### **NCEA Information Evening**

#### 28 March 2023



#### Welcome

Mr James Heneghan Deputy Principal (Curriculum)



Mrs Jac Beasleigh Deputy Principal (Principal's Nominee)





### Housekeeping

#### Emergency exits Restrooms



# NCEA Timeline

The statements below are currently accurate.

The current version of NCEA is being phased out between 2024 and 2026.

- Students who are in Year 11 and above in 2023 will be under the current version.
- Students who are in Year 10 in 2023 will complete NCEA under the revised version.

**Our session tonight is about the current version of NCEA** 



#### NCEA Certificate Requirements for Level 1, 2 and 3

Level 1 NCEA	Level 2 NCEA	Level 3 NCEA	University Entrance
LEVEL 1 <i>(or above)</i> minimum 80 Credits	LEVEL 1 (or above) 20 credits	LEVEL 2 (or above) 20 credits	LEVEL 2 <i>(or above)</i> 20 credits
	LEVEL 2 (or above) minimum 60 Credits	LEVEL 3 (or above) minimum 60 Credits	LEVEL 3 (or above) minimum 60 Credits
	minimum 60 Creaits		Numeracy Level 1 or above 10 credits
			Literacy in Reading Level 2 or above/EAP Level 4 5 credits
			Literacy in Writing Level 2 or above/EAP Level 4 5 credits
Numeracy Level 1 or above 10 credits	Numeracy Level 1 or above 10 credits	Numeracy Level 1 or above 10 credits	Uni Approved Subject 1 Min 14 credits
Literacy Level 1 or above 10 credits	Literacy Level 1 or above 10 credits	Literacy Level 1 or above 10 credits	Uni Approved Subject 2 Min 14 credits
			Uni Approved Subject 3 Min 14 credits

# ENDORSEMENT?

#### **Certificate endorsement**

e.g. NCEA Level 1 with Merit

- Multiple courses
- Multiple years
- 50 cr at E = excellence
- 50 cr at M/E = merit
- Credits can come from higher level

#### **Course endorsement**

#### e.g. L2ADS with Merit

- Singe course
- Single year
- 14 cr at E = excellence
- 14 cr at M/E = merit
- Min 3 cr each from external & internal (n/a for PED & L3 Visual Arts)



#### Contacts

#### <u>Deans</u>

Y11 - Miss Kiaya Lupi & Mrs Liz Van Greuning

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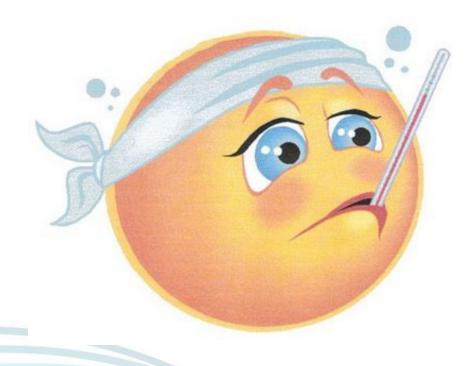
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### Absent for an internal assessment?



- Students with a valid reason for absence should complete a missed assessment application
- Information in the student NZQA channel of the Student Services Team
- Contact Subject Teacher, Year Level Dean or Principal's Nominee if further help is needed



# Missing an External Exam?

- The external exams are in term 4
- There is a process to obtain a derived grade
- See <u>NZQA website --> what is a derived</u> grade for more information
- Contact Mrs Beasleigh (Principal's Nominee) if you have further questions











# What is NCEA?

- National Certificate in Educational Achievement
- NZ secondary qualification Y11 to Y13 students
- Overseen by NZQA (New Zealand Qualifications Authority)
- Unique because:
  - Standards based
  - Flexible
  - Allows for different styles of assessment



### How NCEA works

 <u>https://www.nzqa.govt.nz/ncea/understa</u> <u>nding-ncea/how-ncea-works/</u>



# Basics of NCEA

- 3 levels of certificate
  - Level 1 need 80 credits are L1 or higher
  - Level 2 need 80 credits (60 at L2 or higher and 20 credits at L1)
  - Level 3 need 80 credits (60 at L3 or higher and 20 credits at L2)
- Must have 10 Level 1 Numeracy & 10 Level 1 Literacy to get any certificate
  - Standards with Lit & Num can be found in many subjects
- Both Unit Standards (US) and Achievement Standards (AS) counts towards NCEA



### NCEA Exams

#### School exams

- 7 to 14 September 2023
- Practice for external exams
- Grades can be used for externals if a derived grade is needed
- Workshops for internal assessments also take place during this time

NZQA exams

- 6 to 30 November 2023
- Assessment of external achievement standards
- Only opportunity to sit these standards each year

