

The future of the Evaluative Quality Assurance Framework (EQAF)

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Relevant qualifications

New and emerging
technologies

Portable qualifications

Easy access to information

NZQA's key roles

NZQA ensures that New Zealand qualifications are valued as credible and robust both nationally and internationally and that the organisations delivering those qualifications are quality assured.

Key roles:

- Managing and improving the New Zealand Qualifications Framework
- Setting the rules for quality assurance in the tertiary sector
- Independent quality assurance of non-university education providers
- Administering the secondary school assessment system
- Recognising qualifications from other jurisdictions



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Learners of the future

- Learners have many choices
- Technology has changed how we learn
- Educators have an opportunity to lead instead of follow

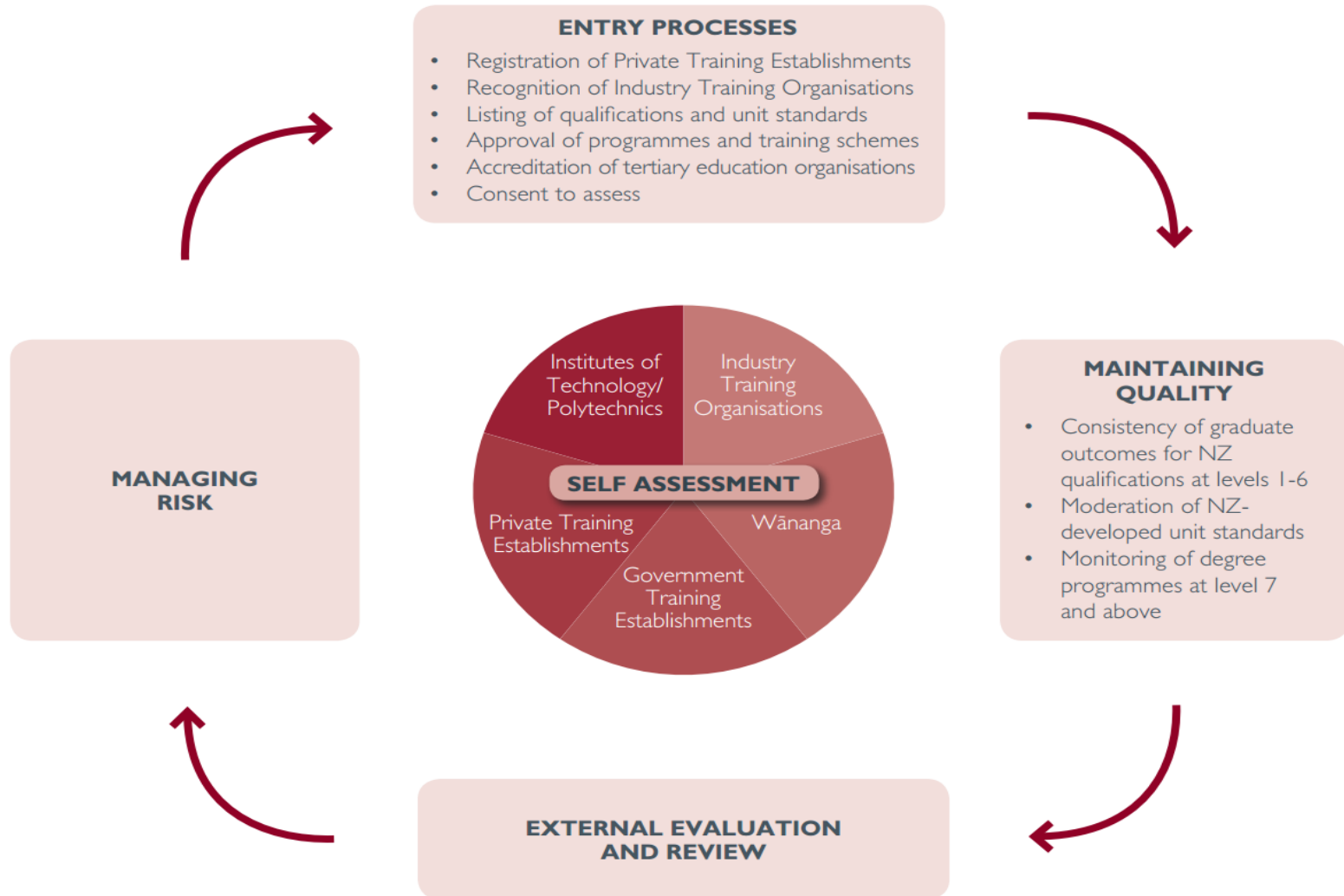


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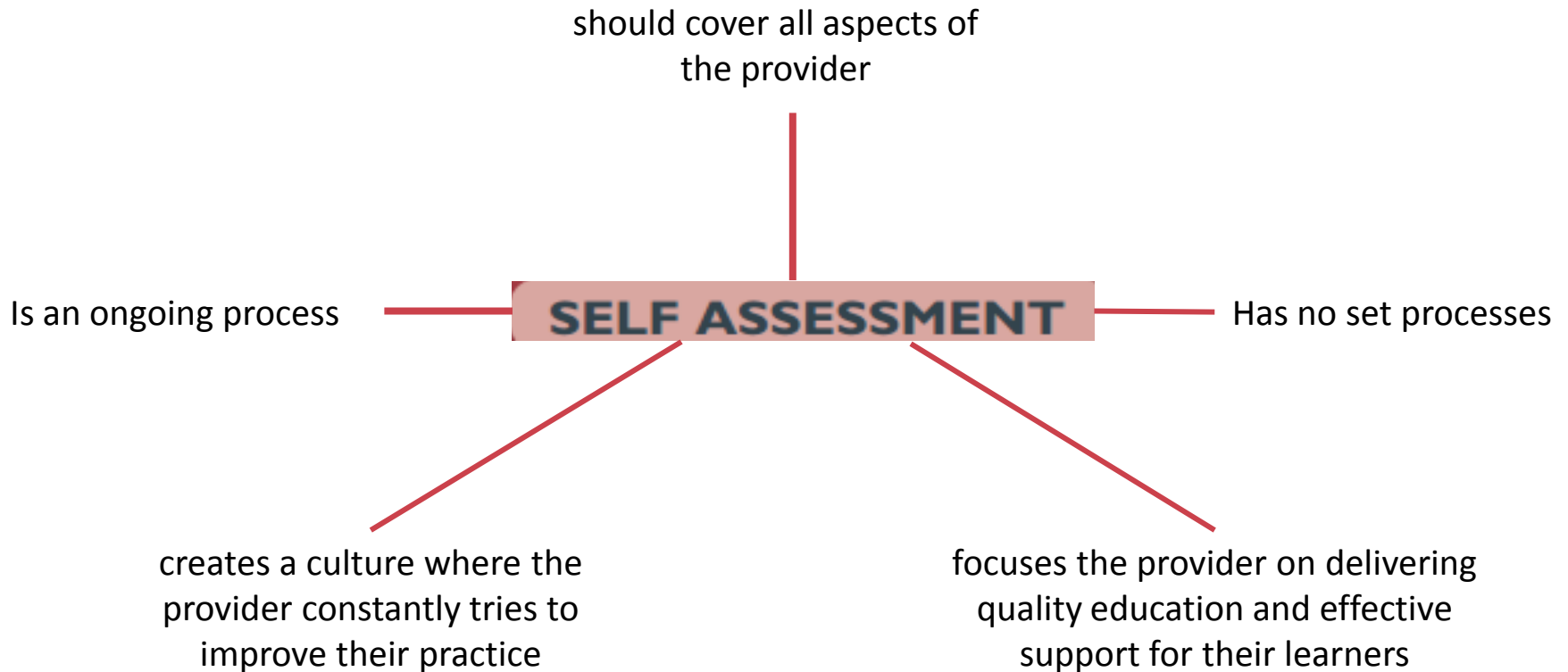
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The Evaluative Quality Assurance Framework



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Self-assessment is central to the EQAF. Providers take responsibility for their own quality, and the outcomes they achieve by assessing their own effectiveness

EQAF meeting future needs

- Allowing providers to meet emerging learning needs
- Making robust and credible judgements in any context
- Improving the quality of education and how responsive it is



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Building on the quality assurance framework

- Sharing information with other agencies
 - NZQA is using this information to monitor providers
- Processes for quality assuring Mātauranga Māori education and providers
- Assuring the consistency of graduate outcomes at a national level
- Recognising prior learning (credit recognition and transfer, and recognition of prior learning)
- Recording all of a learner's achievements in one place (URoA)
- Ensuring that learners can take their learning anywhere in the world



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Looking at the future of education

NZQA is trying new approaches to meet the future world head-on:

- online moderation of NZQA-owned unit standards
- online applications for most quality assurance processes
- pilots to achieve online assessment
- considering what impact un-credentialed online learning has on quality assurance.



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The world is changing. We're looking to the future



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