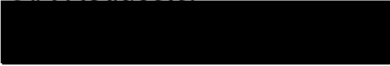


4 March 2020

OIA Requester



Dear Sir/Madam

### Official Information Act Request

Thank you for your request of 7 February 2020, under the Official Information Act 1982, for the following information. Please also find the table below our response to each request.

Requested Information	NZQA response
<i>The number of Year 11 students who obtained a Premier Award in the 2019 New Zealand Scholarship Examinations.</i>	0
<i>The number of Year 11 students who obtained an Outstanding Scholar Award in the 2019 New Zealand Scholarship Examinations.</i>	1
<i>The number of Year 11 students who obtained a Scholarship Award (i.e. the award which generally requires at least 3 scholarships) in the 2019 New Zealand Scholarship Examinations.</i>	2
<i>The number of Year 11 students who obtained a Top Subject Scholar Award in the 2019 New Zealand Scholarship Examinations.</i>	0
<i>The number of Year 11 students who obtained a Single Subject Award or two Single Subject Awards in the 2019 New Zealand Scholarship Examinations.</i>	37 students (achieving 40 awards)
<i>For the avoidance of doubt, I am assuming that a Year 11 student getting, say, a Premier Award, wouldn't count towards the number of Year 11 students getting, say, an Outstanding Scholar Award. Please let me know if that is not the case</i>	Refer to notes below

Where a Candidate meets the criteria for more than one monetary award, he or she will receive only the award of the highest monetary value, except where a Candidate receives a Top Subject Scholar Award and also achieves a Single Subject Award in a different subject, in which case he or she will receive the Top Subject Scholar Award and a maximum of one \$500 Single Subject Award.

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the response to this request on its website in March 2020. Your name and contact details will be removed before publication.

Should you have any queries, please contact [REDACTED] in the Office of the Chief Executive, email [REDACTED] [@nzqa.govt.nz](mailto:[REDACTED]@nzqa.govt.nz) or telephone (04) 463 [REDACTED]

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'K Poutasi'.

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