



Education Report: Gazetting the NELP and the TES

То:	Hon Chris Hipkins, Minister of Education		
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Purpose of report

The purpose of this paper is for you to:

- **Sign** the attached *New Zealand Gazette* notice, provided in English and te reo Māori (Annex 1), to issue the NELP and the TES.
- Return the signed notice to the Ministry of Education by 14 September, for publication in the Gazette on Thursday, 17 September.
- Agree that the Ministry provide a copy of the NELP and TES under embargo to peak bodies one day prior to the official launch of the NELP and TES.

Summary

- 1. Under the Education and Training Act 2020 (the Act), the Minister of Education may, by notice in the *New Zealand Gazette* (the *Gazette*), issue a Statement of National Education and Learning Priorities (NELP) for early childhood education, primary education, and secondary education.
- 2. Also under the Act, the Minister of Education must, by notice in the *Gazette*, issue a Tertiary Education Strategy (TES) that sets out the Government's long-term strategic direction for tertiary education, which must include economic goals, social goals, environmental goals, the development aspirations of Māori and other population groups; and current and medium-term priorities for tertiary education.
- 3. Following broad consultation on the draft NELP and TES in 2019 (METIS 1205230 and 1214917 refer) as required by the Act, a final NELP and TES were endorsed by the Cabinet Social Wellbeing Committee on 5 August 2020 [SWC-20-MIN-0130].
- 4. A joint *Gazette* notice issuing the final NELP and TES is attached in English and te reo Māori (Annex 1) for you to sign.

- 5. We intend to publish this notice in the *Gazette* on Thursday, 17 September, assuming we can forward the signed notice for publication two working days prior to publication date.
- 6. The Ministry recommends providing the NELP and TES to peak bodies, under embargo, one day in advance of the official launch, to ensure they have time to familiarise themselves with the content, and to prepare to respond to queries from places of learning.

Recommended Actions

The Ministry of Education recommends that you:

a. **agree** to issue the final Statement of National Education and Learning Priorities 2020 (NELP) and the Tertiary Education Strategy 2020 (TES)

Agree Disagree

- b. sign the attached New Zealand Gazette notice (Annex), issuing the NELP and TES
- c. **return** the signed notice to the Ministry of Education by Monday, 14 September, for publication in the *Gazette* on Thursday, 17 September
- d. **agree** to the Ministry providing a copy of the NELP and TES to peak bodies under embargo one day in advance of publication

Agree Disagree

Proactive Release Recommendation

e. **agree** that this report is proactively released once the final NELP and TES have been published.

Agree Disagree

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Minister of Education

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Annex 1: New Zealand Gazette notice to issue the Statement of National Education and Learning Priorities and the Tertiary Education Strategy

Notice of Statement of National Education and Learning Priorities 2020

Under section 5(1) of the Education and Training Act 2020, the Minister of Education gives notice of the Statement of National Education and Learning Priorities 2020 as follows.

Notice

- 1. This notice may be cited as the Statement of National Education and Learning Priorities Notice 2020.
- 2. Under section 5(1) of the Education and Training Act, as the Minister of Education, I now issue the Statement of National Education and Learning Priorities 2020 ('the Statement').
- 3. The Statement sets out the priorities for early childhood education, primary education, and secondary education.
- 4. The Statement takes effect on Thursday, 17 September, 2020.
- 5. The Statement can be viewed and downloaded from the Ministry of Education website at https://www.education.govt.nz/our-work/overall-strategies-and-policies/the-statement-of-national-education-and-learning-priorities-nelp-and-the-tertiary-education-strategy-tes

Notice of the Tertiary Education Strategy 2020

Under section 7(1) of the Education and Training Act 2020, the Minister of Education gives notice of the Tertiary Education Strategy 2020 as follows.

