

Assessment Specifications

Level 1 Gagana Tokelau 2026

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General information

Domain:	Gagana Tokelau
Standards:	92349, 92350
Assessment method:	Examination, end of year
Assessment medium:	Online digital examination

[Gagana Tokelau subject page](#)

[National secondary examinations timetable](#)

Information relating to all achievement standards

The assessments will each consist of THREE questions written in English and gagana Tokelau based on the texts provided.

Text choices for both standards will reflect appropriate cultural contexts, for example gagana Tokelau-speaking communities, te ao Māori, the Pacific, and Aotearoa New Zealand. Texts will refer to events or experiences that are familiar and relevant to the candidate.

In Level 1 Gagana Tokelau examinations, candidates can respond in gagana Tokelau, English, or te reo Māori.

Further information about digital external assessment can be found on the NZQA website.

[Digital external assessment](#)

Level 1 approved vocabulary list

The Gagana Tokelau vocabulary list indicates language which will guide the setting of Level 1 Gagana Tokelau external assessments. The list is available on the Gagana Tokelau subject page.

Words outside of the approved vocabulary list will be glossed if they do not have common language usage or if their meaning is not evident from the text.

Special assessment conditions

Refer to the NZQA website for further information:

[Aromatawai special assessment conditions](#)

Specific information for individual achievement standards

Standard:	92349
Title:	Demonstrate understanding of written Gagana Tokelau related to everyday contexts
Version:	2
Number of credits:	5

Reading resources for this standard will be printed on paper and distributed to candidates in the examination session.

Standard:	92350
Title:	Demonstrate understanding of spoken Gagana Tokelau related to everyday contexts
Version:	2
Number of credits:	5

Listening passages will be available online as audio files. Candidates will be able to listen to each whole passage once and then three times in sections. They can choose when to start each play but cannot pause inside each play.

Listening Notes spaces are available inside the digital examination.

Equipment required

Candidates will require headphones to listen.