

FLOATING FLOOR SYSTEMS

MICRO-CREDENTIAL SUMMARY

Title	Installing floating floor systems		
Level	3	Credits	40
Entry Requirements	The micro-credential is designed as a pre-trade credential to build interest in the flooring industry.		
Purpose	<p>The purpose of this micro-credential is to provide learners/ākonga with the knowledge and skills required to successfully select materials, prepare, and install floating floor systems.</p> <p>This micro-credential addresses an identified skill need within the flooring sector and assists learners to gain specialist training not covered in current flooring qualifications.</p> <p>This micro-credential covers specialist subject matter and is of particular interest to floating floor manufactures, suppliers, and flooring installers.</p>		
Outcome	<p>On successful completion of this micro-credential, learners/ākonga will be able to demonstrate competence in the selection, preparation, measurement, outlay, installation, and care of floating floors.</p> <p>Learners/ākonga will have knowledge and skills related to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Building regulations relating to floating floor systems, materials and installation tools, and the principles for installation of floating floors. • Preparation and installation of floating floors. 		

<p>Components & Learning Outcomes</p>	<p>Component 1</p> <p>On successful completion learners/ākonga will be able to:</p> <p>LO 1: Apply legislative requirements to everyday tasks in a flooring trade</p> <p>LO 2: Maintain currency with workplace procedures and standard of practice in the flooring industry</p> <p>LO 3: Demonstrate appropriate behaviour required of a tradesperson working in a flooring trade</p> <p>LO 4: Work safely as part of a flooring trades team</p> <p>LO 5: Prepare and maintain a work area for basic flooring substrate preparation</p> <p>LO 6: Complete basic tasks to remove floor coverings and to smooth and clean flooring substrate</p> <p>LO 7: Evaluate features of substrate surfaces prior to flooring installation</p> <p>LO 8: Recognise potential hazardous substances found on flooring substrate surfaces</p> <p>LO 9: Complete minor substrate repairs</p> <p>Component 2</p> <p>On successful completion learners/ākonga will be able to:</p> <p>LO 10: Prepare and maintain a work area for installing flooring underlay and edging</p> <p>LO 11: Use tools, equipment, and products to install underlay and finish edges</p> <p>LO 12: Interpret job and manufacturer instructions for floating floor installation</p> <p>LO 13: Implement strategies for economical material use and maintenance</p> <p>LO 14: Install floating floor system</p>
<p>Standards</p>	<p>SS 40245: Work safely as part of flooring trades team</p> <p>SS 40246: Complete basic flooring substrate preparation</p>

	<p>SS 40247: Complete basic installation and edge finishing of flooring underlay</p> <p>SS 40251: Maintain standards of work in a flooring trade</p> <p>SS 40260: Evaluate substrate surfaces for flooring operations</p> <p>*SS Level 3: Complete installation of floating floor systems</p> <p><i>*New standard – with NZQA for approval.</i></p>
Delivery	<p>Delivery should be in a simulated training facility or on the job with in-house trainers and workplace, or external assessors approved by the Provider.</p> <p>On job instruction and training activities should include time in between for structured workplace practice to embed theory knowledge aspects offsite or on job, supported by practical examples specific to a range of contexts that occur in floating floor systems.</p> <p>Practical assessment methods, supported by naturally occurring evidence, to allow the learner/ākonga to demonstrate competence by showing how they apply their knowledge of floating floor installation. Examples could be site preparation, ordering materials, and on-site floating floor installations work recording, photos, drone footage, logbooks, timesheets, video clips, and phone apps for recording purposes, company documentation).</p>