



Otumoetai College

Mathematics Department

NCEA Level 1 Numeracy 2017 (L1MANU/L1MASL)

TO THE STUDENTS

This course is intended for those students who have struggled, in the past, in Mathematics and who are not planning to continue with Mathematics in the future. (Some students may be given the option of doing Level 1 Achievement Standards in 2018 but they will be required to have demonstrated the ability to work diligently and independently.)

Students in Level 1 MANU will be assessed against NCEA Level 1 Numeracy Standards. This will enable all students to gain the Numeracy requirement for NCEA Level 1 and entry to some Polytechnic courses.

ASSESSMENT

Every student entered in the Level 1 Numeracy course will compile a folio which will contain evidence that will allow the classroom teacher to ascertain whether the Numeracy requirements for the following standards have been attained.

NUMERACY STANDARD	STANDARDS TITLE	CREDITS
26623	Use Numbers to Solve Problems	4
26626	Interpret Statistical Information for a Purpose	3
26627	Use Measurement to Solve Problems	3

These 10 credits fulfill the Numeracy Requirements for NCEA Level 1 and will be marked as either **Achieved** or **Not Achieved**. Each of the above standards will take approximately one term to complete. If some students take longer than this then they will have Term 4 available to catch up. If a standard is not completed by report time the student will receive a percentage grade which will indicate how much of the standard has been completed to date.

Those who have gained their Numeracy Credits before the end of Term 4 will have the opportunity to work on internal Achievement Standards and attempt to gain more credits.



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AUTHENTICITY OF STUDENT WORK

All work must be the student's own. If a staff member is in doubt, the student will be asked to provide further evidence, orally or in writing, by explaining or solving a similar problem, etc.

An inadequate explanation will result in the student being required to complete another piece of work to be included in their portfolio.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. Ellwood'.

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