

Title	Apply zero waste principles in a workplace		
Level	2	Credits	4

Purpose	<p>This unit standard is for people working in any industry.</p> <p>People credited with this unit standard are able to apply zero waste principles in a workplace.</p>
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Classification	Zero Waste > Zero Waste Theory and Practice
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

References relevant to this unit standard include but are not limited to *The New Zealand Waste Strategy: Reducing Harm, Improving Efficiency* 2010 Ministry for the Environment, available at <http://www.mfe.govt.nz>.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Apply zero waste principles in a workplace.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Recoverable resources are identified in terms of workplace waste stream.

Range resources include but are not limited to – solid waste, liquid waste, water, energy; evidence is required of any two streams.
- 1.2 Application outlines practical steps for the reduction, and/or reuse, and/or recovery of resources.

Range evidence is required for five resources.
- 1.3 Application sorts recoverable resources within a workplace.

Range at least three of – paper, plastic, glass, metal, food, one other.
- 1.4 Application ensures that waste is reduced or eliminated.

Range involving – own behaviour, consultation with employer and/or fellow employees.

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Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	26 January 2007	N/A
Rollover and Revision	2	28 March 2019	N/A

Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference	0014
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Comments on this unit standard

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