

2026

# Course Guide

North region



# Our locations

Thursday Island ●

Northern Peninsula Area ●



Refer to the back cover of this brochure for campus addresses. For detailed maps of each campus, visit [tafeqld.edu.au/locations](https://tafeqld.edu.au/locations)

● The Gulf

Atherton ●

● Cairns

● Innisfail

Ingham ●

● Palm Island

Townsville ●

● Burdekin

Mount Isa ● ● Cloncurry

Charters Towers ●

● Bowen

● Whitsundays



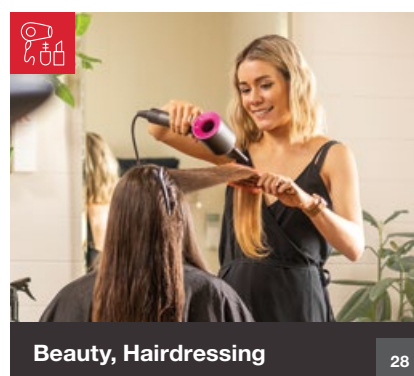
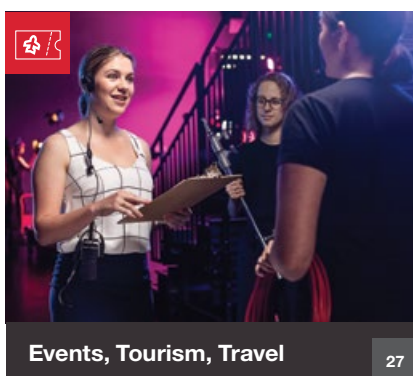
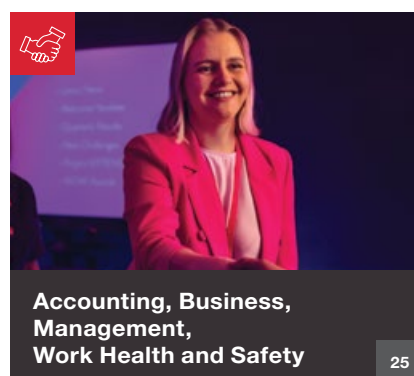




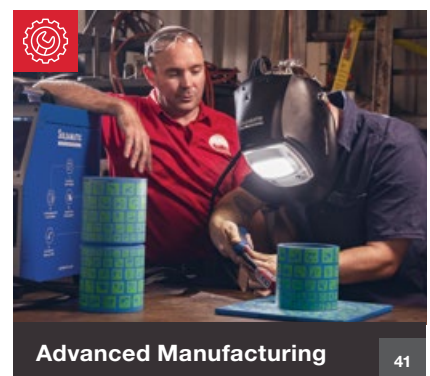
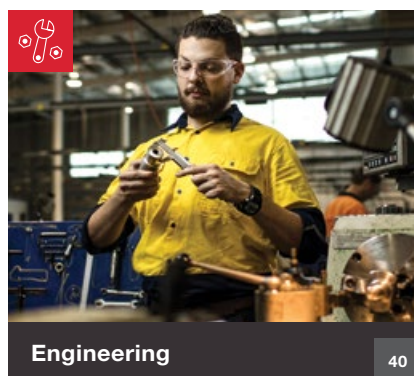
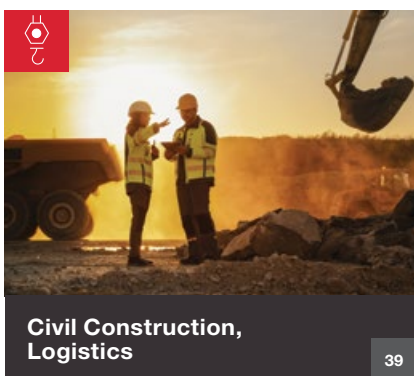
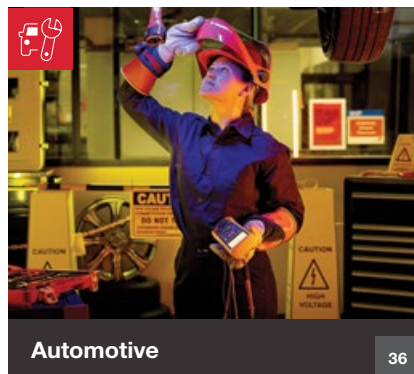
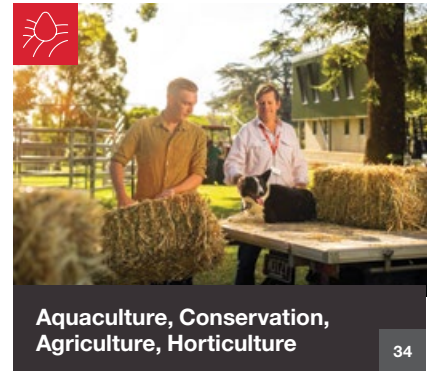
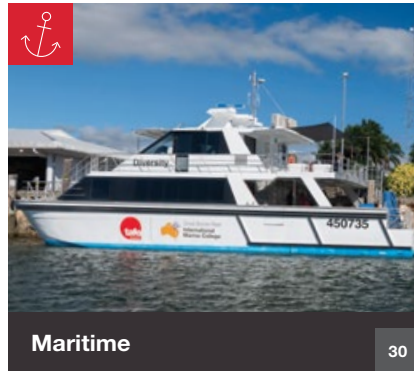
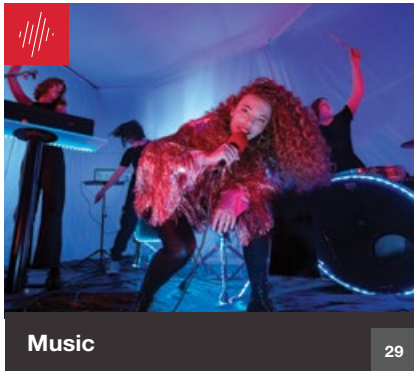


# Study areas

Whether you dream of a career in Nursing, Hospitality, Business, IT, Community Services or a trade, TAFE Queensland has the course options to kick-start your career.









TAFE Queensland acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of Country throughout Australia and respects the continuing connection to land, waters, cultures and family that First Nations peoples uphold. We pay respect to Elders past and present. We recognise that teaching and learning has taken place on Country for over 60,000 years and two-way learning is an important part of our reconciliation journey.

# Why study at TAFE Queensland?

We train  
approximately

# 139,000



**students every year including 30,000 apprentices**



**Over 100**  
University pathways

**Over 140 years**  
of experience



**Industry  
experienced**  
teachers, eager  
to share their  
knowledge

**Practical  
hands-on**  
courses that get  
you job-ready  
sooner



**60 +**  
delivery  
locations  
across  
Queensland

**Flexible &  
supportive**  
learning  
environment



**89%** of our  
graduates go on to  
work or further study

**400 +**  
entry-level  
certificates  
to bachelor



**93.1%**  
employer  
satisfaction rate

**89%**  
student  
satisfaction rate



# Qualifications explained

We offer a full range of nationally-recognised qualifications from entry-level certificates through to advanced diplomas. We also offer comprehensive trade training from beginner to advanced levels.



## Certificates

### Certificate I

Certificate I courses cover base-level skills for entry into the workforce.

### Certificate II

Certificate II courses prepare you for entry-level positions or apprenticeships in a variety of industries.

### Certificate III

Certificate III qualifications are ideal for those wanting to gain a trade, change careers or move out of entry-level roles.

### Certificate IV

Certificate IV courses typically interest those who want to advance their careers in the industry they already work in, or further develop skills and knowledge acquired through previous study.



## Diplomas

### Diploma

Diploma courses develop broad and in-depth skills in professional, technical or creative fields.

### Advanced Diploma

An advanced diploma is ideal for ambitious professionals wanting to fast-track their career.



## University pathways

There's more than one way to get into your dream university course. We have a range of pathway options that can get you started on your university degree sooner. Explore your options at:

[tafeqld.edu.au/courses/pathways-to-university](http://tafeqld.edu.au/courses/pathways-to-university)



## Trade qualifications

### Pre-apprenticeship courses

Pre-apprenticeships are a great way to improve your prospects of gaining an apprenticeship, develop practical skills in your trade, and gain credit towards a full apprenticeship.

### Apprenticeships

Earn while you learn by undertaking an apprenticeship with TAFE Queensland. Completing an apprenticeship is essential if you want to become a qualified tradesperson.

### Traineeships

Much like apprenticeships, traineeships give you the opportunity to combine training with a paying job. Trainees are trained in vocational areas such as early childhood education and care, or business.

### Post-trade training

Post-trade training is great if you want to specialise, gain a specific trade licence, gain credit towards university, or expand your horizons after completing an apprenticeship.

