

Field: Education Support

Change report for the review of Education Support New Zealand Qualifications

Reviewed qualifications

[Ref]	Version	Qualification title	Level	Credits
2761	1	New Zealand Certificate in Education Support	4	40
2962	1	New Zealand Certificate in Education Support and Care	3	40

Review information

Qualification Developer	Taranaki Educare Training Trust
Reason for the review	Scheduled review
Review date	December 2021
Outcome date	September 2022
Next review date	September 2027
Summary of review and consultation process	
<p>Taranaki Educare Training Trust reviewed the Education Support qualifications in collaboration with and on behalf of its stakeholders, including schools, early childhood settings and providers teaching these qualifications. The purpose of the review was to ensure the suite remains relevant to current and future learners, is fit for purpose and meets the needs of their communities, wider organisations, employers and volunteers.</p> <p>The review aimed to identify any anomalies and ensure clarity, consistency and coherence and confirm the relevance and currency of the qualifications.</p> <p>The needs analysis which informed the initial development of these qualifications remains current. Changes to strengthen the qualifications were supported by stakeholders.</p>	
Main changes resulting from the review	
<p>Changes for both qualifications:</p> <p>The qualification Graduate Profile Outcomes were updated.</p> <p>The General conditions for programme were updated to include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Basic te reo Māori, tikanga Māori, mātauranga Māori and te ao Māori. Mandatory Practicum hours, set at 120 (minimum) <p>The updates strengthen the qualifications without changing their intent.</p>	

Review outcome

Reference	Version	Reviewed qualification	Outcome category	New qualification details/version (if applicable)
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2761	1	New Zealand Certificate in Education Support (Level 4)	<i>B-New version of qualification</i>	2761-2
2962	1	New Zealand Certificate in Education Support and Care (Level 3)	<i>B-New version of qualification</i>	2962-2

Qualification review outcome categories

Outcome	Result	Category
No changes are identified to the qualification	Qualification version number and NZQF ID remain the same. New review date is required.	A
Minor changes are identified to the qualification	New version of qualification is required (NZQF ID remains the same). New review date is required.	B
Significant changes are required to the qualification	New replacement qualification is required with a new NZQF ID. The existing qualification will expire.	C
The qualification is no longer required by industry	The qualification will expire with no replacement.	D

Transition information

Reference	Version	Qualification title	Last date of entry*	Last date of assessment
2761	1	New Zealand Certificate in Education Support (Level 4)	N/A	31/12/2024
2962	1	New Zealand Certificate in Education Support and Care (Level 3)	N/A	31/12/2024

*only required for outcome category C or D

Any additional information

Any person who considers they have been disadvantaged by these transition arrangements may appeal to the address below.

Appeals will be considered on a case-by-case basis.

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