 RoSA implementation support

This document provides links to relevant NESA information to support the implementation of the ROSA. Information on the optional [tests in literacy and numeracy](http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/11-12/leaving-school/Literacy-and-numeracy-tests) and the optional website for creating an online portfolio follow.

The following table provides links to information from NESA to support implementation of the ROSA:

| Aspect of the RoSA | NESA information |
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| [Eligible students](http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/11-12/leaving-school/record-of-school-achievement) who leave school before receiving their Higher School Certificate (HSC) may receive the NSW Record of School Achievement (RoSA). The RoSA is a cumulative credential as it allows students to accumulate their academic results until they leave school. The RoSA records completed Stage 5 and Year 11 Stage 6 courses and grades, and participation in any uncompleted Stage 6 courses. | [Record of School Achievement (RoSA)](http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/11-12/leaving-school/record-of-school-achievement)  [ACE website](https://ace.nesa.nsw.edu.au/record-of-school-achievement) including [Eligibility for the ROSA](https://ace.nesa.nsw.edu.au/record-of-school-achievement/eligibility)  [ACE 4001](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4001) |
| The following documents (where applicable) are issued by NESA to students when they leave school:   * the Record of School Achievement * the Profile of Student Achievement (for Life Skills courses) * VET credentials | [ACE 4023](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4023)  [ACE 4025](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4025) |
| * Students who leave school prior to the completion of Year 10 do not meet the RoSA requirements and are not entitled to a printed Transcript of Study. | [ACE 4005](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4005)  [ACE 5005](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-5005) |
| * School leavers at or after completion of Year 10 | [ACE 5002](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-5002)  [ACE 4005](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4005) |
| * Students achieving Life Skills outcomes who leave school prior to the completion of the HSC | [ACE 5006](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-5006) |
| * Mandatory curriculum requirements * Mandatory curriculum requirements – indicative time * Mandatory 100 hours of language study | [ACE 4007](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4007)  [ACE 4006](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4006)  [ACE 4010](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4010) |
| * Mandatory curriculum and additional elective studies | [ACE 4009](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4009) |
| * Integrated study of combined courses | [ACE 4008](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4008) |
| * Accelerated progression: procedure * Accumulating courses towards the RoSA * Acceleration in Stage 5 courses * Acceleration in Stage 6 courses | [ACE 8104](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-8104)  [ACE 4015](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4015)  [ACE 4028](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4028)  [ACE 8043](https://ace.nesa.nsw.edu.au/ace-8043) |
| * Applying for credit transfer towards the RoSA | [ACE 8107](https://ace.nesa.nsw.edu.au/ace-8107) |
| * Changing courses | ACE [4011](https://ace.nesa.nsw.edu.au/ace-4011) |
| * [RoSA credential based on Life Skills](http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/11-12/leaving-school/record-of-school-achievement/credentials/!ut/p/z1/tVPLUsIwFP0WFl1mcpM-WRZUagFx1ArNholpgGLblNIp6tebMriE6jBmlWTuedybE8zwArOCN-ma16kqeKbPMXOW1n0AYAKdgOv64IdR3xmOA9MJKZ4fC6hPHBJYZDwbeQT8lxlxaOjSWWRj1uIJHRHi0Sm41AX_6XH4eBPcUZjYJzycWT78Dn-hgF32_4oZZqKoy3qD4_KwFKqoZVEbUFZqK0WNDvLNgELuuQGEIEINyKSeULFGe7FRKjOgkkJVCVKr0w3iYpPKRuZHHlHJRG9Snu1bqVKkCY6B2rbleSvUlyCQxTlFXiJdlFCHE55Y3HKsn9bOe2eXJzdv9Toep4sj1h7csx4GWqRJ5QFHhapyHZfnP7YYdCo4Vyp00JtX0odd-dIfKN3udszXKWuj9VHjxX_HrMyjKMo98xO9r6a3phWHzdfgAbHY7_W-ARZDetY!/dz/d5/L2dBISEvZ0FBIS9nQSEh/?urile=wcm%3Apath%3A%2Fpw_content%2Fproject-web%2Fnesa%2F11-12%2Fleaving-school%2Frecord-of-school-achievement%2Fcredentials) outcomes and content | [ACE 3001](https://ace.nesa.nsw.edu.au/ace-3001)  [ACE 3002](https://ace.nesa.nsw.edu.au/ace-3002)  [ACE 3003](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-3003)  [ACE 3008](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-3008)  [ACE 3009](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-3009)  [ACE 3011](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-3011)  [ACE 4011](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4011) |
| * Curriculum study with an external provider or outside tutor | [ACE 4012](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4012)  [ACE 4013](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4013)  [ACE 4014](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4014) |
| * Student entries, confirmation and amendments | [ACE 4003](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4003) |
| * Students who leave or transfer or come from interstate, overseas or homes schooling | [ACE 4002](https://ace.nesa.nsw.edu.au/ace-4002)  [ACE 4005](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4005)  [ACE 5002](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-5002)  [ACE 4031](https://ace.nesa.nsw.edu.au/ace-4031)  [ACE 4032](https://ace.nesa.nsw.edu.au/ace-4032) |
| * School-based assessment Year 10 * School-based assessment Year 11 | [ACE 4022](https://ace.nesa.nsw.edu.au/ace-4022)  [ACE 8070](https://ace.nesa.nsw.edu.au/ace-8070) |
| Allocation and submission of grades:   * Stage 5 Year 10 * Stage 6 Year 11 * confidentiality of grades * appeals against grades | [ACE 4033](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4033)  [ACE 5003](https://ace.nesa.nsw.edu.au/ace-5003)  [ACE 4027](https://ace.nesa.nsw.edu.au/ace-4027)  [ACE 11010](https://ace.nesa.nsw.edu.au/ace-11010) |
| * Stage 5 VET Courses, allocation and submission of units of competency | [ACE 4034](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4034) |
| * Determining satisfactory course completion | [ACE 4016](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4016)  [ACE 3008](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-3008) |
| * Determining satisfactory school attendance * It is a requirement for the award of the RoSA that students attend until the final day of Year 10 | [ACE 4017](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4017)  [ACE 4016](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4016)  [ACE 4018](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4018) |
| * Warnings of potential ‘N’ determinations * See also [Section 94, ‘Education Act 1990](https://www.legislation.nsw.gov.au/#/view/act/1990/8/id148)’ | [ACE 4001](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4001)  [ACE 4020](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4020) |
| * Non-award of the RoSA | [ACE 4030](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4030) |
| * A student who is given an ‘N’ determination in a Stage 5 mandatory course will not be eligible for a RoSA at the end of Year 10 | [ACE 4029](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-4029) |
| * Eligibility for the RoSA for students who were ineligible at the end of Year 10 | [ACE 5001](http://ace.bostes.nsw.edu.au/ace-5001) |
| * Eligibility requirements for entry into Year 11 courses | [ACE 8003](https://ace.nesa.nsw.edu.au/ace-8003) |