# Support services

Everyone's journey is different and sometimes you need some extra support. We're here to help. Free and confidential support services are available to all students. [tafeqld.edu.au/student-support-services](https://tafeqld.edu.au/student-support-services)



## Learning support

The Learning Skills team is ready to assist you with:

- Skills Check
- Your digital, reading, writing and mathematics skills
- Succeeding in your course, whichever way you are studying
- Time management and preparing for exams
- Help with assignments, referencing and essay writing
- Studiosity: 24/7 on-demand, online study help for academic literacy skills and core subject support



## Skills Check

Before you enrol in your course, you may be invited to complete a Skills Check - an online assessment tool used by TAFE Queensland to understand your current abilities in English, Maths and using Digital Technology.

The Skills Check measures your levels against the recommended or required benchmarks, listed on your course page, based on the Australian Core Skills Framework (ACSF).

Unless it is a formal entry requirement for your course, your results will not stop you from enrolling. They simply help us to provide the right support to help you succeed.

Understanding your skill levels before starting a new course is important. **It allows you to:**

- make an informed choice about your course before you go ahead and enrol
- explore alternative courses or pathways
- access learning support so you have the best chance to graduate successfully.

If the Skills Check identifies any skill gaps, you can access learning modules designed to help you improve.



## AccessAbility support

If you identify with having a disability, our staff can work with you to develop a support plan. This may include:

- Communicating with your teacher on your behalf, if required
- Providing sign language interpreters, readers and scribes
- Loaning you assistive technology
- Coordinating alternative assessment arrangements



## Counselling support

Short-term counselling is available for all students. Support services include:

- Deciding what career path to follow
- Choosing the right course
- General difficulties with student life
- Personal and complex issues
- Cross-cultural and special needs
- Service referrals for long-term support





## Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander student support

Indigenous Student Support Officers are available to assist Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students to reach their educational goals by providing support in a culturally sensitive manner. Indigenous Student Support Officers assist with:

- Enrolment processes
- Centrelink ABSTUDY enquiries
- Tutor support
- Referrals to other community service providers
- Enquiries for 'Away from Base' courses
- Personal support

To talk to an Indigenous Student Support Officer call **1300 308 233**.



## Internet/WiFi

WiFi hot spots are available at various campuses. Student computers are equipped with Internet access. To find out how to connect, visit [tafeqld.edu.au/wifi](http://tafeqld.edu.au/wifi)



## Libraries

All TAFE Queensland students receive automatic library membership which gives you access to our physical library services as well as an extensive range of digital resources that are available to use at any time.

Our library network allows both online and on-campus students to access information and borrow resources from across all TAFE Queensland libraries.

Our fully qualified library staff can help you:

- Use the library facilities including the library catalogue
- Access digital resources including eBooks, eJournals, streaming videos, and databases
- Reserve resources from other campuses
- Start to research your assignment topic
- Reference assignment sources to avoid copyright and plagiarism issues

[tafeqld.edu.au/about/facilities/libraries](http://tafeqld.edu.au/about/facilities/libraries)



# Ways you can study



## On campus

You'll learn face-to-face with a teacher in one of our learning spaces like a classroom, workshop, laboratory or simulated learning environment. You can also interact with your teachers using live video or web conference programs. You may also need to access our learning management system, Connect, to access resources, assessment details or submit assessments.



## On campus with some online

You'll primarily learn face-to-face with a teacher in one of our learning spaces like a classroom, workshop, laboratory or simulated learning environment. In this study mode you will attend a TAFE Queensland campus most of the time, but some of your classes or training may be via video or web conference programs (like Zoom).



## Online self-directed

Our online self-directed courses are designed for individuals who want the flexibility to study at their own pace and cannot or prefer not to attend on campus or be locked into attending classes at specified times. You will access learning materials including documents, videos, assessments and more through Connect – our learning management system and will complete self-paced study.



## Online virtual classroom

Your course will be delivered online, but to a scheduled timetable. To complete your study you will interact with your teachers and other students using live video or web conference programs (like Zoom), and access learning materials through Connect – our learning management system.



## Recognition of prior learning (RPL)

If you've completed prior study or have significant work experience, applying for credit transfers or Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) can reduce study time and costs.



## Online with on campus practical training

Your course is primarily online, however you will need to come into a campus to undertake face-to-face practical learning and assessment. As an online student you will access learning materials through Connect – our learning management system and may interact with your teachers and other students using live video or web conference programs.



## Residential blocks

Some of our courses are delivered via mixed mode in intensive blocks of training and distance education. You may be required to travel away from home to complete this type of study. Funding support may be available to assist students with travel, accommodation and meal costs. Students must provide evidence of ABSTUDY eligibility.



## Apprenticeship

Earn while you learn. Work and earn a wage with an employer while you complete hands-on training and a nationally-recognised qualification.



## Traineeship

Work and learn at the same time. Combine on-the-job training with an employer, while you study and get paid.



## TAFE at School

If you're a Year 10\*, 11 or 12 student, you can complete a range of certificate I and certificate II courses. TAFE at School courses work in with your existing high school studies and also count towards your Queensland Certificate of Education (QCE).

\*Subject to a letter of support from the school Principal.



# GET NEW SKILLS WITH FEE-FREE TAFE

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA APPLIES



For more information including a full list of eligible qualifications, visit:  
**[tafeqld.edu.au/fee-free](https://tafeqld.edu.au/fee-free)**

MAKE  
GREAT  
HAPPEN



## Pathways to your future

TAFE Queensland has a range of pathway options that can get you started on your university degree sooner. If you didn't finish Year 12, complete the required prerequisites, or get the ATAR you needed, TAFE Queensland can help you get into your preferred university degree.

### TAFE QUEENSLAND COURSE

Certificate or Diploma

Advanced Diploma

Bachelor Degree

[Go straight to second year for some courses]

TAFE at School

Recognition of  
Prior Learning (RPL)

### APPRENTICESHIP OR TRAINEESHIP

Choose an employer and TAFE  
Queensland as your training provider

Certificate III/IV

Diploma

SKILLED EMPLOYMENT

# Subsidies and payment options\*



As a TAFE Queensland student, there are a range of subsidies, concessions, loans and scholarships you may be eligible for, to assist you with the cost of your study. For more information, visit [tafeqld.edu.au/what-it-costs](https://tafeqld.edu.au/what-it-costs)



## Payment plans

TAFE Queensland offers an interest free payment plan option to approved students allowing them to pay their fees in instalments over the duration of their study. Payment plans are available for both full fee paying students and students paying a subsidised tuition fee. Terms and conditions apply and payment plans are only offered through direct debit bank contracts. To find out if you're eligible for government and independent funding to help reduce the cost of your training, visit [tafeqld.edu.au/eligibility-calculator](https://tafeqld.edu.au/eligibility-calculator)



## VET Student Loans

If you are eligible, you may be able to apply for a VET Student Loan. You can view the fee schedules for the list of available courses that are eligible for a VET Student Loan at [tafeqld.edu.au/vsl-fee-schedules](https://tafeqld.edu.au/vsl-fee-schedules)



## Student portal

Through the portal, you can pay your fees, update your details, access your Statement of Account, check your academic results and submit electronic requests. For example: Credit Transfer application, change of name. [tafeqld.edu.au/student-portal](https://tafeqld.edu.au/student-portal)



## Scholarships

Achieve your career goals with the help of a TAFE Queensland Scholarship. For further information, visit [scholarships.tafeqld.edu.au](https://scholarships.tafeqld.edu.au)

# How to apply

### 1 Choose your course

- Make sure you fully understand the course details and fees.

### 2 Entry requirements

- Some courses don't have any entry requirements, however may require previous qualifications, skills or knowledge. You can find this information on all course pages on our website under **Important Information**.

### 3 Your rights and responsibilities as a student

- It is important that you take the time to familiarise yourself with the TAFE Queensland Student Rules and Policies on our website. Visit [tafeqld.edu.au/student-rules](https://tafeqld.edu.au/student-rules)

### 4 Complete your application

- Go to [tafeqld.edu.au/eligibilitydocuments](https://tafeqld.edu.au/eligibilitydocuments) to view eligibility documents required.
- Gather and upload your eligibility documents to submit online via the **Apply Now** button on the course brochure, apply via the **Student Portal** or provide hard copies to a **Customer Service Centre**.
- Arrange payment and enrol.

\*Subsidies and payment options are subject to change.



# Apprenticeships and traineeships



Apprenticeships and traineeships combine paid work with structured training to gain a qualification. At TAFE Queensland, we work with your employer to help you successfully gain competence in a trade (apprenticeship) or a vocational area (traineeship).

Upon completion, you may find yourself in a great place to keep working, go on to future study or even start your own business!

Did you know you can start an apprenticeship or traineeship during high school, after school or if you've been in the workforce for a long time?

Traineeships vary in length from six months to three years, while apprenticeships generally take three to four years to complete. TAFE Queensland will assist you and your employer to get started and will provide ongoing support every step of the way!



