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Of the 6 main centres

- Dunedin coldest
- Christchurch driest
- Wellington wettest
- Auckland warmest

Temperature

2016 was NZ's warmest year on record

Record or near-record breaking warmth for many locations in NZ

13.4°C Nationwide 2016 temperature

0.83 °C above average

Sunshine

Top 4 sunniest spots for 2016

Richmond 2840 hours
Blenheim 2582 hours
Takaka 2534 hours
New Plymouth 2503 hours

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