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Tēnā koe Kelly

**OIA: 1348827 – List of organisations approached for Focus Review Groups**

Thank you for your email of 31 May 2025 to the Ministry of Education (the Ministry) requesting the following information:

*Under the Official Information Act 1982, I request a list of all organisations who were sent an email by the Ministry on or including Monday 21 April 2025 to Friday 25 April 2025, titled "Helping us to update The New Curriculum: Focus Group"*

*For clarity, I am requesting:*

*The names of all organisations (or groups/associations/networks) that received such emails, regardless of whether they subsequently responded.*

Your request has been considered under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act).

Please find a list enclosed as **Appendix A**, showing the recipients of an email from the Ministry requesting nominations for the Curriculum Review Focus Groups. The email was sent to these organisations on 24 April 2025, with the subject line 'Helping us to update The New Curriculum: Focus Group'.

Please note, we may publish this response on our website after five working days. Your name and contact details will be removed. Thank you again for your email.

Nāku noa, nā

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**Appendix A – List of organisations and associations who received an email from the Ministry requesting nominations for the Curriculum Review Focus Group**

Learning Area	Organisation or Association
Science	Bay of Plenty Science Teachers Association   Bay Science
Science	New Zealand Association of Primary Science Educators (NZAPSE)
Science	Earth and Space Science Educators (ESSENZ)
Science	New Zealand Association of Environmental Educators (NZAEE)
Science	Biology Educators Association of New Zealand (BEANZ)
Science	New Zealand Institute of Physics (NZIP)
Science	New Zealand Institute of Chemistry, Education Group (SCENZ)
Science	NZ Association of Science Educators (NZASE)
Science	NZ Horticulture and Agriculture Teachers Association – HATA
Science	Empower KEA
Science	Central Association of Science Educators
Science	Central Northland Teachers of Science
Science	Waikato Science Teachers Association

<b>Learning Area</b>	<b>Organisation or Association</b>
Science	West Coast Science Teachers
Science	Canterbury Science Teachers Association
Science	Otago Science Teachers Association
Science	Auckland Science Teachers Association
Technology	Computer Science Association of New Zealand (CSANZ)
Technology	Digital Technologies Teachers Aotearoa (DTTA)
Technology, Health & PE	Home Economics and Technology Teachers Association of NZ (HETTANZ)
Technology	New Zealand Graphics & Technology Teachers Association (NZGTTA)
Technology	New Zealand Principals' Federation
Technology	Royal Society Te Apārangi
Technology	Technology Education NZ (TENZ)
Arts	Aotearoa New Zealand Association of Arts Educators
Arts	Dance Subject Association of New Zealand
Arts	Drama New Zealand

<b>Learning Area</b>	<b>Organisation or Association</b>
Arts	Music Education New Zealand Aotearoa (MENZA)
Arts	New Zealand Art History Teachers Association (NZAHATA)
Social Sciences	Aotearoa Social Studies Educator Network (ASSEN)
Social Sciences	National Association of Media Educators (NAME)
Social Sciences	New Zealand Association of Philosophy Teachers (NZ APT)
Social Sciences	New Zealand Association of Classical Teachers (NZACT)
Social Sciences	New Zealand Association of Psychology Teachers (NZAPT)
Social Sciences	New Zealand Board of Geography Teachers (BOGT)
Social Sciences	New Zealand Commerce and Economics Teachers Association (NZCETA)
Social Sciences	New Zealand History Teachers Association (NZHTA)
Social Sciences	Religious Studies Teachers Association of Aotearoa NZ (RSTAANZ)
Social Sciences	NZ Association of Rationalist and Humanists
Social Sciences	Religious Leaders Forum
Social Sciences	Tourism Teachers Association New Zealand (TTA-NZ)

<b>Learning Area</b>	<b>Organisation or Association</b>
Health and PE	New Zealand Resuscitation Council Whakahaora Aotearoa
Health and PE	Education Outdoors New Zealand (EONZ)
Health and PE	New Zealand Health Education Association (NZHEA)
Health and PE	Physical Education New Zealand (PENZ)
Health and PE	Sport New Zealand
Learning Languages	Aotearoa Tongan Teachers Association (ATTA)
Learning Languages	Deaf Aotearoa
Learning Languages	Fotu o Mālama – The Association for Teachers of Samoan Language and Culture
Learning Languages	German in Aotearoa New Zealand (GANZ)
Learning Languages	New Zealand Association of French Teachers (NZAFT)
Learning Languages	New Zealand Association of Japanese Language Teachers (NZAJLT)
Learning Languages	New Zealand Association of Language Teachers (NZALT)
Learning Languages	New Zealand Chinese Language Teachers Association (NZCLTA)
Learning Languages	New Zealand Korean Language Teachers' Association (NZKLTA)

<b>Learning Area</b>	<b>Organisation or Association</b>
Learning Languages	New Zealand Sign Language Teachers Association (NZSLTA)
Learning Languages	Spanish Teachers Association of New Zealand Aotearoa (STANZA)
English	New Zealand Association for the Teaching of English (NZATE)
English	Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages Aotearoa NZ (TESOLANZ)
English	New Zealand Literacy Association (NZLA)
Mathematics & Statistics	New Zealand Association of Maths Teachers (NZAMT)
Mathematics & Statistics	NZ Mathematical Society Education Committee
Mathematics & Statistics	NZ Statistics Association Education Committee (NZSA)
Mathematics & Statistics	Retirement Commission
Mathematics & Statistics	CANZA (Chartered Accountants NZ Australia)
All Learning Areas	Aotearoa Foundation Skills and Pathways Association (AFSAPA)
All Learning Areas	Careers and Transition Education Association (CATE)
All Learning Areas	New Zealand Principals' Federation
All Learning Areas	Post Primary Teachers Association (PPTA)

Learning Area	Organisation or Association
All Learning Areas	BLENNZ – Blind, Low Vision
All Learning Areas	Ko Taku Reo – Deaf Education NZ
All learning Areas	Ethnic & Faith Communities National Leaders Network
All learning Areas	Special Education Principals Association of New Zealand (SEPA NZ)
All learning Areas	Te Kura Pounamu
All learning Areas	NZEI Te Riu Roa
All learning Areas	NZ Association of Intermediate Middle Schooling (NZAIMS)
All learning Areas	NZ Rural Schools Leadership Association
All learning Areas	Secondary Principals Association of NZ (SPANZ)
All learning Areas	Association of Proprietors of Integrated Schools (APIS)