## Four easy steps to become an apprentice or trainee

### 1 Choose the right apprenticeship or traineeship

- Think about what you enjoy doing and what your interests are.
- Speak to your family, friends or your school career counsellor or guidance officer.
- Get the facts at [apprenticeshipsinfo.qld.gov.au](http://apprenticeshipsinfo.qld.gov.au)

### 2 Find an employer

- You can be employed directly by a business. The business will pay your wages and train you with the support of a training organisation.

#### To find an employer:

- Contact businesses either in person or through a letter
- Apply for jobs
- Search for jobs on websites:  
[workforceaustralia.gov.au](http://workforceaustralia.gov.au), [seek.com.au](http://seek.com.au) and [careerone.com.au](http://careerone.com.au)
- Using your personal networks – talk to family and friends to see if they know anyone who could employ you as an apprentice or trainee.
- Contact a Workforce Australia Employment Service provider – these organisations can provide you with a list of job vacancies in your area. Visit [workforceaustralia.gov.au](http://workforceaustralia.gov.au)
- You can be employed by a group training organisation who will place you with different businesses to gain on-the-job experience, pay your wage and organise your training.  
To find a group training organisation visit:  
[desbt.qld.gov.au/training/employers/gto/contact](http://desbt.qld.gov.au/training/employers/gto/contact)

### 3 Choose your training partners

- Work with an Apprentice Connect Australia Provider (ACAP): They will work with you and your employer at this stage to help you complete the training contract.
- Choose a training organisation: You and your employer will choose a training organisation (TAFE) who will work with you throughout the apprenticeship or traineeship. Visit an Apprentice Connect Australia Provider [apprenticeships.gov.au/who-to-contact/search-for-a-group-training-organisation](http://apprenticeships.gov.au/who-to-contact/search-for-a-group-training-organisation) for more information.

### 4 Get started

- Complete your paperwork: Speak to your employer and your training organisation to complete your paperwork and develop your training plan.
- Use the probationary period: Probation is a period when the apprentice or trainee works and trains with an employer before each decides whether to continue.

# Skills for Education and Employment Program

## Free skills training

The Skills for Education and Employment (SEE) program is a great way to build the skills you need for the job market or further study.

-  **Free course** - This training is fully funded by the Australian Government and is free for our students.
-  **Meet mutual obligations** - In SEE, you'll earn 25 points per week towards your mutual obligations.
-  **Certificate outcomes** - Access up to two years of training in order to complete a course or certificate up to (and including) Certificate III.
-  **Job focus** - From job interview techniques to short vocational courses, we'll get you ready for the job market.
-  **Workplace experience** - Through SEE, you may be able to participate in local work placements relevant to your career goals.
-  **Start at anytime** - **Don't wait for the next term to start.** Our classes offer rolling intakes, so you can start any week of term.

## Who can join?

- ✓ You are aged 15 years or over and have left school.
- ✓ You are keen to build your skills to gain access to work and study.
- ✓ You are an Australian citizen, permanent visa holder or Pacific Australian Labour Mobility visa holder, or you are on a provisional or temporary visa with working rights and are eligible for the Adult Migrant English Program.



The Skills for Education and Employment (SEE) program is funded by the Australian Government Department of Employment and Workplace Relations.

For more information call 1300 308 233 or talk to your Employment Service Provider.  
[tafeqld.edu.au/tells](http://tafeqld.edu.au/tells)



# Adult Migrant English Program

The Adult Migrant English Program (AMEP) offers free and basic English language classes to help migrants and refugees settle into life in Australia.

- Access free English lessons and funded childcare.
- Study full time or part time.
- Access to tutors.
- Make new friends and learn about living in Australia.
- Connect with Australian workplace language, culture and practices.
- Learn how to access government and community services.

## Eligibility criteria

- ✓ You have a family, skilled, humanitarian, spousal or approved temporary visa. (Approved temporary visas do not include a work and holiday visa, working holiday visa or visitor visas).
- ✓ You need to improve your English.
- ✓ You are aged over 18. Some migrant youths aged 15-17 may also be eligible.



The Adult Migrant English Program (AMEP) is funded by the Australian Government Department of Home Affairs. In Queensland, the AMEP is delivered through TAFE Queensland.

For more information call 1300 308 233  
[tafeqld.edu.au/tells](http://tafeqld.edu.au/tells)







## Residential Block Training

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students don't need to live near one of our campuses to study a course with us. At TAFE Queensland north region, we deliver a number of courses via residential study blocks.

These courses are registered as Away from Base courses, which means students may be able to have their travel, accommodation and a meal allowance paid when they attend residential blocks. Students must be registered with ABSTUDY to be eligible for Away from Base funding.

For more information about Away from Base courses, contact an Indigenous Student Support Officer on 1300 308 233.

**Certificate III in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education 11212NAT**

**Certificate III in Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Cultural Arts CUA30520\***

**Certificate III in Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Primary Health Care HLT30121**

**Certificate III in Business (for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students) BSB30120**

**Certificate III in Conservation and Ecosystem Management AHC31424**

**Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care CHC30121**

**Certificate IV in Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Primary Health Care Practice HLT40221**

**Certificate IV in Leadership and Management (for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students) BSB40520**

**Diploma of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education 11214NAT**

**Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care CHC50121**

**Diploma of Leadership and Management (for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students) BSB50420**

**Diploma of Nursing HLT54121**



\*Qualification currently in transition, course code subject to change



## Remote Area Teacher Education Program (RATEP)

### Looking for a pathway to teaching?

RATEP is a community-based teacher education program that provides a direct pathway for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people living in remote, rural and regional locations to become registered teachers, qualified teacher aides or early childhood educators.

The RATEP program is a partnership between TAFE Queensland north region, Queensland Department of Education and James Cook University (JCU). This program aims to increase the employment of Indigenous teachers and grow the capability of Indigenous paraprofessionals within Queensland state schools, supporting the Department of Education 2025-2029 Strategic Plan.

Students undertaking the program are enrolled in the Certificate III in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education 11212NAT or the Diploma of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education 11214NAT. The program is offered at a number of RATEP sites throughout Queensland as well as an off-site delivery model with teacher support. Teacher coordinators provide support to students at these sites as well as students studying remotely off-site.

Depending on their chosen learning pathway, students complete their studies with TAFE Queensland and JCU. This tailored support enables students to stay in community and be part of community while learning.

#### Benefits to students include:

- subsidised training for eligible applicants
- payment plans available
- gain credit toward higher qualifications
- financial assistance for travel and accommodation to attend residential blocks in Cairns for eligible students.

Qualifications in both Early Childhood Education and Care and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education are available to study.

#### **Certificate III in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education 11212NAT**

Start your teaching journey with this entry-level course for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students. Gain the skills to work as a teaching assistant and access pathways into a Bachelor of Education at James Cook University.

**Job prospects:** Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander education worker, teacher assistant, teacher aide

#### **Diploma of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education 11214NAT**

Accelerate your teaching career with this advanced qualification for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students. This course will put you on the path to becoming a fully qualified classroom teacher.

**Job prospects:** Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander education worker, teacher assistant, teacher aide

For more information visit  
[tafeqld.edu.au/ratep](https://tafeqld.edu.au/ratep)







## Foundation Skills and Training

### **Certificate I in Retail Services** SIR10116

Kick start your career in retail services. Gain skills to become competent in a range of activities within the retail sector.

**Job prospects:** Customer service assistant, frontline sales assistant

### **Certificate I in Workplace Skills** BSB10120

Prepare for further study and equip yourself with the foundation skills to work in a range of entry-level administrative positions.

**Job prospects:** Administration assistant, office assistant, general clerk

### **Certificate II in Workplace Skills** BSB20120

Kick start your career by developing the skills you need to perform basic administration tasks in an office environment.

**Job prospects:** Office assistant, receptionist

### **Certificate II in Skills for Education, Training and Employment Pathways** 11140NAT

Progress and refine your communication, language, literacy and numeracy skills, and gain increased confidence to enter the workforce or undertake further study.

**Job prospects:** Further study pathways, and a recognised qualification for defence pathways.





## Early Childhood Education and Care

- **Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care** CHC30121
- **Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care (for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students)** CHC30121  
Explore a rewarding career in early childhood education and care with this entry-level course. This qualification is the minimum requirement for early childhood settings in Australia.  
**Job prospects:** Family day care provider, early childhood education and care assistant, early childhood education and care worker

- **Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care** CHC50121
- **Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care (for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students)** CHC50121  
Advance your early childhood education and care career with this advanced qualification and make a difference in helping young children learn and grow.  
**Job prospects:** Early childhood educator, early childhood centre director

## Education Support

- **Certificate III in School Based Education Support** CHC30221  
Start your career in education with this entry-level course that will give you the foundation skills you need to get you into the classroom sooner.  
**Job prospects:** Teacher aide in special schools, inclusive education aide, education assistant (culturally diverse school), Indigenous language and culture teaching assistant, education support worker, teacher aide

- **Certificate IV in School Based Education Support** CHC40221  
Take the next step in your career in education with this intermediate level qualification. Progress your understanding of how to support teachers and students in the classroom. Available through Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) only.  
**Job prospects:** Education assistant, Indigenous language and culture teaching assistant, education support worker, school officer, teacher aide

● Also available as a Traineeship ● Apprenticeship





## Creative, Cultural Arts

### Certificate III in Visual Arts CUA31120

Transform your creativity into an exciting new career path in the arts industry with a diverse range of traditional and digital arts skills.

