

Field Social Sciences

Revision and rollover of *Sociology* unit standards

Subfield	Domain	ID
Social Science Studies	Sociology	8989-8991, 8993-8995, 8997-8999, 9001-9003, 9005-9007, 28119-28121

NZQA National Qualifications Services has completed the revision and rollover of the unit standards listed above.

Date new versions published

September 2018

Planned review date

December 2021

Summary

Following confirmation from stakeholders that a full review of the Sociology unit standards was unnecessary, the standards were revised, and rolled over to extend their currency on the Directory of Assessment Standards.

Main changes

- The merit and/or excellence grading criteria were revised (but not changed) in standards 8994-8995, 8998-8999, and 28120-28121, to allow for more holistic assessment. These revisions have the strong support of stakeholders.
- All standards were revised to conform to the new required format and nomenclature.
- The planned review date was rolled over to December 2021.
- The standards were transferred from CMR 119 to CMR 226.