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| Option | Information |
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| The [up2now](https://up2now.net.au/people/login) website allows students to create an online portfolio of their *Results*, *Awards* and *Achievements*, including extra-curricular activities. It is useful for Careers Advisers and other staff working with RoSA candidates and prospective employers of students with a RoSA. | [Register for up2now](https://up2now.net.au/registrations/add) |
| Optional [tests in literacy and numeracy](http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/11-12/leaving-school/Literacy-and-numeracy-tests):   * are available for students who intend to leave high school before completing their HSC * allow students to provide evidence to employers or places of further learning of their literacy and numeracy skills * are reported separately from the RoSA * are not a requirement for the award of the RoSA. | [ACE Literacy and numeracy tests](https://ace.nesa.nsw.edu.au/literacy-and-numeracy-tests) |
| From 2020, all Year 12 students in NSW must reach a [minimum standard of literacy and numeracy](http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/11-12/hsc/hsc-minimum-standard) by passing [online tests](http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/11-12/hsc/hsc-minimum-standard/online-tests) to receive their HSC. This does not apply to students sitting the HSC in 2018 or 2019. Students who do not satisfy the standards for the HSC, including the literacy and numeracy standard, may receive the RoSA. | [Stronger HSC Standards](http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/about/initiatives/stronger-hsc-standards) |