**Job prospects:** Visual artist, arts and media professional, arts worker, art technician, arts facilitator, gallery assistant

### Certificate III in Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Cultural Arts CUA30520\*

Develop your understanding of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander identity and learn to apply this knowledge to an arts context.

**Job prospects:** Production assistant, textile artist, gallery assistant

### Diploma of Visual Arts CUA51120

Take your passion and refine your creative skills and knowledge to a higher level. This course will prepare you for a diverse career within the creative arts industry.

**Job prospects:** Visual artist, creative designer, arts facilitator, arts administrator, illustrator, production and artistic designer, gallery technician

## Short courses

**Glaze technology** Non-accredited

**Intermediate Level Wheel-Thrown Pottery** Non-accredited

**Introduction to Hand Techniques (Ceramics and Sculpture)** Non-accredited

**Introduction to Wheel-Thrown Pottery** Non-accredited

\*Qualification currently in transition, course code subject to change



## Community Services

### ● **Certificate III in Community Services** CHC32015

Learn how to help people in need and gain the foundation skills necessary to complete further studies in the field.

**Job prospects:** Varied community support worker roles, individual community support worker, neighbourhood centre worker, community services worker

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### **Certificate IV in Community Services** CHC42021

Develop practical skills and knowledge to work with a diverse range of people in the community, residential and health care settings.

**Job prospects:** Residential care worker, community health worker, relationship educator, volunteer coordinator, migrant community worker, tenants advisory worker, community development worker, family support worker,

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### **Diploma of Community Services** CHC52021

This course gives you high-level communication skills, and the ability to develop strategies to work with at-risk groups within the community. You will also gain valuable research skills and be taught how to work within legal and ethical frameworks.

**Job prospects:** Social housing coordinator, community services worker, welfare worker, family support worker

## Mental Health

### **Certificate IV in Mental Health** CHC43315

Discover a rewarding career in the community services or health industry with this entry-level course that will qualify you to work in mental health in a broad range of settings.

**Job prospects:** Mental health officer, mental health support worker, community services worker

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### **Diploma of Mental Health/Diploma of Alcohol and Other Drugs** CHC53315/CHC53215

Upgrade your career in the community services or health industry with this advanced-level course that will qualify you to work in mental health, specialising in alcohol and drug services.

**Job prospects:** Mental health worker, alcohol and other drugs worker

● Also available as a Traineeship





## Counselling

### Diploma of Counselling CHC51015

Take the next step in your career in community services with this advanced qualification. Develop expert counselling and communication skills you need to help others in a variety of different settings.

**Job prospects:** Counsellor, case worker, health and leisure worker, case worker, support worker

## Youth Work

### Certificate IV in Child, Youth and Family Intervention (Residential and Out of Home Care) CHC40321

If you have a passion for working with vulnerable members of the community, take the next step in your career in child welfare with this intermediate qualification.

**Job prospects:** Parenting programs, child safety support officer, youth justice youth worker, school based youth support officer, child and youth residential care programs, community based support programs, intervention and support programs with children, young people and their families, relationship educator, residential care worker

### Certificate IV in Child, Youth and Family Intervention (Family Support) CHC40321

If you have a passion for working with vulnerable members of the community, take the next step in your career in child welfare with this intermediate qualification.

**Job prospects:** Relationship educator, family support worker

### Certificate IV in Youth Work CHC40421

Gain the specialised skills and knowledge to engage and work with young people in the community with this mid-level qualification.

**Job prospects:** Indigenous support worker, child safety support officer, youth justice worker, school-based youth support officer

### Diploma of Youth Work CHC50421

Upgrade your skills in the community service sector with this advanced qualification. This course is perfect for those who want to work with young people in a diverse range of settings.

**Job prospects:** Child safety support officer, youth mental health and disability youth worker, youth justice youth worker, support worker, youth worker in community based programs, child and youth residential care worker, youth worker

## Aged Care, Disability

### ● Certificate III in Individual Support (Ageing) CHC33021

Make a start in your career in aged care with this entry-level qualification. This specialised course will give you the skills to facilitate the empowerment of older people, and provide support to those living with dementia.

**Job prospects:** Personal care worker, home help worker, support worker, respite care worker

### ● Certificate III in Individual Support (Disability) CHC33021

Make a start in your career in disability services with this entry-level qualification. This specialised course will give you the skills to facilitate the empowerment of people with disabilities, and support community participation and social inclusion.

**Job prospects:** Personal care worker, home help worker, support worker, disability support worker

### ● Certificate III in Individual Support (Ageing and Disability) CHC33021

Kick start your career in the community services industry with this entry-level qualification. Gain the practical skills and knowledge needed to provide individual support in aged care, as well as disability settings.

**Job prospects:** Aged care worker, respite care worker, personal care giver, disability services worker

● Also available as a Traineeship



## Primary Health Care

### ● **Certificate III in Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Primary Health Care** HLT30121

Kick start your career in Indigenous health care with this entry-level course.

**Job prospects:** Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health worker

### **Certificate IV in Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Primary Health Care Practice** HLT40221

Take your career in health to the next level with this intermediate-level qualification. Gain the core skills needed to address health issues faced by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities.

**Job prospects:** Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health worker or practitioner

## Nursing

### ● **Certificate III in Health Services Assistance** HLT33115

Get a head start in the health care sector with this entry-level qualification. Gain the foundation skills needed to assist in a diverse range of health care settings.

**Job prospects:** Assistant in Nursing (AIN), client care, services and support worker

### **Diploma of Nursing** HLT54121

Advance your career in nursing with this high-level course that will qualify you to seek registration with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia.

**Job prospects:** Enrolled nurse

## Pathology

### **Certificate III in Pathology Collection** HLT37215

Gain the skills and knowledge to explore a career in health science with this entry-level course.

**Job prospects:** Pathology collector

● Also available as a Traineeship





## Health Administration

### Certificate III in Health Administration HLT37315

Gain the foundation skills to pursue a career in health administration with this entry-level course.

**Job prospects:** Medical administrator, medical receptionist, admissions clerk

### Certificate IV in Health Administration HLT47321

Take the next step in your career in administration with this intermediate-level course. Get the skills to become a supervisor for a human resources, medical records, or health services team.

**Job prospects:** Patient services manager, medical records team leader, health services supervisor, health HR manager

### Diploma of Practice Management HLT57715

Further develop specialised frontline management and leadership skills required to operate professional practices within the health industry.

**Job prospects:** Practice manager, health and welfare services manager, medical administrator, medical practice manager, business manager

## Allied Health

### Certificate III in Allied Health Assistance HLT33021

Embark upon your career in the health sector with this entry-level course that may qualify you to work as an assistant to allied health professionals including dietitians, occupational therapists, physiotherapists, speech therapists and podiatrists.

**Job prospects:** Assistant to: Podiatrist, physiotherapist, occupational therapist, medical imaging assistant, allied health assistant

### Certificate IV in Allied Health HLT43021

Kick start your career in the health sector with this mid-level course that will qualify you to work as an assistant allied health specialist in a diverse range of settings.

**Job prospects:** Therapy assistant, physiotherapy assistant, occupational therapy assistant, allied health assistant

## Short courses

### Assist Clients with Medication skill set CHCSS00070 Accredited

- Recognise healthy body systems HLTAAP001
- Assist clients with medication HLTHPS006

### Case Management skill set CHCSS00140 Accredited

- Coordinate complex case requirements CHCCSM012
- Facilitate and review case management CHCCSM013
- Undertake advanced assessments CHCCSM016

### Dementia Support CHCSS00123 Accredited

- Provide support to people living with dementia CHCAGE011
- Follow established person-centred behaviour support CHCCCS044

### Early Childhood Education and Care (ECEC) First Aid SSHLT0037 Accredited

- Provide cardiopulmonary resuscitation HLTAID009
- Provide first aid in an education and care setting HLTAID012

### First Aid and CPR skill set SSHLT0031 Accredited

- Provide cardiopulmonary resuscitation HLTAID009
- Provide first aid HLTAID011

### Interpret and apply medical terminology appropriately skill set SSHLT0019 Accredited

- Interpret and apply medical terminology appropriately BSBMED301

### Provide CPR skill set SSHLT0029 Accredited

- Provide cardiopulmonary resuscitation HLTAID009



## Information Technology

### **Certificate III in Information Technology** ICT30120

Kick start your career in information and communications technology (ICT) with this entry-level qualification. Get the skills you need to work as an ICT help desk operator. You'll discover how to care for computer hardware, provide ICT advice to clients, and provide basic system administration support.

