Title	Demonstrate knowledge of plant nomenclature		
Level	2	Credits	5

Purpose	This unit standard is for people working, or intending to work, in horticulture. People credited with this unit standard are able to: state how plant names are given or changed; use correct nomenclature for naming plants; and identify unfamiliar plants.

Classification	Horticulture > Production Horticulture

Available grade	Achieved

Guidance Information

International Code of Botanical Nomenclature is available at http://www.bgbm.org.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

State how plant names are given or changed.

Performance criteria

1.1   Give two codes for naming plants.

1.2   List reasons for re-naming a plant.

Outcome 2

Use correct nomenclature for naming plants.

Range   common name, generic name, specific or species name, subspecies, Māori name, cultivar, synonym, varieties, hybrid (interspecific or intergeneric).

Performance criteria

2.1   Correctly name thirty plants.

2.2   Write plant nomenclature according to International Code of Botanical Nomenclature.

Outcome 3

Identify unfamiliar plants.

Performance criteria

3.1   Identify four unfamiliar plants using plant identification keys.

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Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference	0032

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

Comments on this unit standard

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