

<b>Title</b>	<b>Erect and maintain working platform systems for painting and decorating</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>8</b>

<b>Purpose</b>	<p>This general unit standard is for people working in the painting and decorating sector.</p> <p>People credited with this unit standard are able to: plan and prepare to erect working platform systems; inspect work site for erecting working platform systems; erect a working platform system; and inspect a working platform system.</p>
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<b>Classification</b>	Construction Trades > Painting and Decorating
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<b>Available grade</b>	Achieved
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### Guidance Information

- 1 Legislation and references relevant to this unit standard include – Health and Safety in Employment Act 1992; Resource Management Act 1991; Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act 1996; available at <http://legislation.govt.nz>; AS/NZS 2311:2009 *Guide to the painting of buildings*, available at <http://www.standards.co.nz/>.
- 2 **Definition**  
*Worksite requirements* refer to job instructions to candidate on agreed work to be carried out.
- 3 This unit standard must be assessed against in a realistic workplace environment. The candidate must be under realistic time pressures, and use relevant commercial equipment and approved industry techniques.
- 4 Evidence is required of the erection of working platform systems on five different jobs.

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### Outcomes and performance criteria

#### Outcome 1

Plan and prepare to erect working platform systems.

#### Performance criteria

- 1.1 Work instructions and operational details are obtained and confirmed in accordance with worksite requirements.

- 1.2 Safety instructions are followed in accordance with worksite and legislative requirements.
- 1.3 Signage and barricade requirements are identified and implemented in accordance with worksite and legislative requirements.
- 1.4 Tools and equipment are selected to meet the job requirements, and checked for serviceability prior to commencement of work in accordance with worksite requirements.
- 1.5 Any environmental requirements are identified in accordance with worksite and legislative requirements.

## **Outcome 2**

Inspect work site for erecting working platform systems.

### **Performance criteria**

- 2.1 Type of working platform system required is identified in accordance with worksite requirements.
- 2.2 Work area is cleaned of rubbish or unnecessary materials in accordance with worksite requirements.
- 2.3 Risks to other workers, power supply and other services are assessed in accordance with worksite requirements.
- 2.4 Access to erected working platform is planned in accordance with worksite and legislative requirements.
- 2.5 Access to products and tools from the working platform is planned in accordance with worksite and legislative requirements.

## **Outcome 3**

Erect a working platform system.

### **Performance criteria**

- 3.1 Working platform system is selected for the specific job in accordance with worksite and legislative requirements.
- 3.2 Working platform system components are collected and located at the work site in accordance with worksite requirements.
- 3.3 Working platform is inspected for serviceability in accordance with worksite and legislative requirements.
- 3.4 Working platform is positioned for the work and the platform to be used is in accordance with worksite and legislative requirements.

- 3.5 Working platform is fitted at the required height in accordance with worksite and legislative requirements.

#### Outcome 4

Inspect a working platform system.

#### Performance criteria

- 4.1 Working platform is inspected before and during use in accordance with worksite and legislative requirements.
- 4.2 Any faults found are reported to supervisor and rectified or system is labelled to prevent use pending repair, in accordance with worksite requirements.

**This unit standard is expiring. Assessment against the standard must take place by the last date for assessment set out below.**

#### Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	18 August 2011	31 December 2016
Review	2	19 February 2015	31 December 2026
Review	3	24 April 2025	31 December 2028

#### Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference

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This CMR can be accessed at <http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/framework/search/index.do>.