**Job prospects:** Help desk officer, network support officer, ICT technician

### **Diploma of Information Technology (Advanced Networking and Cloud Engineering)** ICT50220

Advance your IT career with this high-level course and learn specialist skills in networking and cloud engineering.

**Job prospects:** Cloud architect, cloud engineer, cyber security administrator, network engineer

## Cyber Security

### **Certificate IV in Cyber Security** 22603VIC

Gain the foundation knowledge and skills in website security, IT network testing, and ICT security. Develop technical skills including how to implement network security infrastructure and detect breaches in network security, as well as essential soft skills such as stakeholder management.

**Job prospects:** Cyber security support officer, website security support officer, network security support officer

## TAFE Queensland x Townsville Fire

### Miela Sowah - she's back - and she's on fire.

TAFE Queensland is proud to sponsor Miela Sowah, Townsville Fire's #1 for the 2025/26 WNBL season.





## Accounting

### **Certificate IV in Accounting and Bookkeeping FNS40222**

Get a head start on your finance career and combine practical bookkeeping skills and accounting concepts with this comprehensive bookkeeping course.

**Job prospects:** Bookkeeping, accounts clerk, payroll officer, accounting support officer

## Business

### ● **Certificate III in Business (for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students) BSB30120**

Develop the practical skills to successfully work in a range of office and business environments.

**Job prospects:** Accounts clerk, junior personal assistant, office assistant, receptionist

### **Diploma of Business BSB50120**

Upgrade your career with this high-level qualification. Elevate your business skills at a management or executive level.

**Job prospects:** Program consultant, program coordinator, executive officer, administration manager

## Management

### **Diploma of Project Management BSB50820**

Enrich your career and gain the advanced skills and knowledge you need to successfully manage projects.

**Job prospects:** Project administrator, project manager, project team leader, project leader

### **Certificate IV in Leadership and Management BSB40520**

#### **Certificate IV in Leadership and Management (for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students) BSB40520**

Discover your potential in leadership and management with this mid-level qualification. You will learn specialised skills that will help you to excel as a team leader or supervisor.

**Job prospects:** Supervisor, team leader

### **Diploma of Leadership and Management BSB50420**

#### **Diploma of Leadership and Management (for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students) BSB50420**

Advance your leadership career with this high-level qualification. Gain specialised skills to manage teams across diverse departments and industry sectors.

**Job prospects:** Business manager, human resource manager, sales team manager

## Work Health and Safety

### **Certificate IV in Work Health and Safety BSB41419**

Upgrade your skills and knowledge in work health and safety with this mid-level qualification. This qualification will give you specialised skills to seek work as a safety inspector or human resources assistant.

**Job prospects:** Work Health and Safety (WHS) systems officer, payroll officer, human resources assistant

● Also available as a Traineeship





## Hospitality

### ● Certificate III in Hospitality (Food and Beverage) SIT30622

Gain essential skills and knowledge to join the hospitality industry in an entry-level position, and discover the various exciting career pathways of the industry.

**Job prospects:** Function host, guest service agent, waiter, senior bar attendant, restaurant host, food and beverage attendant, function attendant

### Diploma of Hospitality Management SIT50422

Take the next step in your career and get the skills you need to take on a management role in the hospitality industry.

**Job prospects:** Café or restaurant manager, kitchen manager, executive housekeeper

## Cookery

### ● Certificate II in Cookery SIT20421

Set yourself on the path to a career in the kitchen with this introductory level course.

**Job prospects:** Fast food cook, catering assistant, breakfast cook, takeaway cook, sandwich hand, apprentice chef

### ● Certificate III in Commercial Cookery SIT30821

Stir up new opportunities and gain a diverse range of skills to work effectively in the kitchen.

**Job prospects:** Cook, commercial cook, banquet cook, café cook, bistro cook

### Certificate IV in Kitchen Management SIT40521

Develop your technical skills and advanced knowledge required to join a kitchen brigade or continue with further specialised study.

**Job prospects:** Chef de partie, chef

### Certificate III in Marine Operations (Marine Cookery) MAR30320

Set sail and embark on a culinary career at sea. Develop a broad range of skills to become a professional cook in the maritime industry. Only available through Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL).

**Job prospects:** Ship's cook, marine cook

## Short courses

### Food Handling skill set SITSS00068 Accredited

- Use hygienic practices for food safety SITXFSA005

### Food Safety Supervision SITSS00069 Accredited

- Use hygienic practices for food safety SITXFSA005
- Participate in safe food handling practices SITXFSA006

### Introduction to Barista skill set SSSIT0001 Accredited

- Use hygienic practices for food safety SITXFSA005
- Prepare and serve espresso coffee SITHFAB025

### Responsible Service of Alcohol SITSS00071 Accredited

- Provide responsible service of alcohol SITHFAB021

● Also available as a Traineeship ● Apprenticeship



## Events

### ● Certificate III in Events SIT30522

Kick-start an unforgettable career in events with this entry-level traineeship.

**Job prospects:** Conference and events assistant, event operations assistant, event administrative assistant

### Diploma of Event Management SIT50322

Enhance your career in events with this advanced-level qualification. Learn how to work effectively as part of a team to create memorable experiences for your audience. Study online.

**Job prospects:** Conference coordinator, event or exhibition planner, function coordinator, venue coordinator, staging coordinator

## Tourism, Travel

### ● Certificate III in Travel SIT30222

Turn your love of travel into a career with this entry-level course. Study online

**Job prospects:** Reservation sales agent (tour operator), international corporate or online travel consultant

### ● Certificate III in Tourism SIT30122

Embark on a career in tourism with this entry-level course. Gain skills to work across a number of strong-growth industries such as tourism, business and events.

**Job prospects:** Visitor information officer, marine tourism assistant, inbound tour coordinator, cellar door salesperson and guide, reservations sales agent

### Diploma of Travel and Tourism Management SIT50122

Develop your career and gain global opportunities with this advanced-level qualification. Gain high-level communication and technical skills that you need to manage a travel or tourism business.

**Job prospects:** Tour operations manager, travel agency manager, marketing manager, sales manager



## Beauty

### Certificate III in Beauty Services SHB30121

Help others look and feel beautiful with this entry-level qualification. This course is a minimum requirement to work as a beauty therapist or make-up artist.

**Job prospects:** Beautician, beauty consultant, make-up artist

### ● Diploma of Beauty Therapy SHB50121

Enhance your career in beauty with this high-level qualification. Learn the specialised knowledge and skills you need to work as a senior beauty therapist.

**Job prospects:** Beauty therapist

### Certificate III in Beauty Services SHB30121 / Diploma of Beauty Therapy SHB50121

Accelerate your career in the beauty industry with this dual Certificate III and Diploma-level qualifications. This course will give you the specialised skills and knowledge to flourish within the beauty industry.

**Job prospects:** Beauty therapist, Make-up artist

## Hairdressing

### ● Certificate III in Hairdressing SHB30416

Style your career in hairdressing with this entry-level qualification. This course is an essential minimum requirement for every hairdresser.

**Job prospects:** Hairdresser, hair stylist

### ● Certificate III in Barbering SHB30516

Kick start your career in the hairdressing industry and become a barber with this entry-level course.

**Job prospects:** Barber







## Music

### Certificate III in Music CUA30920

Follow your passion for music and performance to kick start your career in the music industry with this entry level qualification.

**Job prospects:** Recording artist, band member, band leader, assistant sound engineer, stage hand

## Official Vocational Education and Training (VET) Partner of the North Queensland Toyota Cowboys





## Maritime

Queensland's vast and vibrant coastline opens the door to a wide range of exciting maritime careers in a growing and dynamic industry. Whether you're drawn to the open sea or prefer working closer to shore, maritime roles are found across many sectors, including:

- Coastal shipping and ferry operations
- Fishing vessels and aquaculture support
- Tourism and charter vessels
- Tug and barge operations
- Government and emergency response vessels
- Offshore support services

TAFE Queensland delivers a wide range of maritime training programs through the Great Barrier Reef International Marine College (GBRIMC) campus.

These programs are tailored to both domestic and international learners and include:

- Entry-level qualifications for those starting a career in maritime operations, such as general purpose hand and coxswain training.
- Advanced certifications for roles like marine engine driver, master of vessels up to 24 or 45 metres, and marine cookery.
- Safety and survival training, including fire prevention, sea survival, and shipboard safety, all aligned with AMSA and STCW standards.
- Customised and refresher training for continued competency and professional development, often tailored to industry or organisational needs.

Training is designed to meet national and international regulatory requirements and is often delivered in partnership with industry stakeholders. With Queensland's strategic location and expanding maritime sector, there's never been a better time to set sail on a rewarding career. Visit our website to learn more [tafeqld.edu.au/gbrimc](https://tafeqld.edu.au/gbrimc)





## AMSA approved short courses

Great Barrier Reef International Marine College (GBRIMC), a campus of TAFE Queensland, holds an AMSA Certificate of Approval to conduct final assessments. Visit [amsa.gov.au](https://amsa.gov.au) for more information.

