



Next Generation: Milk Harvesting Technology Level 3 22 Weeks – Fulltime

The programme is approved by the New Zealand Qualifications Authority under section 249 of the Education Act 1989 and Ag Challenge Ltd is accredited to provide it under section 250 of the Act.

Graduate Profile	<p>Graduates of this qualification will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Milk animals, maintaining hygiene and animal welfare • Clean the milking plant and farm dairy to maintain optimum milk quality • Assist with maintenance of the milking plant and equipment • Assist with identifying milk quality problems and implementing solutions • Assist with dairy effluent management. <p><i>Qualification: New Zealand Certificate in Agriculture (Milk Harvesting) (Level 3) NZ2216</i></p>
Employment Pathway	<p>Graduates of this qualification are likely to be employed as full-time milk harvesters or perform this work as part of a wider farm assistant role in the dairy sector.</p>

Unit Schedules	Unit Standard Titles	NZQA Credits	Level
Milk Animals			
582	Handle livestock when moving and drafting and when livestock are distressed	6	3
28937	Milk dairy livestock	10	3
23541	Locate hazards, describe safety procedures, and demonstrate safe work practices in a rural workplace	5	2
Clean the Milking Plant			
24549	Clean the milking plant, vats or silos, dairy and yards	9	3
23793	Demonstrate knowledge of, evaluate, and monitor, on-farm milking plant cleaning procedures	2	3
23790	Describe milk cooling, milk cooling equipment, and milk cooler hygiene checking	5	3
Maintenance of Milking Plant			
28938	Assist with the maintenance of a milking plant and farm dairy equipment	5	3
Milk Product Quality Control			
28939	Understand the risks to on-farm milk quality and assist with implementing solutions to milk quality problems	10	3
Manage Dairy Waste (Effluent and Contaminated Milk)			
28940	Demonstrate understanding of a dairy effluent management system	10	3
28941	Assist with the operation and maintenance of a dairy effluent management system	10	3
Total Credits		72	

Course Starts: 3rd February 2020 with enrolments any time during the year	
Course Contact Days: Monday to Friday	Number Weeks Including Holidays: 22
Tutor: TBC	Course costs: \$2,661.00 incl GST
Available: Whanganui	
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