Implementing New Zealand Curriculum and Te Marautanga o Aotearoa 2024 – 2028

Implementation timeline updates

From 21 March to 16 June

What's been updated	How it's changed
All bold headings across the timeline that referred to years and terms, such as: • 2025 Term 3, PLD Step 1 applications open for:	Simplified the headings by removing the years and term dates that were already given at the top of the page.
All references to "applications open for" PLD, such as: • 2025 Term 3, PLD Step 1 applications open for:	These have been rephrased to read "PLD available for", to better highlight availability of PLD opportunities.
All references to the NCEA Review and Maintenance Programme, such as: • NCEA update published for: 2027 Review and Maintenance Programme	These items have been moved into the "Strengthened Assessment & Aromatawai" sections to better reflect what they relate to.
In Term 3 of the 2025 'Clearer curriculum' breakdown: • Consultation goes live for: Technology, Pūtaiao me te Hangarau, Science, Social Science, Te Ao Māori, The Arts, Toi Ihiihi, Health and Physical Education, Waiora, Learning Languages, Te Reo Pākehā, Ngā Reo	This item has been moved to Term 4 2025, as more time is required to develop content and get your feedback on the draft curriculum content. Each list that included Pūtaiao me te Hangarau has now been updated to reflect the separation of the two wāhanga ako.
In Term 3 of the 2025 'Clearer curriculum' breakdown: • NZC Framework Start consultation • Consultation starts for: NZC framework • TMoA Framework Start consultation • Consultation starts for: TMoA framework	These four items have been moved to Term 4 2025, as more time is required to develop content and get your feedback on the draft curriculum content. They have also been simplified to read: • NZC Framework Consultation starts and product ready for use • TMoA Framework Consultation starts and product ready for use
In the Term 2 2025 'Strengthened student support' breakdown, we added: • Gifted Learners toolkit and guidance for: Learning Support Coordinators	This is a new resource available to support schools and kura.

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In the Term 2 2025 'Strengthened student support' breakdown: • 2025 Term 2, Teacher Guidance Resources on Tāhūrangi for: English Y0-3, English Y4-6	This item was moved to Term 4, and has been updated to show it now covers three phases of learning: • Teacher Guidance Resources on Tāhūrangi for: English Y0-8
In the Term 3 2025 'Strengthened student support' breakdown: • Applications for Structured Literacy Approach (SLA) Staffing support for 2026 (as funding allows) for: English Y0-2	This item has been changed to include Years 3-6, to reflect new staffing support available at those year levels.
In the Term 3 2025 'Strengthened student support' breakdown: • Ops Grant 2026 contribution for purchasing SLA resources for: English Y0-6, Te Reo Rangatira Y0-6, English Y7-13, Te Reo Rangatira Y7-13	References to English and Te Reo Rangatira at Y7-13 have been removed from this item, as it does not extend to secondary schools and kura.
In the Term 3 2025 'Strengthened student support' breakdown, we added: • Tier 2 intervention staffing: mathematics and statistics Y0-6	This is a new resource available to support schools and kura.
In the Term 3 2025 'Strengthened student support' breakdown: • 2026 maths resources available for order for: mathematics and statistics Y0-8 and Y9-13, and Pāngarau Y0-8 and Y9-13	References to mathematics and statistics and Pāngarau at Y9-13 have been removed from this item, as it does not extend to secondary schools and kura.
In the Term 4 2025 'Strengthened student support' breakdown, we added: • 2026 maths resources available for order for: mathematics and statistics Y0-8 and Y9-13, and Pāngarau Y0-8 and Y9-13	This is a new resource available to support schools and kura.
In the Term 2 2025 'Strengthened professional support' breakdown: • PLD Step 1 available for: technology, Pūtaiao, Hangarau, science, social science, Te Ao Māori, the arts, Toi Ihiihi, health and physical education, Waiora, learning languages, Te Reo Pākehā, Ngā Reo	This item has been moved into Term 2 2026 for accuracy.

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In the Term 3 2025 'Strengthened professional support' breakdown: • Leadership Guidance Resources on Tāhūrangi for: mathematics and statistics Y7-8	This item has been removed as the content will be included in Term 4 Curriculum Leadership PLD.
In the Term 4 2025 'Strengthened professional support' breakdown, we added: • Initial Teacher Guidance and resources on Tāhūrangi for: students with high and complex learning needs in mathematics and statistics and English	This is a new resource available to support schools and kura.
In the Term 3 2025 'Strengthened professional support' breakdown: • Curriculum Leadership PLD is available for: step 2 PLD for school leaders	English Y0-8 and Te Reo Rangatira Y0-8 have been added to this item, to reflect the new supports available to leaders of schools and kura. This item has changed from Term 3 to Term 4, with PLD also extending into 2026.
In Terms 2, 3, and 4 of the 2025 'Strengthened professional support' breakdowns: • 2025 Term 2, Implementation resources - (Getting Started Guide, wall planner products) for: English Y0-6, Te Reo Rangatira Y0-6, Mathematics and Statistics Y0-8, Pāngarau Y0-8, English Y7-13, Te Reo Rangatira Y7-13, Mathematics and Statistics Y9-13, Pāngarau Y9-13	This item's heading has been changed to better reflect the purpose of the resources, and who they are designed for. It now reads: • Implementation resources (Checklists and Guides for School leaders) for: The item listed in Term 4 2025 has been moved to Term 1 2026 for accuracy.
In the Term 3 2025 'Strengthened professional support' breakdown: • Curriculum Leadership PLD for: English Y0-8, Te Reo Rangatira Y0-8	This item has been moved into Term 4, 2025 and Terms 1 and 2, 2026 to reflect the PLD being extended into 2026.
In Term 3 of the 2025 'Strengthened professional support' breakdown: • 2026 Maths resources available for order for: mathematics and statistics Y0-8, Pāngarau Y0-8, mathematics and statistics Y9-13, Pāngarau Y9-13	This item has been moved into Term 4, and updated to include the range of support resources. It now reads: • Planning, teaching and learning resources on Tāhūrangi for: mathematics and statistics Y0-13, Pāngarau Y0-13 English Y0-13