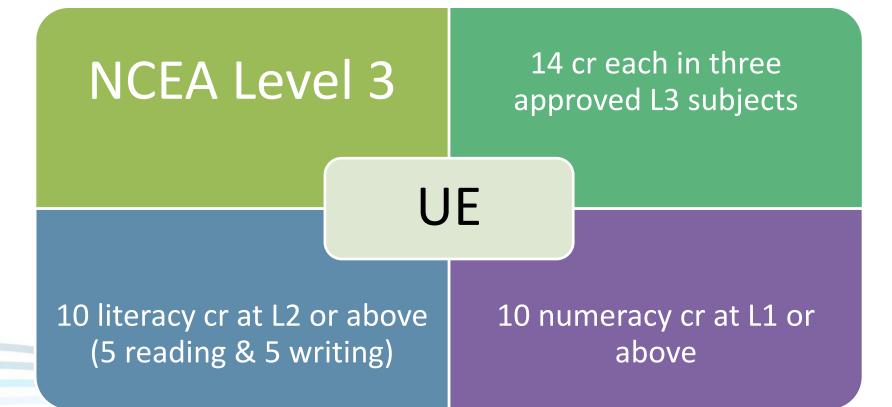


# But what about UE?

- Additional qualification
- Minimum requirement for university entrance (many courses have extra)
- Year 13 students
- Requires study of at least 3 or more University Approved subjects (AS based courses)



#### **University Entrance Requirements**





### ENDORSEMENT?

Year Type Reference	Endorsement Level	Achievement
2019 Q 0973	2	National Certificate of Educational Achievement (Level 2)
2018 Q 0928 🤇	Merit 1	National Certificate of Educational Achievement (Level 1)
2019 O UEL		University Entrance Literacy
2018 O L1N		NCEA Level 1 Numeracy
2018 O L1L		NCEA Level 1 Literacy
2018 O UEN		University Entrance Numeracy
2019 C L2DIT	no	L2 Digital Technologies
2019 C L2ESS	no	L2 Earth and Space Science
2019 C L2ENG	no	L2 English In Context
2019 C L2PHY	no	L2 Physics
2019 C L2MTH	00	L2 Coneral Mathematics
2019 C L2ADS	Merit 2	L2 Design



# Not an endorsed subject

- US credits count towards NCEA certificate
- AS credits also count towards endorsement of NCEA certificate
- A subject (course) is not endorseable when:
  - Doesn't have AS worth 14 cr
  - And/or doesn't have min 3 cr internal and external (exceptions to this – L3 Visual Art and all PED courses)



# NZQA Scholarship

Scholarship candidates are expected to demonstrate high-level <u>critical thinking</u>, <u>abstraction</u> and <u>generalisation</u>, and to <u>integrate</u>, <u>synthesise</u> and apply knowledge, skills, understanding, and ideas to <u>complex</u> situations.



# NZQA Scholarship

- Not part of NCEA but also run by NZQA
- Exam, Portfolio or Report
- Competitive with monetary rewards
- Does not contribute to UE
- Can be taken by any secondary student
  - E.g. Year 12 & then again in Year 13



# NZQA Scholarship – how?

- 3 to 5 questions/components marked on 0-8 scale
  - 8 = outstanding answer
  - 1 = meagre understanding
  - 0 = blank/irrelevant
- Approx 3 % of Y13 students studying the subject at Level 3 will be awarded with scholarship
  - Provided they reach the standard



#### Assessment Statement

- All subjects have an assessment statement
- Can be found in class notebook (online) or contact teacher
- Contains important assessment information and dates

Standard Number	Version	Level	Credits	Lit/Num	Title	Assessment Method	Number of Checkpoints (minimum 2)	Checkpoint Weeks eg Veek 5 Term 1	Assessment Date eg Week 7 Term 1	Further Assessment opportunity Date
E 90944	4	1	4	1	Demonstrate understanding of aspects of acids and bases	NZQA Exam	2	T2W9 T3W3	November	Nil
E 90948	4	1	4	lit	Demonstrate understanding of biological ideas relating to genetic variation	NZQA Exam	2	T3W7 T4W2	November	Nil
E 90940	4	1	4	num	Demonstrate understanding of aspects of mechanics	NZQA Exam	2	T1W10 T2W2	November	Nil
90952	3	1	4	lit	Demonstrate understanding of surface features of New Zealand	Topic test	2	T1W3 T1W6	9 <sup>th</sup> March	Nil
90935	3	1	4	num	Carry out a physics investigation that leads to a linear mathematical relationship, with direction.	Formal practical and write up	2	T3W8 T4W2	24 <sup>th</sup> – 26 <sup>th</sup> October	Nil
AS 90	9 <mark>44 –</mark> F	ormat	ive <mark>ass</mark> es	sment	Demonstrate understanding of aspects of acids and bases	School exam	1	/	T3 W8	Nil
AS 90948– Formative assessment		sment	Demonstrate understanding of biological ideas relating to genetic variation	School exam	1	/	T3 W8	Nil		
AS 90940 – Formative assessment		sment	Demonstrate understanding of aspects of mechanics	School exam	1	1	T3 W8	nil		

Derived Grade - Importance of internal tests and formative assessments as they are used to generate the Derived Grade, if required.

School Assessment Procedures - You can view your rights and obligations under the school's assessment procedures on the schools intranet.

Qualifications - You can see what qualifications the school offers and what qualification(s) this course leads towards on the schools website, Intranet and NZQA. Also you can see the courses, pathways, requirements for certificate endorsement, exclusion list of standards, and details on credit inclusion. NZQA - For a range of information on the National Certificate of Educational Achievement, University Entrance, and Scholarship go to <a href="http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/ncea/index.html">http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/ncea/index.html</a>

