

CPC20220 CERTIFICATE II IN CONSTRUCTION PATHWAYS



WHAT IS VETfSS?

VET for secondary students (VETfSS) is a program that enables students to gain Nationally Recognised Qualifications while at school. Students learn skills and knowledge required for specific industries.

WHY SHOULD I STUDY VETfSS?

- It develops work, employability and life skills.
- Helps increase self esteem, confidence and communication skills.
- Expands post school opportunities.
- Allows you to explore possible areas of interest, which promotes further study and work choices.
- Assists you to gain knowledge of employer's expectations and real working conditions.
- Assists the transition from school to work.
- Earns credits towards NTCET

COURSE COST

The delivery of this course and all associated course costs are fully funded by the Department of Education and Training.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

To gain entry into this course, students must be referred to Palmerston Youth Skills Centre by a senior secondary government registered or non-government school, or an approved community organisation, and be 15 to 17 years of age. All students will undergo a Suitability Evaluation prior to being accepted into this course. Students deemed suitable to enrol will need to complete a VET enrolment form and provide a valid USI (Unique Student Identifier). Students under the age of 18 must have parental /guardian consent to enrol in this course. This course requires both parent/guardian and students to read and understand the Student Handbook located on our website: <https://educationrto.nt.gov.au/for-students/student-handbook> prior to enrolment.

ABOUT THIS QUALIFICATION

This qualification provides a pathway to the primary trades in the construction industry with the exception of plumbing. Trade outcomes are predominantly achieved through an Australian Apprenticeship and this qualification allows for inclusion of skills suited for entry to off-site occupations, such as joinery as well as carpentry, bricklaying and other occupations in general construction. This qualification is designed to introduce students to the recognised trade callings in the construction industry and provide meaningful credit in a construction industry Australian Apprenticeship

PRE-REQUISITES

There are no prerequisites for entry into this course.

DELIVERY MODEL

This course is offered by Palmerston Youth Skills Centre. This course is delivered on a schedule of 1 day per week over 4 school terms and students are expected to attend all sessions as per timetable.

Delivery includes face-to-face learning in the classroom and the simulated workplace at Palmerston Youth Skills Centre. Delivery may include opportunities for industry- based excursions.

QUALIFICATION CONTENT

This qualification consists of 10 units of competency from the Construction, Plumbing and Services Training package; 5 core units and 5 elective units.

CORE UNITS

- CPCCOM1012 Work effectively and sustainability in the construction industry
- CPCCOM1013 Plan and organise work
- CPCCOM1015 Carry out measurements and calculations
- CPCCVE1011* Undertake a basic construction project
- CPCCWHS2001 Apply WHS requirements, policies and procedures in the construction industry

ELECTIVE UNITS

- CPCCCA2002* Use carpentry tools and equipment
- CPCCCM2004* Handle construction materials
- CPCCCM2006 Apply basic leveling procedures
- CPCCCM2012* Work safely at heights
- MEMPE002 Use electric welding machines

**Unit has pre-requisite requirement*

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EDUCATION AND CAREER PATHWAYS

Upon completion of this course, vocational and further study pathways may include

- CPC333020 Certificate III in Carpentry
- CPC31920 Certificate III in Joinery
- CPC33020 Certificate III in Bricklaying

Employment opportunities may include:

- Carpentry apprenticeship
- Bricklaying apprenticeship
- Joinery apprenticeship

DRESS REQUIREMENTS

Students must dress ready for work during all Vocational Education and Training (VET) sessions. The dress requirements are:

- Long/short sleeve hi vis shirt (supplied by PYSC). Steel capped boots, long work pants

CREDIT TRANSFER

Students can apply for credit transfer where they have previously completed a unit of this course through VET and can provide formal evidence.

Formal evidence can be a qualification certificate or transcript, statement of attainment or a USI transcript. When credit is recognised, the student will not need to repeat training or assessment for that unit.

Credit transfers will be automatically applied where a student has previously completed a unit of this course with NT Department of Education RTO.

RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING (RPL)

Recognition of prior learning (RPL) is an assessment of existing skills and knowledge acquired through previous training, work or life experience which are relevant to the course. RPL requires the student to supply evidence to prove their skills and knowledge and this is assessed against the requirements of the course. RPL is offered to students at any stage prior to enrolment but not longer than 1 month after the commencement of training and assessment.

COMPLAINTS & APPEALS

Information on our Complaints and Appeals Policy and Procedure can be found on our website: <https://educationrto.nt.gov.au/about/procedures-and-guidelines>.