certificate in Entertainment and Event Operations (Level 3) [Ref: 3416]
New Zealand Certificate in Entertainment and Event Technology (Level 4) with strands in Entertainment Rigging, Lighting, Live Sound, Video, Stage Management, Stage Mechanics and Scenic Construction [Ref: 3417]
New Zealand Diploma in Entertainment and Event Technology (Level 6) with strands in Entertainment Rigging, Lighting, Live Sound, Video, Stage Management, Stage Mechanics and Scenic Construction [Ref: 3430]
New Zealand Certificate in Performing Arts (Level 4) [Ref: 3420]
New Zealand Diploma in Performing Arts (Level 5) [Ref: 3433]
New Zealand Diploma in Performing Arts (Level 6) [Ref: 3434]
New Zealand Certificate in Music (Level 4) [Ref: 3418]
New Zealand Diploma in Music (Level 5) [Ref: 3431]
New Zealand Diploma in Music (Level 6) [Ref: 3432]
New Zealand Diploma in Performing Arts Technical Production (Level 6) [Ref: 3436]
New Zealand Diploma in Scenic Construction and Properties (Level 6) [Ref: 3437]

Date replacement qualifications listed

August 2017

The next qualification review is planned to take place by December 2022.

Summary of review and consultation process

During 2013-2016, a mandatory sector review of qualifications in the Performing Arts sector occurred. The review encompassed broad consultation with industry and training provider stakeholders to ensure that the new qualifications meet current and future needs.

The review resulted in the recommendation that a number of new qualifications across a range of Performing Arts disciplines such as Dance, Drama, Music, DJ and Audio Engineering, as well as new technical qualifications for Entertainment Technicians, Costume Construction and Technical Production, should be listed.

With the exception of the four Level 3 national qualifications listed above, the national qualifications will not be replaced directly with New Zealand qualifications.

Main changes resulting from the review

National Certificate in Dance (Level 3) [Ref: 0595]
National Certificate in Drama (Level 3) [Ref: 0597]
National Certificate in Music (Level 3) [Ref: 0599]
National Certificate in Performing Arts General (Level 3) [Ref: 0607]
replaced by
New Zealand Certificate in Performing Arts (Level 3) [Ref: 3419]

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Transition

The last date for entry into programmes leading to these qualifications is 31 December 2019, when the qualifications will be designated expiring.

The last date for assessments to take place for these qualifications is 31 December 2021 when the qualifications will be discontinued.

People currently working towards one of the replaced qualifications may complete the requirements by 31 December 2021 or transfer to a replacement qualification.

National Certificate in Performing Arts Technology (Level 2) [Ref: 0612]

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Transition

Ref: 0612 will not be replaced. The qualification is currently unachievable and there has been no reported usage since 2013. This qualification will therefore be discontinued with immediate effect.

It is anticipated that no existing candidates will be disadvantaged by the transition arrangements specified for national qualifications above. However, anyone who feels that they have been disadvantaged may appeal to Skills Active at the address below:

Skills Active Aotearoa
PO Box 2183
Wellington 6140

Telephone 04 385 9047
Email info@skillsactive.org.nz

Key to Qualification Review Categories

Category A The qualification is published as a new version with the same NZQF 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 NZQF 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
Category C A new (replacement) qualification is published with new NZQF ID	Transition arrangements are required if candidates must gain additional/different credits for the new version
	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
Category D Qualification will expire. There is no replacement qualification	Transition arrangements are required
	Transition may be limited to phase-out dates
	Qualification is no longer required by industry
	The qualification is designated as expiring and a last date for meeting the qualification requirements is set