### Electronic Chart Display and Information System

**Use of Electronic Chart Display and Information System (ECDIS) skill set** SSMAR0013 Accredited  
ECDIS | STCW Reg II/1 & II/2

The Electronic Chart Display Information System (ECDIS) course provides the knowledge, skills and understanding of ECDIS and electronic charts to the thorough extent needed to safely navigate vessels whose primary means of navigation is ECDIS.

### Fire

**Contribute to Fire Prevention and Basic Firefighting skill set** SSMAR0010 Accredited  
Basic Fire Prevention and Firefighting | STCW Reg VI/1 Code A-VI/1 Table A-VI/1-2

Develop skills in the operation of firefighting equipment and actions to be taken in the event of a fire on board a ship. This course is one of the components required to obtain an AMSA issued Certificate of Safety Training (CoST), which is the minimum mandatory qualification required to serve on board vessels in international waters

**Prevent, Control and Fight Fires on Board a Vessel (Advanced Firefighting) skill set** SSMAR0017 Accredited  
Advanced Firefighting | STCW Reg VI/3 and Code Section A-VI/3, Table A-VI/3

This course provides participants with the skills and knowledge required to respond effectively as a key member of the on board command firefighting team. You will learn to manage shipboard fire prevention, coordinate tactical firefighting, and use and maintain firefighting and fire detection equipment carried on merchant vessels.





## AMSA approved short courses

### Security

#### **Follow Vessel Security Procedures (Security Awareness Training) skill set** SSMAR0015 Accredited

Security Awareness Training (SAT) | STCW Code Section A-VI/6 para 4

The SAT course is one of the components required to obtain an AMSA issued Certificate of Safety Training, and covers maritime security policy and responsibilities, threat identification, recognition and response, ship security actions and emergency preparedness. It is mandatory for all seafarers with AMSA certificates to hold Security Awareness endorsement.

### Safety and Survival

#### **Safety Training Certification skill set** MARSS00033 Accredited

(CoST) | STCW Reg VI/1

The AMSA issued Certificate of Safety Training (CoST) is the minimum mandatory requirement in order to serve on board vessels in international waters. CoST incorporates the following training courses:

- Basic Fire Prevention and Fire Fighting\*
- Personal Survival Techniques\*
- Personal Safety and Social Responsibilities\*
- Security Awareness Training\*

\*Complete this training as an individual course or through the full CoST.

Successful achievement of this skill set requires students to undertake or provide evidence of completion of Provide First Aid HLTAID011.

#### **Certificate of Competency (CoC) Continued Competence Refresher Training\*\***

Relevant competencies from STCW Tables A-VI/1-1, A-VI/1-2, A-VI/2-1 and VI/3

The Certificate of Competency (CoC) Continued Competence Refresher Training is designed for holders of an AMSA issued Certificate of Competency (Master, Deck and Engineer Officers). The course meets the mandatory Sea Survival, Basic and Advanced Fire Fighting, and Certificate of Proficiency in Survival Craft and Rescue Boats other than Fast Rescue Boats (CPSC) continued competency requirements for current seafarers with qualifying sea service<sup>1</sup>.

#### **Certificate of Proficiency (CoP) Rating Continued Competence Refresher Training\*\***

Relevant competencies from STCW Tables A-VI/1-1, A-VI/1-2 and A-VI/2-1

The Certificate of Proficiency (CoP) Rating Continued Competence Refresher Training is designed for holders of an AMSA issued Certificate of Proficiency as Rating (Integrated Rating, Able Seaman, Deck Rating or Engine Room Rating). The course meets the mandatory Sea Survival, Basic Fire Prevention and Fire Fighting, and Certificate of Proficiency in Survival Craft and Rescue Boats other than Fast Rescue Boats (CPSC) continued competency requirements for current seafarers with qualifying sea service<sup>1</sup>.

#### **Certificate of Safety Training (CoST) Continued Competence Refresher Training\*\***

Relevant competencies from STCW Tables A-VI/1-1 and A-VI/1-2

The CoST refresher training course is designed to meet the mandatory Sea Survival, Basic Fire Prevention and Fire Fighting continued competency requirements for current seafarers with qualifying sea service<sup>1</sup>.

#### **Observe Personal Safety and Social Responsibility (PSSR) skill set** SSMAR0014 Accredited

Observe Personal Safety and Social Responsibilities (PSSR) | STCW Reg VI/1 Code A-VI/1 Table A-VI/1-4 The PSSR course provides mandatory minimum training in personal safety and social responsibility on board a vessel and is one of the components required to obtain an AMSA issued Certificate of Safety Training.

#### **Survive at Sea in the Event of Vessel Abandonment and Personal Survival Techniques (PST) skill set** SSMAR0012 Accredited

Personal Survival Techniques (PST) | STCW Reg VI/1 Code A-VI/1 Table A-VI/1-1 Learn the skills and techniques required for personal survival at sea. The PST course is one of the components required to obtain an AMSA issued Certificate of Safety Training.



<sup>1</sup> Qualifying sea service is three months in total during the preceding six months or at least 12 months in total during the preceding five years

\*\*AMSA approved, non-accredited training

## Communications

**Transmit and receive information by the global maritime distress and safety system** SSMAR0011 Accredited  
Marine Emergency Care, Craft and Communication (GMDSS) | STCW Reg IV/2  
Gain the skills and knowledge to operate GMDSS equipment including digital selective calling techniques for communication using MF, HF and VHF radiotelephone, HF radio telex and satellite communication using INMARSAT-C ship earth stations. This course complies with Australian Maritime Safety Authority, Marine Order 70 (Seafarer Certification) 2014, Section 21A.

### Global Maritime Distress and Safety System (GMDSS) Revalidation\*\*

Relevant competencies from STCW Table A-IV/2

This course complies with Australian Maritime Safety Authority, Marine Order 70 (Seafarer Certification) 2014, Section 25A, where requirements for revalidation of a GMDSS Radio Operators Certificate (ROC) specify completion of an approved revalidation course.

## Communications

### Marine Radio Operator's VHF and HF Skill Set MARSS00010 Accredited

Long Range Operator's Certificate of Proficiency (LROCP)

This course is for operating both Very High Frequency (VHF) short range radios and Medium Frequency/High Frequency (MF/HF) radios (which are designed for long range transmission).

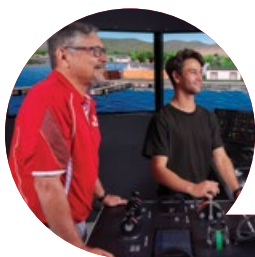
### Marine Radio Operator's VHF Skill Set MARSS00011\* Accredited

Short Range Operator's Certificate of Proficiency (SROCP)

Designed for those who are only carrying and/or operating a Very High Frequency (VHF) short range radio.

## Facilities at Great Barrier Reef International Marine College (GBRIMC)

**GBRIMC has state-of-the-art facilities that support immersive and practical maritime education:**



**Full mission bridge simulator:** A high-fidelity simulator for navigation and vessel control training.



**Tug-optimised bridge and desktop simulators:**  
For specialised vessel handling and operational training.



**Sea survival immersion pool:** Used for drills in vessel abandonment and survival techniques.



**Engineering workshops:**  
Equipped for mechanical and electrical training, including propulsion systems and maintenance.



**Multi-purpose Emergency Response Training Simulator (MERTS):** A multi-purpose simulator for emergency scenarios including fire, damage control, and distress communications.



**Commercially registered vessel:** A 19-metre vessel 'Diversity' is used for hands-on training in navigation, safety, and seamanship.

\* Training and assessment can be delivered by UAV Industries Pty Ltd on behalf of TAFE Queensland for Torres Strait based delivery only

\*\* AMSA approved, non-accredited training



## Aquaculture

### Certificate II in Aquaculture SFI20119

Kick start your career in aquaculture, work as an aquaculture attendant or care of aquatic stock in the seafood industry. Individuals undertake a range of tasks such as handling, feeding and monitoring stock, and monitoring environmental conditions. Only available as traineeship.

**Job prospects:** Aquaculture farm hand

## Conservation

### ● Certificate III in Conservation and Ecosystem Management AHC31424

Take the next step in your career in the great outdoors with this entry-level course that will qualify you to work as a park ranger or on land conservation projects.

**Job prospects:** Park ranger

## Agriculture

### ● Certificate III in Agriculture AHC30122

Get a head start on your farming career with this entry-level qualification. This course will give you the skills you need to take on high-level responsibilities in livestock, cropping or mixed-enterprise.

**Job prospects:** Senior farm or station hand

## Horticulture

### Certificate III in Horticulture AHC30722

Develop practical skills and knowledge in improving soil conditions, implementing plant nutrition programs, operating machinery and equipment, and maintaining nursery plants.

