

Finish plaster board areas

Level 2

Credits 6

Purpose People credited with this unit standard are able to: hand stop and finish plaster board joints to walls and ceilings, and right angle corners up to AS/NZS 2589.1 Level 4 standard of finish; and clean up after work is completed.

Subfield Construction Trades

Domain Plaster Board

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Accreditation Evaluation of documentation and visit by NZQA and industry.

Standard setting body (SSB) Building and Construction Industry Training Organisation

Accreditation and Moderation Action Plan (AMAP) reference 0048

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

Special notes

- 1 Definition
Specifications refers to documented instructions (oral, written, graphic) and may include any of the following: manufacturer's specifications or recommendations; material specifications; specifications from a specialist source such as an architect, designer, engineer, or a supervisor; site or work specific requirements.
- 2 Credit for this unit standard can be achieved on site through a registered assessor, or off site with an accredited training provider.

- 3 All work practices must comply with the following:
Health and Safety in Employment Act 1992;
Health and Safety in Employment Regulations 1995;
Resource Management Act 1991;
Building Act 2004;
AS/NZS 2589:2007 *Gypsum linings - Application and finishing*, available from Standards NZ (<http://www.standards.co.nz>);
Approved Code of Practice for the Safe Erection and Use of Scaffolding (Wellington: Occupational Safety and Health Service, Department of Labour, 1995) available at <http://www.osh.govt.nz>.

Elements and performance criteria

Element 1

Hand stop and finish plaster board joints to walls and ceilings, and right angle corners up to AS/NZS 2589 Level 4 standard of finish.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Level 4 finish is identified according to standard AS/NZS 2589.
- 1.2 Access for wall and ceiling areas is arranged and complies with the Health and Safety in Employment Regulations 1995.
- 1.3 Base compound is prepared and applied by hand according to the manufacturer's recommendations.
- 1.4 Jointing tapes are applied according to the manufacturer's recommendations.
- 1.5 Finishing compound is prepared and applied to meet level of finish specified.
- 1.6 Surfaces are finished to meet the manufacturer's specifications.
- 1.7 All operations are completed without damage to the workplace, tools, or plant.

Element 2

Clean up after work is completed.

Performance criteria

- 2.1 Tools and plant are maintained, cleaned, and stored in accordance with site practice.
- 2.2 Waste material is disposed of and workplace is cleaned in accordance with site practice.

Please note

Providers must be accredited by NZQA, or an inter-institutional body with delegated authority for quality assurance, before they can report credits from assessment against unit standards or deliver courses of study leading to that assessment.

Industry Training Organisations must be accredited by NZQA before they can register credits from assessment against unit standards.

Accredited providers and Industry Training Organisations assessing against unit standards must engage with the moderation system that applies to those standards.

Accreditation requirements and an outline of the moderation system that applies to this standard are outlined in the Accreditation and Moderation Action Plan (AMAP). The AMAP also includes useful information about special requirements for organisations wishing to develop education and training programmes, such as minimum qualifications for tutors and assessors, and special resource requirements.

Comments on this unit standard

Please contact the Building and Construction Industry Training Organisation national.office@bcito.org.nz if you wish to suggest changes to the content of this unit standard.