

Overview

A nationally recognised qualification.

This qualification is an industry endorsed credential for people who are currently working in an appropriate work role. This is a practical qualification and assessment tasks focus on a person's work.

Eligibility & entry requirements

This is a practical qualification and assessment tasks are work focused, therefore learners must be working in an Appropriate role in industry. In circumstances where it is considered that a learner's language and/or literacy skills may not be at the required level assistance can be offered. The language, literacy and Numeracy indicator designed for this qualification will be used to determine whether a learner needs assistance.

Nominal Duration

3 Year Apprenticeship.

Competency based completions are available for eligible students who demonstrate competency in a shorter time frame.

Delivery mode

The program is workplace delivery with the main part of the training conducted under the direct supervision of a nominated workplace supervisor and formalized by an RTA Assessor during regular workplace assessment visits. Training will include workplace projects, activities and on-site assessments and will be supported by on-line learning activities and may also be supported by discussions, tutorials and attendance of industry workshops. Learning is supported by independent research and a range of practical activities.

Assessment

A range of assessment strategies are employed for this training program and the choice of strategy is dependent on the nature of the unit of competency. Strategies include demonstrations, observation, projects, presentations, knowledge tests, reports and interviews.



Recognition of Prior Learning

Students are able to apply for recognition of prior learning for individual units of competency.

Credit transfer

Units from this qualification that are also contained in other qualifications recognised under the AQF will be recognised for credit transfer purposes.

Entry/exit points

A student may exit from this qualification at any time with a Statement of Attainment for any units of competency completed successfully at the exit point.

Resources

Students are issued with learning materials via the RTA E-Learning system. E-Books and theoretical assessments are] submitted through the learning portal. Internet access and the ability to access and use a computer or mobile device will be required. Where a student may not access the Internet, hard copies of materials can be obtained.

Career pathways

Further training pathways from this qualification may include Certificate IV and Diploma qualifications in the Construction Training Package and relevant supervisory and management qualifications.

Locations

Regional Trade Assessments come to you in your work place. Our qualified assessor will arrange a visit schedule for the term of the apprenticeship. We operate throughout all of NSW and specialise in visiting regional locations.





Course Units

The successful achievement of this qualification requires you to complete all 4 core and 17 elective units from the list below. (21 Units)

Total number of units = 21 units

CORE UNITS

BSBSUS201 Participate in environmentally sustainable work practices

ICPSUP2160 Inspect quality against required standards

ICPSUP2600 Maintain a safe work environment

ICPSUP2620 Communicate in the workplace

ICPKNW3220 Develop and apply knowledge of the printing & graphics industry

ELECTIVE UNITS

ICPPRN284 Use colour management systems

ICPPRN3840 set up and produce basic digital print

ICPPRN3890 Manage Digital Files

ICPPRN3920 Set up and produce specialised digital print

BSBCUS301 Deliver and monitor a service to customers

ICPPRP2840 Produce PDF files for on-line or screen display

ICPSUP2020 Prepare, load and unload product on and off machine

ICPSUP2030 Prepare and maintain the work area

ICPSUP2630 Perform basic industry calculations

ICPSUP2820 Undertake basic machine maintenance

ICPPRN4960 Set up and produce complex digital print

ICPSUP2810 Use computer systems

ICPSUP351 Undertake basic production scheduling

ICPPRP2110 Develop a basic design concept

ICPSUP2070 Prepare machine for operation (basic)

ICPPRN2820 Produce and manage basic digital print



Course can entered with an general outcome qualification of

ICP31220 Cert III in Printing

or

Specialisations in this course include:

ICP31220 Certificate III in Printing (Gravure Printing)

ICP31220 Certificate III in Printing (Lithographic Printing)

ICP31220 Certificate III in Printing (Relief Printing)

ICP31220 Certificate III in Printing (Digital Printing)

ICP31220 Certificate III in Printing (Pad Printing)

ICP31220 Certificate III in Printing (Flexographic Printing)

ICP31220 Certificate III in Printing (Screen Printing).



Apprenticeship Costs

NSW - The student fees for apprenticeship qualifications are capped at \$2000. Under the *User Choice fee free apprenticeships strategy*, eligible apprentices that commence training on or *after 1 July 2018 will be fee free.* You may be eligible for fee free apprenticeship training contact us to check your eligibility.

INCENTIVES - Federal incentives may be available for employers, apprentices and trainees. Visit the Australian Apprenticeships website for more information.

Students are encouraged to view the Regional Trade Assessments Student Fees policy prior to enrollment. For more information about the costs associated with undertaking an apprenticeship, please contact RTA.

Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)

If you have been working in the industry for 3 years or more, you may be eligible to undergo and RPL assessment to gain your nationally recognised qualification.

The process involves you collating evidence of your competencies for 21 units to verify that your work history and required knowledge is compatible with the required skills needed to attain the Cert III qualification.

Evidence includes

- Work history Resume.
- Self assessment of skills.
- Third Party testimonials x 2 people who can verify your work skills.
- A written knowledge exam for each unit.
- Photographic evidence and or video of your work and or you performing work that matches each unit.

Our robust assessment methods are set out in a step by step guide for you to work through in a self paced process. The program is delivered on line via the RTA learning portal.

Time Frame

The amount of time required for people to complete an RPL depends entirely upon the willingness of the applicant. For example, a person who can collate and provide evidence that is suitable could do so in as little time as it takes to get the evidence together. Typically 2 - 4 weeks would be sufficient time to do so.

If Gap training is required to meet the required competencies, more time will be needed.

Costs

RPL fees are on a fee for service basis of \$2500 for the assessment.

Additional travel and accommodation costs may apply.

Concessions may be available depending upon individual circumstances.

See your RTA representative to learn more.



On Line Learning



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Download information

RTA does not guarantee that:

i. a learner will successfully complete a training product on its scope of registration, or
ii. a training product can be completed in a manner which does not meet the requirements of Clause 1.1 and 1.2, or
iii. a learner will obtain a particular employment outcome where this is outside the control of the RTO.