

Course Details - AHC20416 Certificate II in Horticulture - St Francis de Sales College

AHSPs Title	Horticulture (Landscape Construction focus)		
Qualification	AHC20416 Certificate II in Horticulture		
RTO	ARO Education (National Code 40056)		
Host Organisation	St Francis de Sales College		
Course Length	To be confirmed		
Course Description	<p>This qualification is part of the Horticulture Training Package. This qualification underpins a range of work functions & job roles that can lead to a horticultural qualification with a focus on the landscape industry.</p> <p>It provides students with the skills & knowledge needed to work under supervision as a skilled operator or assistant to a tradesperson in the horticulture industry that is focused on the landscape industry. Students complete a range of general horticulture and landscape units & may choose electives from a range of industry specific modules.</p> <p>Depending on the subject chosen, you will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ? operate basic equipment & machinery ? construct horticultural features ? apply chemicals & biological agents under supervision ? maintain irrigation ? recognise plants, products & treatments ? maintain properties & structures ? treat weeds, pests & diseases 		
Pathways	<p>Successful completion of the course leads to a landscape tradesperson likely to be involved in working independently or as part of team in carrying out landscape work.</p> <p>Job titles may include: Horticulture worker, Horticulture assistant; Landscape labourer, landscape trades assistant.</p>		
Entry Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Candidate have the ability to read, write, speak and understand basic English - Candidate have basic computer literacy to complete the theoretical learning <p>ARO is required to conduct a Language, Literacy & Numeracy assessment for all students prior to the finalisation of their enrolment to ensure that their level of LLN is sufficient for them to successfully achieve the level of qualification they are undertaking.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - be a minimum of 16 years of age and - provide photo ID (i.e. Australian Drivers Licence, Passport, Proof of Age Card). The ID must include your photo, signature and date of birth. 		
Other Requirements	<p>You will need to supply your own personal protection equipment (PPE) in the form of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> long sleeved top long trousers, shorts are not acceptable safety shoes/boots safety vest (Hi-vis vest) safety glasses heavy duty gardening gloves. 		
Delivery Location(s)	<p>St Francis de Sales College, Springs Road, Mount Barker, SA, 5251</p> <p>Horticulture Trade Skills Centre</p>		
Dates and Times	<p>35 weekly sessions at St Francis de Sales College on Thursdays from 08:30 until 16:00.</p> <p>Commencement date 11 Feb 21.</p>		
SACE Details	SACE Stage 1, 70 SACE credits		
Units Of Competency	Core	<p>AHPCPM201 Recognise plants (40 nominal hours)</p> <p>AHCPMG201 Treat weeds (40 nominal hours)</p> <p>AHCPMG202 Treat plant pests, diseases and disorders (30 nominal hours)</p> <p>AHCSOL202 Assist with soil or growing media sampling and testing (30 nominal hours)</p> <p>AHCWHS201 Participate in work health and safety processes (20 nominal hours)</p>	
	Elective	<p>AHCCHM201 Apply chemicals under supervision (30 nominal hours)</p> <p>AHCIRG217 Assist with pressurised irrigation systems (40 nominal hours)</p> <p>AHCLSC201 Assist with landscape construction work (30 nominal hours)</p> <p>AHCLSC202 Construct low-profile timber or modular retaining walls (50 nominal hours)</p> <p>AHCLSC203 Install aggregate paths (20 nominal hours)</p> <p>AHCLSC204 Lay paving (30 nominal hours)</p> <p>AHCMOM203 Operate basic machinery and equipment (20 nominal hours)</p> <p>AHCPGD201 Plant trees and shrubs (20 nominal hours)</p> <p>AHCPGD203 Prune shrubs and small trees (35 nominal hours)</p> <p>AHCTRF201 Assist with turf construction (30 nominal hours)</p>	
	Nominal hours are used for SACE purposes and are not reflective of actual delivery hours		
Training Cost	<p>\$7,500.00 GST exempt</p> <p>These fees may vary in 2021.</p> <p>This course is delivered by an approved Skilling South Australia training provider, and as such, students may be eligible to be funded for the Training Cost of this course under a Training Guarantee for SACE students (TGSS). - From January 2021, students who turn 16 in year 11 will be able to access subsidised training from the beginning of the school year. Please refer to your school's VET Coordinator for more information. This does not cover consumables.</p> <p>Non-member schools - an additional 15% admin levy up to a maximum of \$250.00 per student.</p>		
Other Costs	<p>None</p> <p>There is a one-off ARO enrolment fee of \$550 applicable for this course.</p>		
Number Of Students	Minimum	8	
	Maximum	15	

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