

Assessment schedule: Skill Standard 40562

Learners must construct a timber deck, without being prompted, as a BCATS project to be awarded this skill standard. If they participate in a group to complete the project, learners must demonstrate an appropriate level of skill for all skill standard requirements.

The deck must be no greater than one metre in height above ground.

The terrain must allow learners to excavate post holes using hand tools without difficult obstacles such as large rocks or tree roots.

The project brief should be provided to learners.

The schedule below shows the evidence required for assessment criteria in the skill standard, guidance for the teacher and judgement statement/s.

Note: teacher observations and comments made in the assessment resource serve as key evidence requirements for each skill standard. All guidance below is intended to support the teacher's observations/comments.

Learning outcome	Evidence required	Teacher guidance (to be used in accordance with commentary in the Programme Guidance document)	Judgement statement
Construct a timber deck as a BCATS project.	Completed <i>Cutting list</i> and <i>Materials list</i> templates.	Cutting list must have all project components listed, including the quantity, dimensions and material required for each component. Materials list must include all materials required for the project based on information in the cutting list.	Evidence must meet the minimum of Achieved criteria as outlined in the Waihanga Ara Rau BCATS Programme Guidance document – SS 40562. Comments related to the award of higher grades must reflect commentary in the Programme Guidance.
	A completed <i>Project record</i> template.	Project record should include all of the learner's project tasks, and quality checks at each stage should be identified along with any changes made as a result. Feedback should only be noted if it was received for the project task, and if it was received, the resulting changes should also be noted.	
	Photos that clearly show the finish and detail on the completed project.	Photos must clearly show the completed project, including the finish and detail, to enable assessment of the learner's skill across the range of project tasks.	
	Copy of the project brief.	The project brief is provided as a means of recognising the intended project and comparing it with the end product.	