**Job prospects:** Nursery worker, parks and gardens worker, horticulturalist

### ● Certificate III in Landscape Construction AHC30921

Get a head start on your landscaping career with this entry-level course. This course will give you the skills to construct landscaping projects and renew and maintain existing gardens.

**Job prospects:** Landscape construction tradesperson or supervisor, QBCC licenced contractor (structural landscaper)

### ● Certificate III in Parks and Gardens AHC31024

This qualification is designed for apprentices already employed in the industry. Gain the core skills required to work in a diverse range of settings in gardens or public parks.

**Job prospects:** Parks and gardens tradesperson, landscape gardener, greenkeeper

### ● Certificate III in Sports Turf Management AHC31324

This qualification is for people looking to enter into the sports turf industry, are employed as an apprentice, or need to have their skills recognised. Gain the fundamental skills required to manage turf grass surfaces in a wide range of sports facilities.

**Job prospects:** Greenkeeper

## Short courses

### Agricultural Chemical skill set AHCSS00074 Accredited

- Transport and store chemicals AHCCHM304
- Prepare and apply chemicals to control pest, weeds and diseases AHCCHM307





## Aviation

### Diploma of Aviation (Commercial Pilot Licence – Aeroplane) AVI50222

Let your ambition take flight. Gain the knowledge and practical skills to embark upon a career in the aviation industry, specialising in aeroplanes.

**Job prospects:** Commercial aeroplane pilot, aviation manager

### Diploma of Aviation (Instrument Rating) AVI50519

Enhance your aviation skills and knowledge to earn your instrumentation and multi-engine class ratings.

**Job prospects:** Commercial pilot flight instructor, commercial pilot – aeroplane, aviation manager

National Aviation Academy (Koolardie Aviation Pty Ltd) provide training and assessment of these accredited qualifications on behalf of TAFE Queensland who will award the qualification upon successful completion.



### Diploma of Aviation (Commercial Pilot Licence – Helicopter) AVI50322

Take your career to new heights. Gain the skills and knowledge to embark upon a career in the aviation industry, specialising in helicopters.

**Job prospects:** Commercial helicopter pilot

Townsville Helicopters (Koolardie Aviation Pty Ltd) provide training and assessment of this accredited qualification on behalf of TAFE Queensland who will award the qualification upon successful completion.





## Automotive

### **Certificate II in Automotive Air Conditioning Technology** AUR20220

Further your automotive career by gaining your automotive refrigerant handling licence.

**Job prospects:** Automotive air conditioning serviceperson

### **Certificate II in Automotive Vocational Preparation** AUR20720

Prepare for your career in the light and heavy automotive and marine industries with this entry-level course.

**Job prospects:** Vehicle service assistant, automotive apprentice, marine service assistant, marine mechanical apprentice

### ● **Certificate III in Automotive Underbody Technology** AUR32518

Gain skills to perform a range of services and repairs on tyres, wheels, steering, suspension and brakes within the automotive service and repair sector.

**Job prospects:** Automotive light vehicle underbody repair technician

### ● **Certificate III in Automotive Electrical Technology** AUR30320

Learn the skills to service, diagnose and repair automotive electrical systems and components as a qualified automotive electrician.

**Job prospects:** Automotive electrician, automotive electrical technician

### ● **Certificate III in Automotive Electric Vehicle Technology** AUR32721

Enhance your automotive career with this apprenticeship course.

Complete this qualification to become a qualified electric vehicle mechanic.

**Job prospects:** Automotive electric vehicle technician, Automotive electric heavy vehicle technician

### ● **Certificate III in Marine Mechanical Technology** AUR30520

Become a marine mechanic and perform a range of mechanical service and repair tasks within the marine industry.

**Job prospects:** Marine serviceperson, marine technician, marine mechanic

### ● **Certificate III in Light Vehicle Mechanical Technology** AUR30620

Gain the underpinning skills and knowledge to service and repair the mechanical parts of a motor vehicle such as the engine, transmission and suspension systems.

**Job prospects:** Light vehicle mechanic

### ● **Certificate III in Outdoor Power Equipment Technology** AUR30720

Progress your career in the outdoor power equipment industry with the skills to work as a small engine mechanic.

**Job prospects:** Outdoor power equipment repair technician, repair technician



## Automotive

### Certificate III in Motorcycle Mechanical Technology AUR30820

Boost your career in the motorcycle service and repair industry with this entry-level course that will set you up with the mechanical skills you need to succeed.

**Job prospects:** Motorcycle repair technician, motorcycle mechanic

### Certificate III in Automotive Sales AUR31020

Kick start your automotive career as a parts interpreter or vehicle salesperson with this practical qualification.

**Job prospects:** Parts interpreter

### Certificate III in Heavy Commercial Vehicle Mechanical Technology AUR31120

Learn the skills to become a qualified tradesperson servicing and repairing trucks, buses, earth-moving equipment, or tractors and other farming machinery.

**Job prospects:** Heavy commercial vehicle technician, heavy vehicle mechanic, diesel motor mechanic

### Certificate III in Mobile Plant Technology AUR31220

Learn the skills to become a qualified tradesperson servicing and repairing mobile plant and earthmoving equipment.

**Job prospects:** Mobile plant technician, mobile plant mechanic, diesel fitter

### Certificate III in Engineering – Fixed and Mobile Plant Mechanic MEM31419

Learn the skills required to become an engineering tradesperson, with specialist skills in the assembly and commissioning of mobile and stationary plant.

**Job prospects:** Fixed and/or mobile plant mechanic, diesel fitter

## Short courses

### Battery Electric Vehicle Inspection and Servicing skill set AURSS00064 Accredited

- Depower and reinitialise battery electric vehicles AURETH101
- Inspect and maintain battery electric vehicles AURETH102
- Diagnose and repair high voltage rechargeable energy storage systems in battery electric vehicles AURETH103
- Diagnose and repair system instrumentation and safety interlocks in battery electric vehicles AURETH107

### Battery Electric Vehicle Diagnose and Repair skill set AURSS00063 Accredited

### Safely Depower and Reinitialise Hybrid Vehicles skill set SSAUR0001 Accredited

- Depower and reinitialise hybrid electric vehicles AURETH011







## Building and Construction

### ● Certificate I in Construction CPC10120

Get started in your construction career with this entry-level course. Gain the foundation skills and knowledge to seek an apprenticeship in any construction trade.

**Job prospects:** Construction trades worker, construction and mining labourer

### ● Certificate III in Bricklaying and Blocklaying CPC33020

Progress your career in the construction industry and work towards recognition as a qualified bricklayer or blocklayer.

**Job prospects:** Bricklayer and blocklayer

### ● Certificate III in Carpentry CPC30220

Gain the practical skills and knowledge required to work as a carpenter in the building and construction industry.

**Job prospects:** Carpenter and joiner

### ● Certificate III in Painting and Decorating CPC30620

Become a painter and decorator with this apprenticeship qualification. Continue to progress your career in a residential or commercial setting.

**Job prospects:** Painter and decorator

### ● Certificate III in Cabinet Making and Timber Technology MSF30322

Progress your career with this apprenticeship course that specialises in the installation of kitchen and bathroom cabinets.

**Job prospects:** Cabinet maker

## Short courses

**General Construction Induction Training (GCIT) skill set SSCPC0029 (White Card) Accredited**

- Prepare to work safely in the construction industry CPCWHS1001

● Also available as a Traineeship ● Apprenticeship



## Civil Construction, Logistics

- **Certificate II in Civil Construction** RII20720  
 Gain the basic skills and knowledge to progress a career in the civil construction industry.  
**Job prospects:** Civil construction worker or labourer
- **Certificate III in Civil Construction (Road Construction and Maintenance)** RII30920  
 Break ground on a career in civil construction with a specialisation in road construction and maintenance.  
**Job prospects:** Road construction worker
- **Certificate III in Civil Construction Plant Operations** RII30820  
 Shape the future of infrastructure with this apprenticeship course to become a trade-qualified, skilled plant operator.  
**Job prospects:** Civil construction worker, plant operator, earthmoving plant operator

## Short courses

**Backhoe Loader Operations skill set** SSRII0014 Accredited

- Conduct backhoe/loader operations RIIMPO319E

**Enter and work in confined spaces skill set** SSRII0005 Accredited

**Excavator operations skill set** SSRII0010 Accredited

**Gas test atmospheres skill set** SSMSM0003 Accredited

**Licence to operate a boom type elevating work platform of more than 11 metres in length skill set** SSTLI0004 Accredited

**Licence to operate a forklift truck skill set** SSTLI0007 Accredited

**Licence to operate a slewing mobile crane (up to 60 tonnes) skill set** SSTLI0026 Accredited

**Licence to operate a slewing mobile crane (up to 100 Tonnes) skill set** SSTLI0027 Accredited

**Operate an elevating work platform skill set** SSRII0003 Accredited

**Roller operations skill set** SSRII0013 Accredited

**Skid steer loader operations skill set** SSRII0011 Accredited

**Telescopic materials handler operations skill set** SSRII0008 Accredited

**Wheeled front end loader operations skill set** SSRII0012 Accredited

**Work safely at heights skill set** SSRII0006 Accredited

● Also available as a Traineeship 
 ● Apprenticeship



## Engineering

### ● **Certificate II in Engineering - Production Technology** MEM20219

Launch your engineering career with this specialised trade qualification and get the skills you need to do production work as an engineering or manufacturing employee.

