

ODE3: Level 3 Outdoor Education 2018

PRIMARY INDUSTRIES	SERVICE INDUSTRIES	SOCIAL & COMMUNITY SERVICES	MANUFACTURING & TECHNOLOGY	CONSTRUCTION & INFRASTRUCTURE	CREATIVE INDUSTRIES	ACADEMIC PATHWAY
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Course name:	Level 3 Outdoor Education	Course code:	ODE3	NQF Level:	3
Pre-requisites:	All student's will be considered. Final entry is at the discretion of the Curriculum Leaders.				
Course description:	<p>Level 3 Outdoor Education students can choose a University Entry Achievement Standard course, an Outdoor Pursuits focused Unit Standard course or a mixture of both.</p> <p>Students will be challenged in a range of outdoor activities that they choose, including; rock climbing, abseiling, kayaking, river crossing, bush survival and mountaineering. While gaining these technical skills students will also learn about; safety management, leadership, group dynamics, environmental sustainability and responsible practices. This learning takes place in river, bush, rock and mountain environments as well as in classroom theory lessons.</p> <p>These activities take part on weekly afternoon activities and on overnight and out of school trips. Students must be committed to these activities and trips throughout the year.</p>				

Achievement Standards that could be chosen:

Code number	Version number	Topic or title	AS/US	Level	Credit value	Reassessment opportunity	L1 Lit / Num	Summative assessment
91504 (3.7)	1	Safety management for outdoor activities	AS	3	3	Yes		Term 1
91789 (3.9)	1	Strategies for outdoor activities	AS	3	4	Yes		Term 2
91505 (3.8)	1	Outdoor leadership	AS	3	4	Yes	L	Term 2/3
91504 (3.4)	1	Performance of an outdoor activity	AS	3	4	Yes		Term 3/4

Unit Standards that could be chosen:

Code number	Version number	Topic or title	AS/US	Level	Credit value	L1 Lit / Num	Formative assessment:
427	11	River crossing	US	3	2		Term 1
20146	1	Outdoor leadership	US	3	13		Term 2
430	6	Bush survival	US	3	3		Term 2
20150	3	Rock climbing	US	3	5		Term 3
20149	2	Lead climbing	US	3	3		Term 3
428	7	Tramping skills	US	3	14		Full Year

Please note:

- For achievement standards, these grades may be earned: Excellence, Merit, Achieved or Not Achieved
- For Unit Standards, these grades may be earned: Not Achieved or Achieved.
- Student's will not be able to sit all of these standards and will need to chose an appropriate programme at the beginning of the year.

Outdoor Activities

Students will need to commit themselves to **an afternoon every week** when they work through the afternoon starting at 2:15 p.m. and generally finishing between 5:00 and 6:00 p.m. The afternoon **must be kept free** from jobs, sports practices, appointments, social events, etc. There will be some multi-day trips that students can choose from. A financial contribution will be ask for toward these multi-day trips.

Financial Assistance

Financial assistance is available to help with course costs. Please contact the Outdoor Education Curriculum Leader for information.

Assessment policy and procedures:

In accordance with NZQA regulations and school policy, all students need to follow the policies outlined in the 'Otaki College National Assessment Information for Students'. Electronic copies are available at www.otakicollege.school.nz/academic/ncea-information

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