

ASSESSOR SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

Abseiling and Rock Climbing Strands of the NZC Outdoor Leadership Level 4, Level 5 (Instruction or Guiding), and NZC Outdoor Senior Leadership Level 6

Note: Does not cover the requirements to assess the core standards for the qualification above. Please refer to the ASR Outdoor Leadership Core.

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STEP 1: APPLICATION AND PROPOSED SCOPE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete Skills Active Assessor Application Form • Two referees: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Workplace (if no workplace, then appropriate industry representative) ○ Outdoor Rec assessor and/or qualification holder at NZC Outdoor Senior Leadership Level 6 or equivalent
STEP 2: SELECTION	<p>CV/Portfolio with evidence to meet the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hold a current NZC Outdoor Leadership qualification and unit standards as required (refer to table below) • Have minimum logged hours and experience (refer to table below)
STEP 3: TRAINING AND ASSESSMENT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete Skills Active Assessor Workshop and Assessment - Gaining NZQA Unit Standard 30421 <p>OR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Equivalent Knowledge and Skills, and attendance at a Skills Active Assessor Induction session
STEP 4: REGISTRATION AND CONFIRMATION OF SCOPE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First assessments completed under the direction of an approved Senior Assessor Mentor (SAM) • Registration and scope confirmed
STEP 5: MODERATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Engage in Skills Active Moderation annually
STEP 6: MENTORING AND CURRENCY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintenance of personal and professional experience at the level required for the qualification(s) in scope (refer to table below) • Ongoing contact with Skills Active Learning Support Advisor (LSA) • Complete Skills Active Moderation and Refresher Training • Evidence of ongoing professional development • Re-registration process every three years

Qualification Strand to be assessed	Must hold the following qualification/s, or higher or equivalent qualification/experience	Equivalent qualification/experience may include	Experience/Logged hours
NZC Abseil Leader (NZ Cert in Outdoor Leadership Level 4 – Abseil)	NZC in Outdoor Leadership Level 5 (Guide or Instructor)- Rock Climbing	Either: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> National Certificate in Outdoor Recreation (Outdoor Instructor) (Level 5)- Single Pitch Supervisor Or <ul style="list-style-type: none"> NZOIA Rock 1 Instructor 	Minimum of 80 logged days rock climbing which must include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a minimum of 20 days instructing or guiding Abseiling. Minimum 3 years industry experience operating at this level.
NZC Rock Climbing Leader (NZ Cert in Outdoor Leadership Level 4 – Rock Climbing)	NZC in Outdoor Leadership Level 5 (Guide or Instructor)- Rock Climbing	Either: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> National Certificate in Outdoor Recreation (Outdoor Instructor) (Level 5)- Single Pitch Supervisor Or <ul style="list-style-type: none"> NZOIA Rock 1 Instructor 	Minimum of 80 logged days rock climbing which must include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a minimum of 20 days instructing or guiding rockclimbing. Minimum 3 years industry experience operating at this level.
NZC Rock Climbing Guide (NZ Cert in Outdoor Leadership (Guiding) Level 5 – Rock Climbing)	NZC in Outdoor Senior Leadership Level 6 – Rock Climbing	NZOIA Rock 2 Instructor	Minimum of 160 logged days rock climbing, which must include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a minimum of 60 days instructing or guiding, of which 30 Days will be Guidng. Minimum 3 years industry experience operating at this level.
NZC Rock Climbing Instructor (NZ Cert in Outdoor Leadership (Instruction) Level 5 – Rock Climbing)	NZC in Outdoor Senior Leadership Level 6 – Rock Climbing	NZOIA Rock 2 Instructor	Minimum of 160 logged days Rock Climbing which must include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a minimum of 60 days instructing or guiding, of which 30 days will be instructing. Minimum 3 years industry experience operating at this level.
NZC Rock Climbing Senior (NZ Cert in Outdoor Senior Leadership Level 6 – Rock Climbing)		Note: This qualification is currently being reviewed. The assessor requirements will be finalised following this review.	