**Job Prospects:** Metal engineering process worker, engineering production process worker

### **Certificate II in Engineering Pathways** MEM20422

Explore your options and gain practical skills and knowledge with this entry-level engineering course. Increase your prospects of gaining an engineering apprenticeship.

**Job Prospects:** Engineering apprentice

### ● **Certificate III in Engineering – Mechanical Trade (Machining)** MEM30219

Become a trade qualified machinist by completing this qualification as part of your apprenticeship.

**Job Prospects:** Mechanical engineering technician, machinist

### ● **Certificate III in Engineering – Mechanical Trade (Fitting/Machining)** MEM30219

Get started in your engineering career with this practical qualification that could see you work across a range of industries.

**Job Prospects:** Fitter and turner, fluid power mechanic, maintenance mechanic, mechanical fitter

### ● **Certificate III in Engineering – Fabrication Trade (Boilermaking/Welding)** MEM31922

Kick start your career with this hands-on course which will qualify you to become a trade qualified boilermaker or welder.

**Job Prospects:** Steel fabricator, welder, boilermaker

### ● **Certificate III in Engineering – Fabrication Trade (Sheetmetal)** MEM31922

Take the next step in your engineering career with this technical qualification to become a trade qualified sheetmetal worker.

**Job Prospects:** Sheetmetal trades worker, sheetmetal worker (First Class)

### ● **Certificate IV in Engineering** MEM40119

Take your career in engineering to the next level with this advanced, post-trade qualification. You can choose to specialise your engineering skills in metal, engineering, manufacturing and associated industries.

**Job Prospects:** Higher engineering tradesperson

## Engineering short courses

**Introduction to welding** Non-accredited

**Welding Certification Testing** Non-accredited

- ISO9606 Weld Australia Certificate Test
- Welding Certification Preparatory (AS1796)
- Stick – MMAW Certification (Plate) (AS1796)
- Stick – MMAW Certification (Pipe) (AS1796)
- TIG – GTAW Certification (AS1796)
- MIG – GMAW Certification (AS1796)
- FLUX – FCAW Certification (AS1796)

● Also available as a Traineeship ● Apprenticeship





## Advanced Manufacturing

### ● Diploma of Applied Technologies MEM50822

Redefine your career with this high-level course and develop the specialised skills and knowledge required to take on a range of technical manufacturing and engineering roles within Industry 4.0.

**Job Prospects:** Advanced manufacturing technician, digital technologist, industry 4.0 systems technician, internet of things data technician

## Technologies for Advanced Manufacturing short courses

Undertake a short course to grow your skills and understanding in a range of technologies being used in advanced manufacturing. As industries increasingly integrate new innovative practices to improve products and processes, these skills will assist you to upskill and support the transformation of your workplace. Introductory courses are available for those interested in learning more about working with these technologies in our collaborative and explorative learning environment.

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**Advanced CNC Operator skill set** SSMEM0055 Accredited

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**Cobot Industry 4.0 skill set** SSMEM0058 Accredited

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**Computer Numerical Control (CNC) Programming** Non-accredited

- Introduction to operating and programming
- Advanced CNC programming

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**Introduction to Advanced Manufacturing -** NONAC03214 Non-accredited

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**Introduction to Computer-Aided Design** SSMEM0057 Accredited

- Operate computer-aided design (CAD) system to produce basic drawing elements MEM30031
- Use computer-aided design (CAD) to create and display 3D models MEM30033

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**Introduction to 2D and 3D CAM skill set** SSMEM0059 Accredited

- Create 3-D code files using computer-aided manufacturing system MEM09023
- Create 2-D code files using computer-aided manufacturing system MEM09022

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**Prerequisites for Introduction to 2D and 3D CAM skill set (RPL)** SSMEM0060 Accredited

● Also available as a Traineeship



## Electrical and Refrigeration

### Certificate II in Sustainable Energy (Career Start) UEE22120

Kick start your career in sustainable energy technology and renewable energy management with this entry-level course. Learn how to fabricate, assemble, and dismantle electronic components, apply OH&S codes in the workplace, and promote and apply sustainable energy practices and procedures in the energy sector.

**Job Prospects:** Electrical or sustainable energy trainee

### Certificate II in Electrotechnology (Career Start) UEE22020

Get your career in electrotechnology started with this entry-level course. Build the skills and confidence you need to seek an apprenticeship in a range of electrical trade areas.

**Job Prospects:** Electrical or refrigeration apprentice

### ● Certificate III in Electrotechnology Electrician UEE30820

Progress your electrotechnology career with this practical apprenticeship course and become eligible to apply for your electrical workers licence.

**Job Prospects:** Electrician

### ● Certificate III in Electrotechnology Electrician/Certificate III in Instrumentation and Control UEE30820 / UEE31220^

Increase your skill base and improve your career opportunities with this dual qualification to become an electrician or an electrical instrumentation technician.

**Job Prospects:** Electrician (general), electrical instrumentation technician, electronic instrument trades worker (general), electrical instrumentation tradesperson

### ● Certificate III in Instrumentation and Control UEE31220^

Complete this qualification as part of your apprenticeship to become an electrical instrumentation tradesperson.

**Job Prospects:** Electronic instrument trades worker (general), electrical instrumentation tradesperson, electrical instrumentation technician

### ● Certificate III in Air Conditioning and Refrigeration UEE32220^

Get qualified through your apprenticeship as an air conditioning and refrigeration mechanic and become eligible for your Restricted Electrical Licence and full Refrigerant Handling Licence.

**Job Prospects:** Air conditioning and refrigeration mechanic

## Short courses

### Electrical safety testing of electrical cord connected equipment and cord assemblies skill set UEES00174 (Test and Tag) Accredited

- Conduct in-service safety testing of electrical cord connected equipment and cord assemblies UEERL0003
- Apply work health and safety regulations, codes and practices in the workplace UEECD0007

### Qualified technical person (QTP) electrical contractor licence skill set SSUEE0008 Accredited

- Conduct compliance inspection of single phase LV electrical installations UEEEL0030
- Apply currency of safe working practices and compliance verification of electrical installations UEEEL0002
- Conduct compliance inspection of LV electrical installations with demand exceeding 100 A per phase UEEEL0029

### Qualified business person (QBP) electrical contractor licence skill set SSUEE0006 Accredited

- Establish legal and risk management requirements of new business ventures BSBESB402
- Apply work health and safety regulations, codes and practices in the workplace UEECD0007
- Develop compliance policies and plans to conduct an electrical contracting business UEEEL0040
- Conduct compliance inspection of LV electrical installations with demand exceeding 100 A per phase UEEEL0029





## Plumbing

### Certificate II in Drainage CPC20720

Gain your Drainer's Licence with this entry-level course.

**Job Prospects:** Drainage, sewerage and stormwater labourer

### ● Certificate III in Plumbing CPC32420

Develop hands-on skills to work as a plumber and apply for your QBCC plumbing licence.

**Job Prospects:** Gas fitter, drainer, plumber

### ● Certificate III in Roof Plumbing CPC32620

Progress your career in the plumbing industry by becoming a recognised tradesperson.

**Job Prospects:** Roof plumber

### Certificate III in Gas Fitting CPC32720

Essential for those wanting to progress to a full gas work licence, this course qualifies you as a gas fitter.

(Also available as a fee-for-service course.)

**Job Prospects:** Gas fitter

### Certificate IV in Plumbing and Services (Operations) CPC40920

Take your plumbing career to the next level with this mid-level technical course. Develop the advanced skills and knowledge required for a range of specialisations and/or industry licences.

**Job Prospects:** Plumbing contractor, hydraulic designer

## Short courses

### Basic hydrogen safety skill set UEGSS00013 Accredited

- Apply safety practices, procedures and compliance standards for handling hydrogen gas UEGNSG901
- Prepare to work in the gas industry UEGNSG031
- Confine small emergencies in a facility PUAFER008

### Commission and maintain backflow prevention devices skill set SSCPC0015 Accredited

- Commission and maintain backflow prevention devices CPCPWT4022

### Commission and maintain temperature control devices skill set SSCPC0016 Accredited

- Commission and maintain hot and heated water temperature control devices CPCPWT4023 (TMV)

### Domestic waste water and environmental plumbing - QBCC licence to service Non-accredited

### Evaluating and planning the installation of solar and heat pump water systems Non-accredited

### Plumbing backflow revalidation Non-accredited

### Type a gas appliance servicing skill set SSCPC0018 Accredited



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