Notice

- 1. This notice may be cited as the Tertiary Education Strategy Notice 2020.
- 2. Under section 7(1) of the Education and Training Act, as the Minister of Education, I now issue the Tertiary Education Strategy 2020 ('the Strategy').
- 3. The Strategy sets out the Government's:
 - (a) long-term strategic direction for tertiary education, including—
 - (i) economic goals:
 - (ii) social goals:
 - (iii) environmental goals:
 - (iv) the development aspirations of Māori and other population groups; and
 - (b) current and medium-term priorities for tertiary education.
- 4. Under section 7(2) of the Education and Training Act 2020, I revoke the Tertiary Education Strategy 2014-2019* and replace it with the new Tertiary Education Strategy 2020 issued under paragraph 2 of this notice.
- 5. The Tertiary Education Strategy 2020 can be viewed and downloaded from the Ministry of Education website at https://www.education.govt.nz/our-work/overall-strategies-and-policies/the-statement-of-national-education-and-learning-priorities-nelp-and-the-tertiary-education-strategy-tes

Dated at Wellington this 14th day of September, 2020 (insert date the notice is signed)

HON CHRIS HIPKINS, Minister of Education

*New Zealand Gazette, 3 April 2014, No. 36, page 1043

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Pānui o te Tauākī o Ngā Kaupapa Matua Ā-Motu mō te Mātauranga me te Ako 2020

I raro i te tekihana 5(1) o te Ture Education me te Training, e tuku ana te Minita o te Mātauranga i te pānui mō ngā Te Tauākī o Ngā Kaupapa Matua ā-Motu mō te Mātauranga me te Ako 2020 e pēnei ana.

Pānui

- 1. Me tapa tēnei pānui i te Pānui o Te Tauākī o Ngā Kaupapa Matua Ā-Motu mō te Mātauranga me te Ako 2020.
- I raro i tekihana 5(1) o te Ture Education and Training, ko au te Minita o te Mātauranga, e tuku ana i Te Tauākī o Ngā Kaupapa Matua ā-Motu mō te Mātauranga me te Ako 2020 ('te Tauākī').
- 3. Ka whakaatu te Tauākī i ngā kaupapa matua mō te akoranga kōhungahunga, kura tuatahi, me te kura tuarua.
- 4. Ka mana te Tauākī hei te [Rāpare, 18 Mahuru, 2020 insert the date of effect specified in the Statement].
- 5. Ka taea te Tauākī te tiro me te tikiake i te pae tukutuku a te Tāhuhu o te Mātauranga ki https://www.education.govt.nz/our-work/overall-strategies-and-policies/the-statement-of-national-education-and-learning-priorities-nelp-and-the-tertiary-education-strategy-tes

Pānui mō te Rautaki Mātauranga Matua 2020

I raro i te tekihana 7(1) o te Ture Education and Training 2020, e whai ake nei te pānui a te Minita o te Mātauranga mō te Rautaki Mātauranga Matua 2020.

Pānui

- 1. Me tapa tēnei pānui i te Pānui o te Rautaki Mātauranga Matua 2020.
- 2. I raro i tekihana 7(1) o te Ture Education and Training, ko au te Minita o te Mātauranga, e tuku ana i te Rautaki Mātauranga Matua 2020 ('te Rautaki').
- 3. Ka whakatakoto te Rautaki i tā te Kāwanatanga:
 - (a) ahunga rautaki karioi mō te mātauranga matua, tae atu ki—
 - (i) ngā whāinga ohaoha:
 - (ii) ngā whāinga pāpori:
 - (iii) ngā whāinga taiao:
 - (iv) ngā wawata whakawhanake o ngāi Māori me ētahi atu rōpū taupori; ā,
 - (b) ngā kaupapa matua onāianei, mō te wā waenga hoki mō te mātauranga matua.
- 4. I raro i te tekihana 7(2) o te Ture Education and Training 2020, ka whakakore au i te Rautaki Mātauranga Matua 2014-2019*, ā, ka whakakapi ki te Rautaki Mātauranga Matua 2020 hou i tukuna i raro i kōwae 2 o tēnei pānui.
- 5. Ka taea te Rautaki Mātauranga Matua 2020 te tiro me te tikiake i te pae tukutuku a te Tāhuhu o te Mātauranga ki
- 6. https://www.education.govt.nz/our-work/overall-strategies-and-policies/the-statement-of-national-education-and-learning-priorities-nelp-and-the-tertiary-education-strategy-tes

I whakaritea te rā ki Te Whanganui-a-Tara i te rā 18 o Mahuru 2020 (insert date the notice is signed)

HONORE CHRIS HIPKINS, Minita o te Mātauranga

*Te Kāhiti o Aotearoa, 3 Paengawhāwhā 2014, Nama 36, whārangi 1043

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