

Field: Education

Change report for the republication of Early Childhood Education and Early Parenting Education New Zealand Qualifications

Republished qualifications

Ref	Version	Title	Level	Credits
2849	2	New Zealand Certificate in Early Childhood Education and Care	3	60
2850	2	New Zealand Certificate in Early Childhood Education and Care	4	60
2851	2	New Zealand Diploma in Early Childhood Education and Care	5	120
2887	2	New Zealand Diploma in Pregnancy, Childbirth and Early Parenting Education	5	120

Review information

Qualification Developer	Toitū te Waiora Community, Health, Education, and Social Services Workforce Development Council			
Reason for the republication	To extend the last dates of assessment for superseded versions of these qualifications			
Outcome date	September 2023			
Next review date	March 2026	New Zealand Certificate in Early Childhood Education and Care (Level 3)		
	April 2026	New Zealand Certificate in Early Childhood Education and Care (Level 4)		
		New Zealand Diploma in Early Childhood Education and Care (Level 5)		

Summary of development/review and consultation process

Toitū te Waiora Community, Health, Education and Social Services Workforce Development Council received a request from Te Pūkenga to extend the Last Date of Assessment (LDA) for superseded versions for the qualifications listed above.

The extension of the LDA for these versions to 31 December 2025 is to ensure that ākonga are not disadvantaged during Te Pūkenga's unification process.

Main changes resulting from the development/review process

New Zealand Certificate in Early Childhood Education and Care (Level 3) [Ref: 2849]

- The last date of assessment for version 1 of this qualification has been extended from 31 December 2023 to 31 December 2025.
- Transition information updated to include SSB details.

New Zealand Certificate in Early Childhood Education and Care (Level 4) [Ref: 2850]

- The last date of assessment for version 1 of this qualification has been extended from 31 December 2023 to 31 December 2025.
- Transition information updated to include SSB details.

New Zealand Diploma in Early Childhood Education and Care (Level 5) [Ref: 2851]

- The last date of assessment for version 1 of this qualification has been extended from 31 December 2023 to 31 December 2025.
- Transition information updated to include SSB details.

New Zealand Diploma in Pregnancy, Childbirth and Early Parenting Education (Level 5) [Ref: 2887]

- The last date of assessment for version 1 of this qualification has been extended from 31 December 2024 to 31 December 2025.
- The last date of assessment version 2 of this qualification has been extended for from 31 December 2024 to 31 December 2025.
- The last date of entry to version 1 of this qualification has been extended from 31 December 2023 to 31 December 2024.
- Transition information updated to include SSB details.

Version 2 of these qualifications have been republished to reflect these dates.

Transition information

Ref:	Qualification title	Last date of entry*	Last date of assessment
2849-1	New Zealand Certificate in Early Childhood Education and Care (Level 3)	N/A	31 December 2025
2850-1	New Zealand Certificate in Early Childhood Education and Care (Level 4)	N/A	31 December 2025
2851-1	New Zealand Diploma in Early Childhood Education and Care (Level 5)	N/A	31 December 2025
2887-1	New Zealand Diploma in Pregnancy, Childbirth and Early Parenting Education (Level 5)	31 December 2024	31 December 2025
2887-2	New Zealand Diploma in Pregnancy, Childbirth and Early Parenting Education (Level 5)	N/A	31 December 2025

^{*}only required for outcome category C or D

Any additional information

It is anticipated that no existing candidates will be disadvantaged by these transition arrangements. However, anyone who feels that they have been disadvantaged may appeal to Toitū te Waiora Community, Health, Education and Social Services Workforce Development Council at the address below. Appeals will be considered on a case-by case basis.

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