

THE PRIVACY ACT

The Learning Place respects the rights of all those with whom it has contact and will comply with the requirements of The Privacy Act 1993. Some key aspects of the Privacy Act affect the operation of the National Qualifications Framework and your enrolment with The Learning Place Ltd.

If you have been directly enrolled by your school, they are able to access information about the progress of your written assessment and the course as a whole at any time, following receipt of your registration form, without express consent from you, the learner.

The purposes for which personal information is gathered are:

Names, addresses and dates of birth:

NZQA is only legally authorised to gather learner's personal information if that information is required to fulfil its function. The name, address and date of birth of learners are necessary for identification purposes in the conduct of an assessment.

Gender and ethnicity:

NZQA require this information both to carry out research activities and to provide statistical information for a wide range of legitimate purposes. The collection of information concerning a learner's gender and ethnicity does not breach the Privacy Act as long as any research does not identify individual learners.

NZQA:

The Education Act 1989 authorises NZQA to collect information from providers so that they can perform their legal functions. The Tertiary Education Commission (TEC) and Ministry of Education (MOE) may also require statistical information to perform their legal functions.