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 In Term 4 of the 2025 'Strengthened professional support' breakdown: 2025 Term 4, PLD Step 1 available for:	References to English Y7-13, Te Reo Rangatira Y7-13, mathematics and statistics Y9-13, and Pāngarau Y9-13 have been removed to reflect changes to the PLD timeline for later phases of learning (in line with updates to the release timeline for related curriculum content).
In Term 4 of the 2025 'Strengthened professional support' breakdown, we added: • Planning, teaching, and learning resources on Tāhūrangi for: English Y0-13	This is a new resource available to support schools and kura.
In Term 4 of the 2025 'Strengthened professional support' breakdown: • 2025 professional learning supports available on Tāhūrangi for: Technology, Pūtaiao me te Hangarau, Science, Social Science, Te Ao Māori, The Arts, Toi Ihiihi, Health and Physical Education, Waiora, Learning Languages, Te Reo Pākehā, Ngā Reo	This item has been removed to reflect updates to the release timeline for related curriculum content. A similar item still sits in Term 1, 2026.
In Term 4 of the 2025 'Strengthened Assessment & aromatawai' section, we added: • Guidance and Engagement opportunities for: Assessment and Aromatawai tool (November onwards)	These are new supports to help schools and kura get ready for the new Assessment tool (part of Budget 2025).
The 2026 implementation timeline.	The timeline has been split across two pages, for readability and to fit the new items that have been added in this update.
In the Term 1 2026 'Clearer curriculum' breakdown, we added: • Consultation continues for: technology, Pūtaiao, Hangarau, science, social science, Te Ao Māori, the arts, Toi Ihiihi, health and physical education, Waiora, learning languages, Te Reo Pākehā, Ngā Reo	This was included to reflect the fact that consultation may continue into Term 1, 2026.

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In the Term 1 2026 'Strengthened Assessment & Aromatawai' breakdown, we added: • Phonics Check and Hihira Weteoro: Online Administration Tool available	This is a new resource available to support schools and kura.
In the Term 1 2026 'Strengthened Assessment & Aromatawai' breakdown, we added: • New Assessment and Aromatawai tool available	This is a new resource available to support schools and kura.
In the Term 2 2026 'Strengthened Assessment & Aromatawai' breakdown, we added: • National monitoring report available for: Tīrewa Mātai	This is the release of the first report for the new national monitoring study for those learning through te reo Māori.
In the Term 1 2026 'Strengthened professional support' breakdown, we added: • PLD modules available for: cross curriculum design & planning	This is a new resource available to support schools and kura.
In Terms 1, 2, 3, and 4 of the 2026 'Strengthened professional support' breakdown, we added: • Science and Pūtaiao kits available for: Years 0-8	These are new resources available to support schools and kura (part of Budget 2025).
In Term 1 of the 2026-2028 'Strengthened professional support' breakdowns: • Resources available on Tāhūrangi for: technology, Pūtaiao, Hangarau, science, social science, Te Ao Māori, the arts, Toi Ihiihi, health and physical education, Waiora, learning languages, Te Reo Pākehā, Ngā Reo	The headings have been updated to be more specific about the resources and supports available. They now read: • Initial planning, teaching, and learning resources available on Tāhūrangi for:
In Terms 1-4 of the 2026 'Strengthened professional support' breakdown: • 2026 Term 2, SLA PLD Step 2 available for: English Y0-8, Te Reo Rangatira Y0-8, mathematics and statistics Y0-8, Pāngarau Y0-8, English Y7-13, Te Reo Rangatira Y7-13, mathematics and statistics Y9-13, Pāngarau Y9-13	These items were updated to remove incorrect references to maths and Pāngarau as a part of structured literacy approaches.

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 In Term 4 of the 2026 'Strengthened professional support' breakdown: 2026 Term 4, SLA PLD Step 2 available for: mathematics and statistics Y0-8, Pāngarau Y0-8 	This item was removed due to incorrect timing.
In the Term 3 2027 'Strengthened student support' breakdown, we merged the two items referencing maths and Pāngarau resources.	The item now reads: • 2028 maths and Pāngarau resources available for order for: mathematics and statistics Y0-13, Pāngarau Y0-13



