

Field Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries

Registration of *Wool Harvesting* skill standards

Muka Tangata People Food and Fibre Workforce Development Council has registered new skill standards in the *Shearing* and *Wool Handling* domains.

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Planned review date

December 2029

Summary

The skill standards listed below were developed alongside four micro-credentials for the Wool Harvesting industry. The project was overseen by advisory groups comprised of representatives from the wool harvesting industry and from formal and non-formal providers. Consultation with these groups and with wider industry began in September 2023. A wānanga and a series of hui were held between September 2023 and May 2024, through which feedback was gathered and incorporated into the standards.

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

All changes are in **bold**.

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ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
40148	Dag and crutch sheep	3	3	NEW
40149	Shear sheep safely unassisted	3	3	NEW
40150	Shear crossbred sheep at commercial through-put rate	3	30	NEW

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ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
40151	Perform wool handling tasks in a team environment	3	20	NEW
40152	Pen up sheep, prepare a wool press and press wool safely	3	25	NEW